

Amend SB 1847 on third reading in SECTION 1 of the bill, in added Section 501.091, Government Code, immediately following added Subsection (b) (page 1, between lines 23 and 24), by inserting the following and relettering subsequent Subsections of added Section 501.091, Government Code, accordingly:

(c) On application by a wrongfully imprisoned person in a manner prescribed by the board of trustees of the Employees Retirement System of Texas, a wrongfully imprisoned person may participate in the group benefits program under Chapter 1551, Insurance Code, and is automatically covered by the basic coverage for annuitants provided under that chapter. A claimant who participates in the group benefits program is entitled to receive state contributions for the full cost of the premiums. State contributions paid under this subsection shall be paid out of the funds appropriated for the purposes of Chapter 103, Civil Practice and Remedies Code.