

AN ACT

relating to the grounds for removal of a member of the board of directors of the Lynn County Hospital District.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 4A(a), Chapter 66, Acts of the 60th Legislature, Regular Session, 1967, is amended to read as follows:

(a) It is a ground for removal from the board of directors that a member:

(1) is absent from more than half [~~three-fourths~~] of the regularly scheduled board meetings that the member is eligible to attend during a calendar year without an excuse approved by a majority vote of the board; or

(2) fails to timely pay a federal, state, or local tax, including an ad valorem tax.

SECTION 2. Section 1054.0565(a), Special District Local Laws Code, as effective September 1, 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(a) It is a ground for removal from the board that a director:

(1) is absent from more than half [~~three-fourths~~] of the regularly scheduled board meetings that the director is eligible to attend during a calendar year without an excuse approved by a majority vote of the board; or

(2) fails to timely pay a federal, state, or local tax,

1 including an ad valorem tax.

2 SECTION 3. (a) Section 1 of this Act takes effect only if
3 the Act of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, relating to
4 nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in existing codes does
5 not become law. If the Act of the 81st Legislature, Regular
6 Session, 2009, relating to nonsubstantive additions to and
7 corrections in existing codes becomes law, Section 1 of this Act has
8 no effect.

9 (b) Section 2 of this Act takes effect only if the Act of the
10 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, relating to
11 nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in existing codes
12 becomes law. If the Act of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session,
13 2009, relating to nonsubstantive additions to and corrections in
14 existing codes does not become law, Section 2 of this Act has no
15 effect.

16 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 118 was passed by the House on April 15, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 118 was passed by the Senate on May 27, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor