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H.B. No. 2614

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to county general revenue levy for indigent health care.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection 61.002 (5)(A), Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

(A) The property taxes imposed by a county that are not dedicated to the construction and maintenance of farm-to-market roads or to flood control under Article VIII, Section 1-a, of the Texas Constitution or that are not dedicated to further maintenance of the public roads under ARTICLE VIII, Section 9, of the Texas Constitution or that are not dedicated to the payment of principal or interest on county debt; and

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2009.