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H.B. No. 4586

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to making supplemental appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.

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

SECTION 1. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION: MEDICARE PART D GIVEBACK PAYMENT. In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2009, the amount of \$332,378,835 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the Health and Human Services Commission for the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of providing the Giveback Payment to the federal government pursuant to federal law related to the implementation of the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit.

SECTION 2. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE: OPERATIONS. In addition to amounts previously appropriated for the state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2009, the amount of \$157,500,000 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of providing for salaries and wages, hazardous duty and longevity pay, overtime pay, food for wards of the state, contracted temporary capacity, utilities, and fuel.

SECTION 3. CANCER PREVENTION AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE: OPERATIONS. (a) In addition to amounts previously appropriated for

1 the state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2009, the amount of  
2 \$2,120,294 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the  
3 Cancer Prevention and Research Institute for the two-year period  
4 beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of  
5 providing for contracts, salaries and wages, travel, and  
6 acquisition of information technology, computers, furniture, and  
7 legal counseling.

8 (b) In addition to the number of full-time equivalent  
9 employees (FTEs) the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute is  
10 authorized by other law to employ during the state fiscal year  
11 ending August 31, 2009, the institute may employ an additional 33  
12 FTEs during that state fiscal year.

13 SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act takes effect  
14 immediately.