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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

- 2 relating to the computation of taxable margin for purposes of the
- 3 franchise tax by certain taxable entities.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 171.1013, Tax Code, is amended by adding
- 6 Subsection (i) to read as follows:
- 7 (i) Subject to Section 171.1014 and the limitation in
- 8 Subsection (c), a taxable entity that elects to subtract
- 9 compensation for the purpose of computing its taxable margin under
- 10 Section 171.101 may include as wages and cash compensation any
- 11 compensation paid to an independent contractor as reported on
- 12 Internal Revenue Service Form 1099, or any subsequent form with a
- 13 <u>different number or designation that substantially provides the</u>
- 14 same information.
- 15 SECTION 2. This Act applies only to a report originally due
- 16 on or after the effective date of this Act.
- 17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect January 1, 2010.