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S.B. No. 1503

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the authority of the board of directors of the  
3 Dallam-Hartley Counties Hospital District to employ health care  
4 providers.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 1018.061, Special District Local Laws  
7 Code, as effective April 1, 2009, is amended by adding Subsections  
8 (d) and (e) to read as follows:

9 (d) The board may employ physicians or other health care  
10 providers as the board considers necessary for the efficient  
11 operation of the district.

12 (e) This section may not be construed as authorizing the  
13 board to supervise or control the practice of medicine, as  
14 prohibited by Subtitle B, Title 3, Occupations Code.

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