1-1 By: Hegar S.B. No. 1712 1**-**2 1**-**3 (In the Senate - Filed March 10, 2009; March 20, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Intergovernmental Relations; April 6, 2009, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0; April 6, 2009, sent to printer.) 1-4 1-5 1-6 1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT relating to the authority of the Matagorda County Hospital District 1-8 1-9 of Matagorda County, Texas, to lease property. 1-10 1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: SECTION 1. Section 1057.106, Special District Local Laws Code, is amended to read as follows: 1-12 The board may lease district 1-13 Sec. 1057.106. LEASES. (a) property, including facilities or equipment, to individuals, companies, corporations, or other legal entities on terms the board 1-14 1**-**15 1**-**16 determines further the district's purposes. 1-17 (b) The term of a lease under this section may not exceed 99 $\left[\frac{25}{2}\right]$ years. 1-18 1-19 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 1-20 1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this 1-22 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-23 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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