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H.B. No. 3149

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3149:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to pilot programs to implement a management methodology
3 for the improvement of operations and reduction of costs for
4 certain state agencies.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 301, Labor Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 301.068 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 301.068. EFFICIENCY PILOT PROGRAM. (a) The
9 commission shall establish a pilot program to:

10 (1) improve the efficiency and quality of commission
11 operations while reducing costs; and

12 (2) adopt a structured approach for identifying the
13 wasteful use of state resources and improving commission processes.

14 (b) In implementing the pilot program, the commission shall
15 use:

16 (1) a methodology that includes a define, measure,
17 analyze, improve, and control structure for reviewing project
18 management;

19 (2) a continuous improvement technique that:

20 (A) identifies value and a value stream;

21 (B) creates a flow for activities;

22 (C) allows consumers to pull products or services
23 through the process; and

24 (D) allows for the process to be perfected over

1 time; and

2 (3) a measurement system analysis to evaluate data.

3 (c) The commission shall conduct an internal performance
4 audit to assess the effectiveness of the pilot program implemented
5 under this section.

6 (d) Not later than August 1, 2012, the commission shall
7 submit a written report of the results of the performance audit to
8 the:

9 (1) governor;

10 (2) lieutenant governor;

11 (3) speaker of the house of representatives;

12 (4) Senate Committee on Government Organization;

13 (5) House Government Efficiency and Reform Committee;

14 and

15 (6) house and senate committees with primary
16 jurisdiction over state affairs.

17 (e) The commission shall implement the pilot program from
18 available funds that may be used for that purpose.

19 (f) A state agency, other than the commission, may implement
20 the pilot program established under this section with respect to
21 the agency. An agency that implements the pilot program shall:

22 (1) conduct the performance audit and submit the
23 written report in the time and manner described by Subsections (c)
24 and (d); and

25 (2) use available resources to fund the pilot program.

26 (g) A report required by this section may be submitted
27 electronically.

1 (h) This section expires September 1, 2013.

2 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
3 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
4 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
5 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
6 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.