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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to the definition of "advanced life support" for the
- 3 purposes of providing emergency medical services.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Subdivision (1), Section 773.003, Health and
- 6 Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:
- 7 (1) "Advanced life support" means emergency
- 8 prehospital care that uses invasive medical acts, including an
- 9 advanced life support assessment.
- 10 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 11 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 12 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 13 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 14 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.