

AN ACT

relating to premium payment assistance for insurance coverage for hemophilia medical treatment.

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

SECTION 1. Section 41.002, Health and Safety Code, is amended by adding Subsection (d) to read as follows:

(d) In addition to providing financial assistance under Subsection (c), the department may assist an eligible person in obtaining insurance by providing premium payment assistance.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1038 was passed by the House on April 22, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 128, Nays 14, 2 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1038 was passed by the Senate on May 26, 2015, by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 2.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor