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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend H.B. No. 1 (house committee report) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION _____. Effective September 1, 2017, Section
5 1003.055, Health and Safety Code, as added by Chapter 697 (H.B.
6 810), Acts of the 85th Legislature, Regular Session, 2017, as
7 effective September 1, 2017, is amended by adding Subsection (f) to
8 read as follows:

9 (f) If the Texas Medical Board does not adopt rules under
10 this section on or before March 1, 2018, the board may not take a
11 disciplinary action against a physician, who otherwise complies
12 with applicable law, for administering an investigational stem cell
13 treatment under this subchapter. This subsection may not be
14 construed to exempt a physician from complying with rules adopted
15 under this subchapter after that date.