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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to license renewal for certain child-care facilities and
- 3 registered family homes.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 42.048(f), Human Resources Code, is
- 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 (f) A license must be issued if the department determines
- 8 that a facility meets all requirements. The evaluation shall be
- 9 based on one or more visits to the facility and a review of required
- 10 forms and records. A license is valid until [the license expires,
- 11 $\frac{is}{is}$] revoked[τ] or [$\frac{is}{is}$] surrendered.
- 12 SECTION 2. Section 42.050, Human Resources Code, is amended
- 13 to read as follows:
- Sec. 42.050. LICENSE RENEWAL. (a) A license holder may
- 15 apply for [renewal of] a new license in compliance with the
- 16 requirements of this chapter and department rules.
- 17 (b) The application for $[\frac{\text{renewal of}}{\text{renewal of}}]$ a $\frac{\text{new}}{\text{new}}$ license must be
- 18 completed and decided on by the department before the expiration of
- 19 the license under which a facility is operating.
- 20 (c) The department shall evaluate the application for
- 21 [renewal of] a new license to determine if all licensing
- 22 requirements are met. The evaluation may include a specified
- 23 number of visits to the facility and must include a review of all
- 24 required forms and records.

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[(d) The executive commissioner shall adopt rules governing
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 2 the license renewal process for all licenses issued under this
 3 chapter. The rules must include:
                [<del>(1) renewal periods;</del>
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                [<del>(2)</del> a process for staggered renewals;
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                [(3) a process for resolving a late application for
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    renewal;
                [(4) expiration dates; and
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                [<del>(5) conditions for renewal.</del>]
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          SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.
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