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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to training and continuing education requirements for
- 3 certain long-term care facilities.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 22.039(b), Human Resources Code, is
- 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 (b) The department shall require a surveyor to complete a
- 8 basic training program before the surveyor inspects, surveys, or
- 9 investigates a long-term care facility. The training for a
- 10 surveyor who does not have previous experience working in a
- 11 <u>long-term care facility</u> must include observation of the operations
- 12 of a long-term care facility unrelated to the survey, inspection,
- 13 or investigation process for a minimum of 10 working days within a
- 14 14-day period.
- 15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.