By:  González of El Paso, Walle, Toth H.B. No. 541

     (Senate Sponsor - Zaffirini)

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019; April 17, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs; May 14, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 14, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Huffman         X

Hughes          X

Birdwell        X

Creighton       X

Fallon          X

Hall            X

Lucio           X

Nelson          X

Zaffirini       X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the right to express breast milk.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 165.002, Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 165.002.  RIGHT TO BREAST-FEED OR EXPRESS BREAST MILK. A mother is entitled to breast-feed her baby or express breast milk in any location in which the mother's presence [~~mother~~] is otherwise authorized [~~to be~~].

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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