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H.B. No. 603

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to certain complaints concerning the Texas Medical Board.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 154, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Section 154.0555 to read as follows:

Sec. 154.0555. SUBMISSION OF CERTAIN COMPLAINTS TO LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES. (a) The board shall submit to each standing committee of the legislature having primary jurisdiction over the board a copy of any complaint submitted to the board by a license holder regarding the board or an employee of the board, including a complaint regarding the manner in which the board has conducted an investigation of the license holder.

(b) The board shall submit the complaint and any related information provided to the board not later than the 30th day after the date the board receives the complaint or information.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only to a complaint filed on or after the effective date of this Act. A complaint filed before the effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the date the complaint was filed, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.