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H.B. No. 2213

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the issuance of a temporary license by the Texas Board
3 of Nursing to a military service member, military veteran, or
4 military spouse.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter F, Chapter 301, Occupations Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 301.2601 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 301.2601. TEMPORARY LICENSE FOR MILITARY SERVICE
9 MEMBER, MILITARY VETERAN, OR MILITARY SPOUSE. The board shall
10 adopt rules to expedite the issuance of a temporary license under
11 Section 301.260 to an applicant who is a military service member,
12 military veteran, or military spouse, as those terms are defined by
13 Section 55.001.

14 SECTION 2. Not later than January 1, 2020, the Texas Board
15 of Nursing shall adopt the rules required by Section 301.2601,
16 Occupations Code, as added by this Act.

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