

By: Thompson of Harris, Longoria

H.B. No. 2235

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the amount credited in a state fiscal year to the
3 judicial fund to provide basic civil legal services.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 402.007(d), Government Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 (d) The total amount credited to the judicial fund for
8 programs approved by the supreme court that provide basic civil
9 legal services to the indigent under Subsection (b) may not exceed
10 \$50 million per state fiscal year [~~biennium~~].

11 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
12 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
13 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
14 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
15 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.