By: Zerwas H.B. No. 2570

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to the award of grants by the Cancer Prevention and
3	Research Institute of Texas Oversight Committee and to the payment
4	of claims related to those grants by the comptroller of public
5	accounts.
6	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
7	SECTION 1. Section 403.071(b), Government Code, is amended
8	to read as follows:
9	(b) A claim may not be paid from an appropriation unless the
10	claim is presented to the comptroller for payment not later than two
11	years after the end of the fiscal year for which the appropriation
12	was made. However, a claim may be presented:
13	(1) not later than four years after the end of the
14	fiscal year for which the appropriation from which the claim is to
15	be paid was made if the appropriation relates to $\underline{:}$
16	(A) new construction contracts;
17	(B) [, to] grants awarded under Chapter 391,
18	Health and Safety Code <u>;</u>
19	$\underline{\text{(C)}}$ [${}$, or to] repair and remodeling projects that
20	exceed the amount of \$20,000, including furniture and other
21	equipment $\underline{\mathrm{and}}[_{m{ au}}]$ architects' and engineering fees $\underline{\boldsymbol{ au}}$ $[_{m{ au}}]$ and
22	(D) other costs related to the contracts or
23	projects <u>; or</u>

(2) not later than seven years after the end of the

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- 1 fiscal year for which the appropriation from which the claim is to
- 2 be paid was made if the appropriation relates to grants awarded
- 3 <u>under Chapter 102, Health and Safety Code</u>.
- 4 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.