House Bill 3803

Senate Amendments Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SENATE VERSION (CS)

CONFERENCE

SECTION 1. Section 252.065(b), Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The penalty for a facility with fewer than 60 beds shall be not less than \$100 or more than \$1,000 for each violation. The penalty for a facility with 60 beds or more shall be not less than \$100 or more than \$5,000 for each violation. Each day a violation occurs or continues is a separate violation for purposes of imposing a penalty. The total amount of a penalty assessed under this subsection for each day a violation occurs or continues may not exceed:

(1) \$5,000 for a facility with fewer than 60 beds; and

(2) \$25,000 for a facility with 60 beds or more.

SECTION 1. Same as House version.

No equivalent provision.

SECTION 2. The Health and Human Services Commission is required to implement a provision of this Act only if the legislature appropriates money to the commission specifically for that purpose. If the legislature does not appropriate money specifically for that purpose, the commission may, but is not required to, implement a provision of this Act using other appropriations that are available for that purpose.

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

SECTION 3. Same as House version.

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