By: Romero, Jr. H.B. No. 1364

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

2 relating to referring children to local workforce development

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 302.0461, Labor Code, is amended by

6 adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

boards for subsidized child care services.

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7 (e) A local workforce development board may allow a child

8 care provider with whom the board contracts under Subsection (a) to

9 identify and refer to the board children who could be eligible for

10 <u>subsidized child care services</u>. In making a referral under this

11 subsection, the child care provider shall consider whether the

12 child or the child's parent is a member of a group entitled to a

13 priority in the provision of services provided by or in cooperation

14 with the commission, including a priority described by Section

15 302.152 of this code or Section 264.121(a)(3), Family Code.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.