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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to occupational licensing of inmates in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 53.021, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Subsection (b-1) to read as follows:

(b-1)  Subsection (b) does not prohibit a licensing authority from accepting an application from an inmate imprisoned in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.