1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to a pharmacist's authority to dispense ivermectin without
- 3 a prescription.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Subtitle A, Title 6, Health and Safety Code, is
- 6 amended by adding Chapter 446 to read as follows:
- 7 CHAPTER 446. IVERMECTIN
- 8 Sec. 446.001. SALE OF IVERMECTIN WITHOUT A PRESCRIPTION;
- 9 ESTABLISHING PROTECTIONS. (a) A pharmacist may dispense
- 10 ivermectin to a person, without requiring a prescription order from
- 11 <u>a licensed health care practitioner, in accordance with any written</u>
- 12 standardized procedures or protocols issued by the Texas State
- 13 Board of Pharmacy, including, if required, providing the person
- 14 with instructions on the proper use of ivermectin.
- 15 (b) Notwithstanding any other law, a pharmacist acting in a
- 16 reasonably prudent manner is not criminally or civilly liable or
- 17 subject to professional disciplinary action for dispensing
- 18 ivermectin in accordance with this section.
- Sec. 446.002. RULES. The Texas State Board of Pharmacy may
- 20 adopt the rules necessary to implement this chapter.
- 21 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
- 22 last day of the legislative session.

Preside	nt of the Senate	Speaker of the House
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	y the following vote:	Yeas 87, Nays 47, 1 present, not
voting.		
		Chief Clerk of the House
I certify that H.B. No. 25 was passed by the Senate on August		
27, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 20, Nays 6.		
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APPROVED:		
	Date	
	Governor	