

AN ACT

relating to patient data maintained by pharmacy benefit managers.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 4151, Insurance Code, is amended by adding Section 4151.1531 to read as follows:

Sec. 4151.1531. SECURITY OF PATIENT DATA. A pharmacy benefit manager may not store or process patient data for a resident of this state in a location outside of the United States or its territories.

SECTION 2. Section 4151.1531, Insurance Code, as added by this Act, applies only to a contract entered into or renewed on or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

H.B. No. 3233

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3233 was passed by the House on May 12, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 141, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting; and that the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 3233 on May 29, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 137, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 3233 was passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 25, 2025, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor