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H.B. No. 3465

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the prohibited administration of a vaccine containing
3 mRNA material to certain animals intended for human consumption.

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

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 161, Agriculture Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 161.0425 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 161.0425. PROHIBITED ADMINISTRATION OF VACCINE
8 CONTAINING MRNA MATERIAL. (a) In this section, "mRNA material"
9 means a substance that introduces messenger ribonucleic acid (mRNA)
10 corresponding to a viral protein.

11 (b) The commission shall adopt rules to prohibit the
12 administration of a vaccine containing mRNA material to livestock
13 and domestic fowl intended for human consumption.

14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.