By: Orr, Shofner H.B. No. 3800

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 3800:

By: VanDeaver C.S.H.B. No. 3800

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to an advisory board established to develop a resource
- 3 guide that facilitates collaboration in identifying and addressing
- 4 local health care workforce needs.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. (a) In this section:
- 7 (1) "Advisory board" means the advisory board
- 8 established under this section.
- 9 (2) "Commission" means the Texas Workforce
- 10 Commission.
- 11 (3) "Executive director" means the executive director
- 12 of the Texas Workforce Commission.
- 13 (b) The commission shall establish an advisory board to
- 14 develop a resource guide that facilitates collaborations among
- 15 health care providers and institutions of higher education in more
- 16 effectively identifying and addressing local health care workforce
- 17 needs, including training, workforce shortages, and challenging
- 18 workloads.
- 19 (c) The advisory board consists of the following members
- 20 appointed by the executive director:
- 21 (1) one member from a two-year institution of higher
- 22 education in an urban area;
- 23 (2) one member from a two-year institution of higher
- 24 education in a rural area;

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- 1 (3) one member from a public four-year institution of
- 2 higher education in an urban area;
- 3 (4) one member from a public four-year institution of
- 4 higher education in a rural area;
- 5 (5) three members representing local workforce
- 6 development boards in geographically diverse areas of this state;
- 7 (6) two members from statewide organizations
- 8 representing hospitals;
- 9 (7) two members from statewide organizations
- 10 representing health care professionals;
- 11 (8) two members from statewide organizations
- 12 representing public health clinics; and
- 13 (9) one member from the Texas Association of Community
- 14 Health Centers.
- 15 (d) The advisory board shall elect from among the members a
- 16 presiding officer.
- 17 (e) The advisory board shall meet periodically and at the
- 18 call of the presiding officer.
- 19 (f) Not later than November 1, 2026, the commission shall
- 20 prepare and submit to the legislature the resource guide developed
- 21 under Subsection (b) of this section.
- 22 (g) The advisory board is abolished and this section expires
- 23 September 1, 2027.
- 24 SECTION 2. As soon as practicable after the effective date
- 25 of this Act, the executive director of the Texas Workforce
- 26 Commission shall appoint members to the advisory board established
- 27 by this Act.

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