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S.B. No. 1010

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to patient stay reports submitted by freestanding emergency medical care facilities.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 254, Health and Safety Code, is amended by adding Section 254.1535 to read as follows:

Sec. 254.1535. REQUIRED PATIENT STAY REPORT. (a) In addition to any other information the executive commissioner requires by rule, a facility shall submit to the Health and Human Services Commission in the form and manner the commission requires a report on each patient stay that exceeds 48 hours.

(b) A facility is not required to submit to the Health and Human Services Commission a report on a patient stay that is 48 hours or less.

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