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AN ACT

relating to use of funds by Nueces County Hospital District.

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

SECTION 1. Section 281.094, Health and Safety Code, is amended by amending Subsection (b) to read as follows:

(b) The board of the Nueces County Hospital District may use funds made available to the district from any source to fund indigent health care and intergovernmental transfers to the Texas Health and Human Services Commission for the non-federal share of Medicaid supplemental, waiver-related, or other similar payments to healthcare providers located in or outside of the district.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.