CHAPTER 863

S.B. No. 1452

An Act relating to a transfer of funds and supplemental appropriations to the Disaster Contingency Fund, to the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy, to the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, and to The Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. The sum of \$3,000,000 is transferred from the General Revenue Fund to the Disaster Contingency Fund; and that sum is appropriated to the Office of the Governor, in addition to funds previously appropriated, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1985, for the purpose of implementing the Texas Disaster Act of 1975, as amended (Article 6889-7, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes).

SECTION 2. In addition to sums previously appropriated by the current General Appropriations Act, the sum of \$1,700,000 is appropriated to the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation from the General Revenue Fund for the period ending August 31, 1985, for the purpose of paying utility expenses. The department may transfer such amounts of this supplemental appropriation as necessary to the appropriate utility accounts of the institutions of the department.

SECTION 3. In addition to the sums appropriated by the current General Appropriations Act from the Public Accountancy Fund (470) to the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy, the sum of \$31,297 is appropriated from that fund to the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy for the period ending August 31, 1985, to pay for costs associated with the employment of a chief accountant and for processing of complaints against those in violation of the Public Accountancy Act of 1979, as amended.

SECTION 4. In addition to sums previously appropriated by the current General Appropriations Act, the sum of \$10,000 is appropriated to The Board of Chiropractic Examiners from the Chiropractic Examiners Fund No. 140 for the period ending August 31, 1985, for the purpose of program administration.

SECTION 5. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed the Senate on May 16, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; Senate concurred in House amendments on May 27, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed subject to the provisions of Article III, Section 49a of the Constitution of Texas; passed the House, with amendments, on May 25, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 127, Nays 16, one present not voting; passed subject to the provisions of Article III, Section 49a of the Constitution of Texas.

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