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H.B. No. 3679

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the certification requirements of lifeguards and swimming instructors in the state of Texas.

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

SECTION 1. Section 65.001, Health and Safety Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Sec. 65.001. LIFEGUARD CERTIFICATION. Swimming instructors and lifeguards at public swimming pools must be certified by the American Red Cross, the Y.M.C.A., or other nationally recognized aquatic training program, in swimming instruction, first aid, CPR, and be trained in drowning risk prevention.

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, 2015.