

Committee: (State Affairs) _____

RESOLUTION

Require training in aging issues for health care professionals

A RESOLUTION TO: Amend the 2005-2010 Texas State Health Plan to include health related issues related to the aging.

WHEREAS, Seniors over the age of 65 in the State of Texas is expected to double from 2000 to 2030; and

WHEREAS, Health care professionals are required to be certified and/or re-certified by the Texas Department of Health; and

WHEREAS, The State of Texas has adopted a Texas State Health Plan for the years 2005-2020: now, therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the 10th Texas Silver-Haired Legislature urges the 79th Texas Legislature to require, as a condition of certification or re-certification of health care professionals, training in issues related to the aging.

PASSED AND APPROVED this ____ day of September, 2004, by

the _____ Committee,

Chair

PASSED AND APPROVED this ____ day of September, 2004, by

by the Texas Silver-Haired Legislature.

Chris Kyker, Speaker

ATTEST:

Al Campbell, Secretary