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HOUSE HUMAN SERIVCES COMMITTEE

SB 2274

SUBMITTED BY SEN DAVID CLEMENS

**DISTRICT 16** 

I AM DAVID CLEMENS AND REPRESENT DISTRICT 16 IN THE SENATE. I AM HERE TO INTRODUCE SB 2274.

CURRENT STATUTE STATES THAT NEITHER A STATE GOVERNMENT ENTITY NOR ANY OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, AGENTS, OR ASSIGNS MAY:

a. REQUIRE DOCUMENTATION, WHETHER PHYSICAL OR ELECTRONIC, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CERTIFYING OR OTHERWISE COMMUNICATING THE FOLLOWING BEFORE PROVIDING ACCESS TO PROPERTY, FUNDS, OR SERVICES:

 (1) AN INDIVIDUAL'S COVID-19 VACCINATION STATUS.

WHAT SB 2274 DOES, IS ADD THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE TO SUBSECTION 1, a, (1), AFTER THE WORD STATUS, "OR VACCINATION STATUS FOR A VACCINE THAT IS UNDER EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION FROM THE FEDERAL FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION."

EMERGENCY USE IS A VACCINE THAT HAS NOT YET BEEN APPROVED BY THE FEDERAL FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION. THIS BILL WOULD THEN ADDRESS THE REQUIREMENT OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S COVID-19 AND EMERGENCY USE VACCINE STATUS.

I HEREBY ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF SB 2274 WITH A DO PASS RECOMMENDATION.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

**SEN DAVID CLEMENS**