

PROCLAMATION
BY THE
Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, Rick Perry, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove of and veto House Bill No. 2807 passed by the Seventy-Seventh Texas Legislature, Regular Session, because of the following objections:

House Bill No. 2807 would require a demonstration project to extend Medicaid coverage to certain low-income individuals to be developed and implemented concurrently with the anticipated reorganization of the Medicaid system. Additional duties, such as this demonstration project, would require the commission's supervision and labor. Over the next several months, the commission's primary focus must be on establishing sound and effective management of the Medicaid program.

Since the Legislature, by its adjournment has prevented the return of this bill, I am filing these objections in the office of the Secretary of State and giving notice thereof by this public proclamation according to the aforementioned constitutional provision.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 17th day of June, 2001.

Rick Perry
Rick Perry
Governor of Texas

ATTESTED BY:

Henry Cuellar
Henry Cuellar, Ph.D.
Secretary of State

June 17, 2001
Austin, Texas

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE
10:30 P.M. O'CLOCK

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Secretary of State