

BILL ANALYSIS

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DIGEST AND PURPOSE

Under current law, the Big Bend Regional Hospital District board of directors is not expressly authorized to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of property, facilities, or equipment on behalf of the district. H.B. 83 authorizes the board to sell or otherwise dispose of property, facilities, or equipment.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 12, Chapter 643, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965, by adding Subsections (i) and (j), as follows:

- (i) Authorizes the board of directors (board) of the Big Bend Regional Hospital District (district) to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of property, facilities, or equipment on behalf of the district. Requires sale or other disposal of the property, facilities, or equipment to be at a public sale and at a price and on the terms the board determines are most advantageous to the district.
- (j) Authorizes the board to donate to another governmental entity or to a charitable organization any surplus personal property or equipment if the donation serves a public purpose and is accompanied by adequate consideration.

SECTION 2. Effective date: upon passage or September 1, 2001.