

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to X-linked myotubular myopathy;
 3 amending s. 393.063, F.S.; revising the definition of
 4 the term "developmental disability" to include a
 5 disorder or syndrome attributable to X-linked
 6 myotubular myopathy; defining the term "X-linked
 7 myotubular myopathy"; providing an effective date.

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 9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 11 Section 1. Subsection (12) of section 393.063, Florida
 12 Statutes, is amended, and subsection (46) is added to that
 13 section, to read:

14 393.063 Definitions.—For the purposes of this chapter, the
 15 term:

16 (12) "Developmental disability" means a disorder or
 17 syndrome that is attributable to intellectual disability,
 18 cerebral palsy, autism, spina bifida, Down syndrome, Phelan-
 19 McDermid syndrome, ~~or~~ Prader-Willi syndrome, or X-linked
 20 myotubular myopathy; that manifests before the age of 18; and
 21 that constitutes a substantial handicap that can reasonably be
 22 expected to continue indefinitely.

23 (46) "X-linked myotubular myopathy" means a diagnosed,
 24 inherited, genetic neuromuscular disorder characterized by mild
 25 to profound muscle weakness, diminished muscle tone or

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26 | hypotonia, feeding difficulties, ophthalmoplegia, areflexia,
27 | scoliosis, joint deformities, or potentially severe breathing
28 | difficulties.

29 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019.