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85(R) HB 136 Author: Bell | et al. Sponsor: Uresti

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to inclusion of career and technology education in the mission of public education.

85(R) HB 156 Author: Raymond Sponsor: Zaffirini

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to establishing a pilot program in designated public high schools in certain municipalities for

placement of students in Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps programs as an alternative to placement in

disciplinary or juvenile justice alternative education programs.

85(R) HB 264 Author: Hernandez Sponsor: Garcia

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to public outreach materials to foster awareness of certain public school curriculum requirements.

85(R) HB 355 Author: Raney | et al. Sponsor: Buckingham

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to prohibiting certain sex offenders from residing on the campus of a public or private institution of

higher education.

85(R) HB 493 Author: Perez | et al. Sponsor: Campbell

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective on 1/1/18

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to reporting requirements for the College Credit for Heroes program.

85(R) HB 639 Author: Anderson, Charles "Doc" | et al. Sponsor: Menéndez

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to authorizing the purchase of certain insurance coverage by public schools for the benefit of

businesses and students participating in career and technology programs and providing for immunity from

liability of certain public school students participating in career and technology programs.

85(R) HB 655 Author: Clardy | et al. Sponsor: Zaffirini

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the filing of a degree plan by students at public junior colleges.

85(R) HB 657 Author: Bernal | et al. Sponsor: Menéndez

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to procedures for a student enrolled in a special education program who fails to perform

satisfactorily on certain assessment instruments.

85(R) HB 674 Author: Johnson, Eric | et al. Sponsor: Garcia | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the suspension of a student enrolled in a grade level below grade three from public school and to

a positive behavior program for public schools.

85(R) HB 728 Author: Guerra | et al. Sponsor: Hinojosa | et al.

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the establishment by the State Board of Education of an advanced computer science program for

high school students.

85(R) HB 1075 Author: Thompson, Ed Sponsor: Hancock

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the frequency of criminal background checks for sports officials registered with the University

Interscholastic League.

85(R) HB 1076 Author: Oliverson | et al. Sponsor: Huffines

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the mandatory spinal screening of public and private school students.

85(R) HB 1469 Author: Bailes Sponsor: Schwertner

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to qualifications for certain teachers employed by certain open-enrollment charter schools.

85(R) HB 1472 Author: Capriglione | et al. Sponsor: Nelson

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to investment by a public junior college district of public funds received from the management and

development of mineral rights.

85(R) HB 1638 Author: Guillen Sponsor: West | et al.

Last Action 05/23/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to statewide goals for dual credit programs provided by school districts.

85(R) HB 1645 Author: Lozano | et al. Sponsor: Zaffirini | et al.

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requiring certain school districts to allow students who participate in Special Olympics to earn a

letter on that basis.

85(R) HB 1913 Author: Geren Sponsor: Nelson

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the required qualifications for serving as president of the University of North Texas Health

Science Center at Fort Worth and to the prohibition against the award of certain degrees by the center's

governing board.

85(R) HB 2010 Author: Bonnen, Greg Sponsor: Taylor, Larry

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to providing workplace safety training information for use in the public school curriculum.

85(R) HB 2087 Author: VanDeaver | et al. Sponsor: Taylor, Larry

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to restricting the use of covered information, including student personally identifiable information,

by an operator of a website, online service, online application, or mobile application for a school purpose.

85(R) HB 2130 Author: Roberts | et al. Sponsor: Menéndez | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a study conducted by the Texas Education Agency regarding the statewide assessment program

in relation to students in special education programs.

85(R) HB 2194 Author: King, Phil | et al. Sponsor: Estes

Last Action 05/22/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the board of trustees of the Weatherford Junior College District.

85(R) HB 2263 Author: Gooden Sponsor: West

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to continued monitoring of certain public school campuses that have been assigned a campus

intervention team and the approval and modification of a campus turnaround plan submitted by a school

district.

85(R) HB 2431 Author: Deshotel Sponsor: Creighton

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the participation of public state colleges in the Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Grant

Program.

85(R) HB 2537 Author: Guerra Sponsor: West

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requiring public schools to provide information to certain students on the availability of financial

assistance for postsecondary education.

85(R) HB 2729 Author: Lucio III Sponsor: Miles

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to an inventory of credentials and certificates that may be earned by a public high school student

through a career and technology education program.

85(R) HB 2790 Author: White | et al. Sponsor: Miles

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to funding for certain apprenticeship training programs.

85(R) HB 2937 Author: Canales | et al. Sponsor: Lucio | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the establishment of a pilot program under which a licensed hospital may offer dual credit

courses to public high school students.

85(R) HB 2994 Author: Ashby | et al. Sponsor: Hinojosa

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to workforce continuing education offered by public junior colleges.

85(R) HB 3024 Author: Price | et al. Sponsor: Birdwell

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the removal of a public school student from an interscholastic athletic activity on the basis of a

suspected concussion.

85(R) HB 3157 Author: Bonnen, Dennis Sponsor: Huffman

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requirements for screenings in public or private schools to detect vision disorders of students.

85(R) HB 3526 Author: Howard Sponsor: Taylor, Larry

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to instructional materials and technology for public schools.

85(R) HB 3563 Author: Koop Sponsor: Taylor, Van

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to parental notification regarding public school teacher qualifications.

85(R) SB 7 Author: Bettencourt | et al. Sponsor: King, Ken | et al.

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to improper relationships between educators and students and reporting of educator misconduct;

creating a criminal offense and expanding the applicability of an existing offense; authorizing an

administrative penalty.

85(R) SB 22 Author: Taylor, Larry | et al. Sponsor: Lucio III | et al.

Last Action 05/27/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the establishment of a Pathways in Technology Early College High School (P-TECH) program

and to the repeal of the tech-prep program.

85(R) SB 160 Author: Rodríguez | et al. Sponsor: Wu | et al.

Last Action 05/22/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a prohibition of a monitoring system performance indicator based solely on the number or

percentage of students receiving special education services.

85(R) SB 179 Author: Menéndez | et al. Sponsor: Minjarez | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to harassment, bullying, and cyberbullying of a public school student or minor and certain mental

health programs for public school students; increasing a criminal penalty.

85(R) SB 195 Author: Garcia | et al. Sponsor: Allen

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to funding under the transportation allotment for public school students subject to a high risk of

violence while walking to school.

85(R) SB 276 Author: Watson | et al. Sponsor: Parker

Last Action 05/23/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to an adult high school diploma and industry certification charter school pilot program.

85(R) SB 286 Author: Nichols Sponsor: Gooden

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the governing board of the Trinity Valley Community College District.

85(R) SB 331 Author: West Sponsor: Rose | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the temporary approval of a private or independent college or university to continue to participate

in the tuition equalization grant program.

85(R) SB 436 Author: Rodríguez Sponsor: Uresti, Tomas

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the operation of the special education continuing advisory committee.

85(R) SB 463 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: Huberty | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E See remarks for effective date

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the use of individual graduation committees to satisfy certain public high school graduation

requirements and other alternative methods to satisfy certain public high school graduation requirements.

85(R) SB 489 Author: Lucio | et al. Sponsor: Alvarado

Last Action 05/28/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to recommendations regarding instruction in public schools to prevent the use of e-cigarettes.

85(R) SB 490 Author: Lucio Sponsor: Huberty | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to school counselors in public schools.

85(R) SB 491 Author: Watson | et al. Sponsor: Howard

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the statewide preceptorship program in family medicine.

85(R) SB 537 Author: Hinojosa Sponsor: Lozano

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requiring the disclosure of special course fees at public institutions of higher education.

85(R) SB 579 Author: Taylor, Van Sponsor: Cortez

Last Action 05/22/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the use of epinephrine auto-injectors on private school campuses and at or in transit to or from

off-campus school events.

85(R) SB 587 Author: Campbell Sponsor: VanDeaver | et al.

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the state virtual school network, including the ability of certain dependents of members of the

United States military to enroll full-time in courses provided through the network.

85(R) SB 671 Author: Campbell | et al. Sponsor: Guillen

Last Action 05/22/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the public high school graduation credit requirements for a language other than English.

85(R) SB 719 Author: Zaffirini Sponsor: Raney

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requiring the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to collect, study, and report certain

data regarding workforce education programs.

85(R) SB 725 Author: Miles | et al. Sponsor: Bernal | et al.

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the donation and distribution of food at public schools.

85(R) SB 748 Author: Zaffirini | et al. Sponsor: Allen

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to transition planning for a public school student enrolled in a special education program.

85(R) SB 801 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: King, Ken

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the instructional material list and supplemental instructional materials adopted by the State Board

of Education.

85(R) SB 802 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: Howard

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a study and report regarding best practices in the transfer of course credit between public

institutions of higher education.

85(R) SB 810 Author: Kolkhorst | et al. Sponsor: Howard

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the purchase and use of open educational resources.

85(R) SB 825 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Huberty

Last Action 06/09/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to school district discretion to administer college preparation assessment instruments to public

school students at state cost.

85(R) SB 826 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Huberty

Last Action 05/29/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the sequencing of required English language arts courses and mathematics courses in schools and

conforming changes.

85(R) SB 887 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: Clardy | et al.

Last Action 05/27/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a requirement that certain participating institutions under the student loan program administered

by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board provide loan debt information to certain students.

85(R) SB 968 Author: Watson | et al. Sponsor: Alvarado | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a sexual assault policy at certain public and private institutions of higher education and to

requiring those institutions to provide students and employees an option to electronically report certain

offenses to the institution.

85(R) SB 969 Author: Watson | et al. Sponsor: Leach | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requiring certain public and private institutions of higher education to provide amnesty to

students who report certain incidents, including sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, or

stalking.

85(R) SB 1005 Author: Campbell Sponsor: Deshotel

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the use of certain assessment instruments as secondary exit-level assessment instruments to allow

certain public school students to receive a high school diploma.

85(R) SB 1033 Author: Perry Sponsor: Frullo

Last Action 05/23/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to authorization for the conveyance of certain real property from Texas Tech University to Texas

Tech University Health Sciences Center.

85(R) SB 1051 Author: Watson Sponsor: Dutton

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the accommodation of a deaf or hard of hearing student in driver education; authorizing a fee.

85(R) SB 1066 Author: Schwertner | et al. Sponsor: Lozano

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to meeting the graduate medical education needs of new medical degree programs offered by public

institutions of higher education and to the employment status of certain residents participating in certain

graduate medical education programs.

85(R) SB 1091 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: Howard | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to limitations on courses that may be offered for dual credit by school districts and public

institutions of higher education.

85(R) SB 1123 Author: Zaffirini | et al. Sponsor: Clardy

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to conditions on the receipt of tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education

for adopted students formerly in foster or other residential care.

85(R) SB 1152 Author: Menéndez | et al. Sponsor: Rodriguez, Justin

Last Action 05/28/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to excused absences from public school for the purpose of pursuing enlistment in a branch of the

armed services of the United States or the Texas National Guard.

85(R) SB 1153 Author: Menéndez | et al. Sponsor: Huberty

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to parental rights and information regarding certain intervention strategies used with public school

students.

85(R) SB 1177 Author: Hughes | et al. Sponsor: Koop

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requirements for charter schools established for the benefit of certain juvenile offenders.

85(R) SB 1318 Author: Taylor, Van Sponsor: Parker

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to designation of mathematics innovation zones by the commissioner of education and to the

establishment of pay for success programs to provide necessary funding.

85(R) SB 1353 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Faircloth

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to state funding for school districts, including a school district to which an academically

unacceptable school district is annexed.

85(R) SB 1367 Author: Menéndez | et al. Sponsor: Howard | et al.

Last Action 05/27/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to policies and training regarding the use of epinephrine auto-injectors by public institutions of

higher education; providing immunity.

85(R) SB 1398 Author: Lucio | et al. Sponsor: Thompson, Senfronia

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the placement and use of video cameras in certain self-contained classrooms or other settings

providing special education services.

85(R) SB 1480 Author: Hughes Sponsor: Murphy | et al.

Last Action 06/01/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the guarantee of school district and charter district bonds by the permanent school fund.

85(R) SB 1837 Author: Hughes | et al. Sponsor: Bohac

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to financial accountability standards for charter schools operated by a public institution of higher

education.

85(R) SB 1839 Author: Hughes | et al. Sponsor: Koop

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the preparation, certification, and classification of and professional development for public

school educators.

85(R) SB 1901 Author: Campbell Sponsor: Huberty

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to Texas Military Heroes Day in public schools.

85(R) SB 1954 Author: Hughes Sponsor: Lozano

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to participation in and contributions to the optional retirement program for certain employees of

institutions of higher education.

85(R) SB 2039 Author: Zaffirini Sponsor: Thompson, Senfronia

Last Action 06/12/2017 E See remarks for effective date

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the development and use of instructional modules and training for public schools on the

prevention of sexual abuse and sex trafficking and participation by the human trafficking prevention task

force in that development.

85(R) SB 2080 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Guillen

Last Action 06/12/2017 E See remarks for effective date

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to a requirement that school districts and open-enrollment charter schools report certain information

regarding children with disabilities who reside in residential facilities.

85(R) SB 2082 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Clardy | et al.

Last Action 05/26/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to the work-study student mentorship program administered by the Texas Higher Education

Coordinating Board.

85(R) SB 2118 Author: Seliger | et al. Sponsor: Davis, Sarah | et al.

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to authorization by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for certain public junior

colleges to offer baccalaureate degree programs.

85(R) SB 2141 Author: Taylor, Larry Sponsor: Howard

Last Action 06/12/2017 E Effective immediately

Caption Version: Enrolled

Caption: Relating to requirements for a representative for a student in a special education due process hearing.