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85(R) HB 22 **Author:** Huberty | et al. **Sponsor:** Taylor, Larry
Last Action 06/15/2017 E Effective immediately
Caption Version: Enrolled
Caption: Relating to public school accountability.
House Committee: Public Education (Out)
Senate Committee: Education (Out)
Comment:

85(R) HB 61 **Author:** Guillen | et al. **Sponsor:** Uresti
Last Action 06/15/2017 E Vetoed by the Governor
Caption Version: Enrolled
Caption: Relating to consideration under the public school accountability system of performance on assessment instruments by certain students formerly receiving special education services and to the placement and use of video cameras in certain self-contained classrooms or other settings providing special education services.
House Committee: Public Education (Out)
Senate Committee: Education (Out)
Comment:

85(R) HB 441 **Author:** Martinez, "Mando" **Sponsor:** Lucio
Last Action 06/15/2017 E Effective immediately
Caption Version: Enrolled
Caption: Relating to operation of public schools on Memorial Day.
House Committee: Public Education (Out)
Senate Committee: Education (Out)
Comment:

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.
House Committee: Public Education (Out)
Senate Committee: Health & Human Services (Out)
Comment:

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.
House Committee: Public Education (Out)
Senate Committee: Education (Out)
Comment:

85(R) HB 1886	Author: Miller et al.	Sponsor: Huffman
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Effective immediately	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to dyslexia screening and testing in public schools, the employment of dyslexia specialists by regional education service centers, the development of a list of training opportunities for educators regarding dyslexia, and transition planning for students enrolled in a special education program.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) HB 2442	Author: King, Ken	Sponsor: Taylor, Larry
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Effective immediately	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to the minutes of operation required for public school districts, charter schools, and other education programs and to calculating the average daily attendance for certain education programs.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) HB 2880	Author: Dutton	Sponsor: Menéndez
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to the criminal punishment for the threatened exhibition or use of a firearm in or on school property or on a school bus.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Criminal Justice (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) HB 3075	Author: Huberty	Sponsor: Garcia
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Effective immediately	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to excluding certain students from the computation of dropout and completion rates for purposes of public school accountability.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		

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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) SB 30	Author: West et al.	Sponsor: Thompson, Senfronia et al.
Last Action	06/09/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to inclusion of instruction regarding interaction with peace officers in the required curriculum for certain public school students and in driver education courses and to civilian interaction training for peace officers.	
House Committee:	Homeland Security & Public Safety (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Criminal Justice (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	State Affairs (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		

85(R) SB 196	Author: Garcia et al.	Sponsor: Coleman
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Vetoed by the Governor	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to a notification requirement if a public school, including an open-enrollment charter school, does not have a nurse, school counselor, or librarian assigned to the school during all instructional hours.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		

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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Veteran Affairs & Border Security (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
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.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) SB 1553	Author: Menéndez et al.	Sponsor: Bernal
Last Action	06/15/2017 E See remarks for effective date	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to certain requirements imposed on a sex offender who enters the premises of a school and to the refusal of entry to or ejection from school district property.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		
85(R) SB 1566	Author: Kolkhorst	Sponsor: King, Ken
Last Action	06/15/2017 E Effective on 9/1/17	
Caption Version:	Enrolled	
Caption:	Relating to certain powers and duties of the board of trustees of an independent school district and the governing body of an open-enrollment charter school and to abolishing certain county boards of education, boards of county school trustees, and offices of county school superintendent.	
House Committee:	Public Education (Out)	
Senate Committee:	Education (Out)	
Comment:		

85(R) SB 1839

Author: Hughes | et al.

Sponsor: Koop

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Caption:

Relating to the preparation, certification, and classification of and professional development for public school educators.

House Committee:

Public Education (Out)

Senate Committee:

Education (Out)

Comment: