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H.B. No. 76

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the consideration of distinction designations in the
3 assignment of district and campus performance ratings under the
4 public school accountability system.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Section 39.054, Education Code, is amended by
7 adding Subsection (a-6) to read as follows:

8 (a-6) For purposes of assigning an overall performance
9 rating for a district or campus under Subsection (a), the
10 commissioner by rule shall adopt a method for evaluating district
11 or campus performance that:

12 (1) provides for:

13 (A) the assignment of a point value to each
14 distinction designation awarded to a district or campus under
15 Subchapter G; and

16 (B) consideration of the number of points earned
17 by a district or campus under Paragraph (A); and

18 (2) ensures that the assigned weight of the total
19 point value for distinction designations does not account for more
20 than seven percent of the overall performance rating.

21 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2024-2025
22 school year.

23 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
24 last day of the legislative session.