By: Lujan H.B. No. 4210

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the appointment and terms of members of a board of

- 3 trustees of a military reservation school district.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 11.352(b), Education Code, is amended to
- 6 read as follows:
- 7 (b) For each military reservation school district, the
- 8 State Board of Education may appoint a board of three or five
- 9 trustees. Enlisted military personnel and military officers may be
- 10 appointed to the school board. A majority of the trustees appointed
- 11 for the district must be civilians and all may be civilians. The
- 12 trustees shall be selected from a list of persons who are qualified
- 13 to serve as members of a school district board of trustees under
- 14 Section 11.061 and who live <u>on</u> or are employed on the military
- 15 reservation. A person who retires from active duty or civilian
- 16 <u>service while serving a term as a member of the board of trustees</u>
- 17 may continue to serve for the remainder of that person's term. The
- 18 list shall be furnished to the board by the [commanding] officer who
- 19 <u>is assigned to serve physically on the installation or military</u>
- 20 reservation on which the military reservation school district is
- 21 located and who provides leadership for the functional support of
- 22 and contingency or emergency coordination for the military
- 23 reservation school district [of the military reservation]. The
- 24 trustees appointed serve terms of three [two] years.

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- SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act does not affect the entitlement of a member serving on the board of trustees of a military reservation school district immediately before the effective date of this Act to continue to serve for the remainder of the member's two year term. As the terms of members expire, the State Board of Education shall appoint or reappoint members to serve three year terms in accordance with Section 11.352(b), Education Code, as amended by this Act.
- 9 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.