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H.B. No. 529

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the ineligibility of a delinquent child support obligor  
3 to receive state-funded or state-administered student financial  
4 assistance.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 231.006(a), Family Code, is amended to  
7 read as follows:

8 (a) A child support obligor who is more than 30 days  
9 delinquent in paying child support and a business entity in which  
10 the obligor is a sole proprietor, partner, shareholder, or owner  
11 with an ownership interest of at least 25 percent is not eligible  
12 to:

13 (1) receive payments from state funds under a contract  
14 to provide property, materials, or services; ~~or~~

15 (2) receive a state-funded grant or loan, including a  
16 scholarship, a loan associated with an educational loan repayment  
17 program, and any other student financial assistance that is  
18 conditioned on the performance of some service obligation after  
19 graduation; or

20 (3) receive a federally funded educational loan that  
21 is administered by the state.

22 SECTION 2. (a) This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

23 (b) The change in law made by this Act applies only to a  
24 contract, grant, or loan that is executed on or after the effective

1 date of this Act. A contract, grant, or loan executed before the  
2 effective date of this Act is covered by the law in effect on the  
3 date the contract, grant, or loan was executed, and the former law  
4 is continued in effect for that purpose.