

1-1 By: McReynolds (Senate Sponsor - Shapiro) H.B. No. 860  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 12, 2003;  
1-3 May 13, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on  
1-4 Education; May 26, 2003, reported favorably by the following vote:  
1-5 Yeas 7, Nays 0, 1 present not voting; May 26, 2003, sent to  
1-6 printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to the use of public school educators' days of service for  
1-10 which instruction is not required.

1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-12 SECTION 1. Section 11.253(e), Education Code, is amended  
1-13 to read as follows:

1-14 (e) In accordance with the administrative procedures  
1-15 established under Section 11.251(b), the campus-level committee  
1-16 shall be involved in decisions in the areas of planning, budgeting,  
1-17 curriculum, staffing patterns, staff development, and school  
1-18 organization. The campus-level committee must approve:

1-19 (1) the portions of the campus plan addressing campus  
1-20 staff development needs; and

1-21 (2) the use of educators' days of service for which  
1-22 instruction is not required, if the campus is rated exemplary under  
1-23 Chapter 39.

1-24 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2003-2004  
1-25 school year.

1-26 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-27 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-28 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-29 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-30 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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