

1-1 By: Madden (Senate Sponsor - Shapiro) H.B. No. 912  
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 9, 2003;  
1-3 April 14, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on  
1-4 Education; May 19, 2003, reported favorably by the following vote:  
1-5 Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 19, 2003, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to the distribution of school district employment policies  
1-9 to teachers employed under term contracts.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 21.204(d), Education Code, is amended  
1-12 to read as follows:

1-13 (d) The board of trustees shall provide each teacher with a  
1-14 copy of the teacher's contract with the school district and, on the  
1-15 teacher's request, a copy of the board's employment policies. If  
1-16 the district has an Internet website, the district shall place the  
1-17 board's employment policies on that website. At each school in the  
1-18 district, the board shall make a copy of the board's employment  
1-19 policies available for inspection at a reasonable time on request.

1-20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-24 Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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