By: Crownover H.B. No. 1363

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to funding for the Texas Academy of Mathematics and
- 3 Science.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 105.301(e), Education Code, is amended
- 6 to read as follows:
- 7 (e) The academy is not subject to the provisions of this
- 8 code, or to the rules of the Texas Education Agency, regulating
- 9 public schools, except that:
- 10 (1) professional employees of the academy are entitled
- 11 to the limited liability of an employee under Section 22.051 or
- 12 22.052;
- 13 (2) a student's attendance at the academy satisfies
- 14 compulsory school attendance requirements; and
- 15 (3) for each student enrolled, the academy is entitled
- 16 to allotments from the foundation school program under Chapter 42
- 17 as if the academy were a school district without a tier one local
- 18 share for purposes of Section 42.253[, except that the academy has a
- 19 local share applied that is equivalent to the local fund assignment
- 20 of the Denton Independent School District].
- 21 SECTION 2. Section 105.301(e), Education Code, as amended
- by this Act, applies beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year.
- SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.