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H.B. No. 1957

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to providing certain notification to a noncustodial parent  
3 of a public school student.

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

5 SECTION 1. Chapter 26, Education Code, is amended by adding  
6 Section 26.013 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 26.013. NOTIFICATION TO NONCUSTODIAL PARENT. On  
8 request of a noncustodial parent of a student, a school or school  
9 district shall provide to the noncustodial parent any notification  
10 or other correspondence that the school or district is required by  
11 law to send to a parent of a student.

12 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2003-2004  
13 school year.

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