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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to trespass on public school grounds.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 4 SECTION 1. Section 37.107, Education Code, is repealed.
- 5 SECTION 2. Section 25.085(e), Education Code, is amended to 6 read as follows:
- 7 (e) A person who voluntarily enrolls in school or
- 8 voluntarily attends school after the person's 18th birthday shall
- 9 attend school each school day for the entire period the program of
- 10 instruction is offered. A school district may revoke for the
- 11 remainder of the school year the enrollment of a person who has more
- 12 than five absences in a semester that are not excused under Section
- 13 25.087. [A person whose enrollment is revoked under this
- 14 subsection may be considered an unauthorized person on school
- 15 <u>district grounds for purposes of Section 37.107.</u>]
- 16 SECTION 3. An offense committed before the effective date
- 17 of this Act is governed by the law in effect when the offense was
- 18 committed, and the former law is continued in effect for that
- 19 purpose. An offense is committed before the effective date of this
- 20 Act if any element of the offense occurs before the effective date.
- 21 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.