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S.B. No. 639

	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1	AN ACT
2	relating to public school district eligibility for state assistance
3	under the existing debt allotment.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Section 46.033, Education Code, is amended to
6	read as follows:
7	Sec. 46.033. ELIGIBLE BONDS. Bonds, including bonds issued
8	under Section 45.006, are eligible to be paid with state and local
9	funds under this subchapter if:
10	(1) the district made payments on the bonds during the
11	school year that began in the second year of the preceding state
12	fiscal biennium [2000-2001 school year] or taxes levied to pay the
13	principal of and interest on the bonds were included in the
14	district's audited debt service collections for that school year;
15	and
16	(2) the district does not receive state assistance
17	under Subchapter A for payment of the principal and interest on the
18	bonds.
19	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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