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H.B. No. 415

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the required public notice of the name of each finalist for the position of superintendent of a public school district.

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

SECTION 1. Section 552.126, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 552.126. EXCEPTION: NAME OF APPLICANT FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT. (a) The name of an applicant for the position of superintendent of a public school district is excepted from the requirements of Section 552.021, except that the board of trustees must give public notice of the name or names of the finalists being considered for the position at least 21 days before the date of the meeting at which a final action or vote is to be taken on the employment of the person.

(b) In addition to the names of persons described by Subsection (a), the public notice required by Subsection (a) must include the name of each applicant the board of trustees interviewed two or more times.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.