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H.B. No. 2733

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to funding for career and technology programs in public  
3 schools.

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

5 SECTION 1. Sections 42.154(a) and (c), Education Code, are  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 (a) For each full-time equivalent student in average daily  
8 attendance in an approved career and technology education program  
9 in grades seven [~~nine~~] through 12, including a [~~or in~~] career and  
10 technology education program [~~programs~~] for students with  
11 disabilities [~~in grades seven through 12~~], a district is entitled  
12 to an annual allotment equal to the adjusted basic allotment  
13 multiplied by a weight of 1.35.

14 (c) Funds allocated under this section, other than an  
15 indirect cost allotment established under State Board of Education  
16 rule, must be used in providing career and technology education  
17 programs in grades seven [~~nine~~] through 12, including [~~or~~] career  
18 and technology education programs for students with disabilities,  
19 [~~in grades seven through 12~~] under Sections 29.182, 29.183, and  
20 29.184.

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