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S.B. No. 824

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to state assistance for instructional facilities in school
3 districts with enrollment growth due to closure and realignment of
4 military bases.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 46.006, Education Code, is amended by
7 adding Subsection (c-1) and amending Subsection (d) to read as
8 follows:

9 (c-1) A district's wealth per student is reduced by 25
10 percent for purposes of this section if the district has had
11 significant student enrollment growth that, as determined by the
12 commissioner, is substantially related to the enrollment of
13 children of military personnel transferred to a military base near
14 the district following the closure or realignment of another
15 military base under the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of
16 1990 (10 U.S.C. Section 2687). The reduction is in addition to any
17 reduction under Subsection (a), (b), or (c) and is computed before
18 the district's wealth per student is reduced under those
19 subsections, if applicable.

20 (d) The commissioner shall adjust the rankings after making
21 the reductions in wealth per student required by Subsections (a),
22 (b), ~~and~~ (c), and (c-1).

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