

Amend CSSB 218 (Senate committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in Subdivision (7), Subsection (b), Section 42.041, Human Resources Code, between "Education Agency" and "or the Southern Association", by inserting ", the Texas Private School Accreditation Commission," (Senate committee printing, page 1, line 33).

(2) In SECTION 2 of the bill in added Subsection (b-1), Section 42.044, Human Resources Code (committee printing, page 2, lines 32-36), strike Subdivision (2) and substitute the following:

(2) an after-school program operated by an entity under contract with an educational facility accredited by the Texas Education Agency, the Texas Private School Accreditation Commission, or the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, if that agency, commission, or association has approved the curriculum content of the after-school program.

(3) Insert new SECTION 4 of the bill (committee printing, page 2, between lines 43 and 44) to read as follows:

SECTION 4. Section 42.054, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

(h) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, the department may not charge the initial license fee or the annual license fee for a licensed child-care facility that exclusively offers an after-school program operated by another entity under contract with the educational facility, if the Texas Education Agency, the Texas Private School Accreditation Commission, or the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools has approved the curriculum content of the after-school program operated under the contract.

(4) In SECTION 4 of the bill (committee printing, page 2, line 44), strike "SECTION 4" and substitute "SECTION 5".