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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 AN ACT 2 relating to the provision of and funding for Saturday classes for 3 elementary school students who fail to pass certain assessment instruments. 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 25, Education Code, is 6 amended by adding Section 25.0812 to read as follows: 7 Sec. 25.0812. SATURDAY CLASSES FOR CERTAIN ELEMENTARY 8 9 SCHOOL STUDENTS. In addition to classes normally held by a school district, a district may hold classes on Saturdays during the 10 regular school year for <u>elementary school students who fail to</u> 11 12 perform satisfactorily on an assessment instrument administered under Sections 39.023(a), (b), and (1). 13 SECTION 2. Section 42.005, Education Code, is amended by 14 adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows: 15 16 (a-1) A school district is entitled to funding under this chapter for students in average daily attendance in a class 17 18 described by Section 25.0812. For purposes of this subsection, average daily attendance is the quotient of the sum of attendance 19 for each day a program under that section is provided divided by the 20 21 number of days the program is provided. SECTION 3. This Act applies beginning with the 2007-2008 22 23 school year. SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 24

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a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
Act takes effect September 1, 2007.