

AN ACT

relating to the reporting of certain grievances by school district employees.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 11, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 11.171 to read as follows:

Sec. 11.171. SCHOOL DISTRICT GRIEVANCE POLICY. A school district grievance policy must permit a school district employee to report a grievance against a supervisor that alleges the supervisor's violation of the law in the workplace or the supervisor's unlawful harassment of the employee to a supervisor other than the supervisor against whom the employee intends to report the grievance.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1622 was passed by the House on April 5, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 137, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 1622 was passed by the Senate on May 8, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor