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H.B. No. 2371

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to hearings regarding cease and desist orders against
3 certain persons operating a career school or college without proper
4 authority.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 132.301(a), Education Code, is amended
7 to read as follows:

8 (a) The commission may set a hearing on whether to issue a
9 cease and desist order against a person under Section 132.303 if[+

10 [~~(1)~~] the commission has reason to believe that the
11 person is operating a career school or college without a
12 certificate issued by the commission in violation of Section
13 132.151[~~, and~~

14 [~~(2) the person has not responded to more than one~~
15 ~~written notice from the commission regarding the person's~~
16 ~~noncompliance with Section 132.151].~~

17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
21 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.