

Amend CSSB 1 in Article III of the bill, following the appropriation to the Texas Education Agency (page III-22), by adding the following appropriately numbered rider:

_____. Reports Regarding Discrimination. Out of the funds appropriated above in Strategy B.1.1, Assessment and Accountability System, the Texas Education Agency shall allocate the amount necessary each fiscal year to implement a reporting mechanism under which school districts are required to report to the agency any incident of alleged discrimination or harassment of a school district employee or student on the basis of the actual or perceived ethnicity, color, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, disability, religion, or national origin of the employee or student. The agency shall include the information obtained under the reporting mechanism in the comprehensive annual report required by Section 39.182, Education Code.