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H.B. No. 850

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to repeal on a periodic basis of the provisions of Titles 1
3 and 2 of the Education Code to provide for legislative review of the
4 primary state statutes governing public education.

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

6 SECTION 1. (a) Effective September 1, 2011, Chapters 1, 4,
7 5, 7, 8, 11, 13, and 30, Education Code, are repealed.

8 (b) Effective September 1, 2013, Chapters 34, 41, 42, 43,
9 44, 45, and 46, Education Code, are repealed.

10 (c) Effective September 1, 2015, Chapters 12, 21, and 22,
11 Education Code, are repealed.

12 (d) Effective September 1, 2017, Chapters 18, 19, 25, 26,
13 28, 29, 30A, 31, 32, 33, 37, and 38, Education Code, are repealed.

14 (e) Effective September 1, 2019, Chapter 39, Education
15 Code, is repealed.

16 SECTION 2. (a) The purpose of the repeal of chapters of the
17 Education Code by Section 1 of this Act is to provide the
18 legislature with the opportunity to carefully review each
19 provision of Titles 1 and 2, Education Code, in order to determine:

20 (1) which individual provisions should:

21 (A) be saved from repeal during the regular
22 legislative session before the date repeal is to take effect; and

23 (B) remain unmodified as part of the code;

24 (2) which individual provisions should be saved from

1 repeal during the regular legislative session before the date
2 repeal is to take effect but should be amended to make the provision
3 or the public education system in this state more effective; and

4 (3) which individual provisions should be repealed in
5 accordance with Section 1 of this Act.

6 (b) The Texas Education Agency and the Legislative Budget
7 Board shall assist the legislature in reviewing and shall make
8 recommendations to the legislature concerning the provisions of
9 Titles 1 and 2, Education Code.

10 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
11 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
12 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
13 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
14 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.