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H.B. No. 4582

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the powers and duties of the Legislative Budget Board,
including the receipt of reports by the board.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 316, Government Code, is
amended by adding Section 316.010 to read as follows:

Sec. 316.010. ADJUSTING THE COMPOSITION OF FUND AND ACCOUNT
BALANCES. (a) The comptroller may, as necessary to ensure
compliance with the limit on the rate of growth of appropriations
prescribed by Section 22, Article VIII, Texas Constitution, adjust
the composition of fund and account balances without making any net
change in the amount of a fund or account balance and without
changing the amount of an appropriation.

(b) The comptroller shall report any adjustment made under
Subsection (a) to the Legislative Budget Board.

SECTION 2. Section 2054.102(a), Government Code, is amended
to read as follows:

(a) The Legislative Budget Board may specify procedures for
the submission, review, approval, and disapproval of biennial
operating plans and amendments, including procedures for review or
reconsideration of the Legislative Budget Board's disapproval of a
biennial operating plan or biennial operating plan amendment. ~~[The
Legislative Budget Board shall review and approve or disapprove the
biennial operating plan or biennial operating plan amendment not~~

1 ~~later than the 60th day after the date the plan or amendment to the~~
2 ~~plan is submitted. The plan or amendment to the plan is considered~~
3 ~~to be approved on the 61st day after the date the plan or amendment~~
4 ~~is submitted if the Legislative Budget Board does not disapprove~~
5 ~~the plan or amendment before that date.]~~

6 SECTION 3. Section 19.0041, Education Code, is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 19.0041. EVALUATION OF TRAINING SERVICES. (a) To
9 evaluate the effectiveness of training services provided to persons
10 confined or imprisoned in the department, the Windham School
11 District shall consult with the Criminal Justice Legislative
12 Oversight Committee [~~Legislative Budget Board~~] to compile and
13 analyze information for each person who receives the training
14 services. This information shall include an evaluation of:

- 15 (1) the kind of training services provided;
16 (2) the kind of employment the person obtains on
17 release;
18 (3) whether the employment was related to training;
19 (4) the difference between the amount of the person's
20 earnings on the date employment is obtained following release and
21 the amount of those earnings on the first anniversary of that date;
22 and
23 (5) the retention factors associated with the
24 employment.

25 (b) The district [~~Legislative Budget Board~~] shall submit an
26 annual report to the Criminal Justice Legislative Oversight
27 Committee, [~~legislature and~~] the governor's office, and the

1 Legislative Budget Board based on data compiled and analyzed under
2 Subsection (a).

3 SECTION 4. Not later than December 1, 2009, the Windham
4 School District shall submit the first report to the Criminal
5 Justice Legislative Oversight Committee, the governor's office,
6 and the Legislative Budget Board as required by Section 19.0041(b),
7 Education Code, as amended by this Act.

8 SECTION 5. Section 322.016(b), Government Code, is
9 repealed.

10 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.