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S.B. No. 774

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to allocation of state and federal funds for adult basic education.

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

SECTION 1. Section 29.255, Education Code, is amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter, the agency shall allocate state and federal adult basic education funds, other than federal funds set aside for state administration, special projects, and staff development, on the following basis:

(1) 75 percent of the funds available shall be allocated based on the best available estimates of the number of eligible adults in each county and school district geographic area within each county; and

(2) 25 percent of the funds available shall be allocated based on student contact hours reported by each school district geographic area for the most recent complete fiscal year reporting period.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.