(In the Senate - Filed February 25, 2009; March 13, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Education; March 25, 2009, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; March 25, 2009, sent to printer.) 1-1 1**-**2 1**-**3 1-4 1-5 1-6 1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT relating to the eligibility of certain teachers to serve on the 1-8 1-9 board of directors of a regional education service center. 1-10 1-11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: SECTION 1. Subsection (b), Section 8.003, Education Code, 1-12 is amended to read as follows: The commissioner shall adopt rules to provide for the 1-13 (b) local selection, appointment, and continuity of membership of 1-14 1**-**15 1**-**16 regional education service center boards of directors. The rules must provide that a teacher who is selected as a regional teacher of 1-17 the year under a program adopted by the agency is entitled to serve as a nonvoting member of the board of directors for that region. 1-18 1-19 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 1-20 1-21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this 1-22 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-23 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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