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S.B. No. 1445

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the transfer of a student from the school district of  
3 the student's residence to another district.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 25.036(a), Education Code, is amended to  
6 read as follows:

7 (a) Any child, other than a high school graduate, who is  
8 younger than 21 years of age and eligible for enrollment on  
9 September 1 of any school year may transfer [~~annually~~] from the  
10 child's school district of residence to another district in this  
11 state if both the receiving district and the applicant parent or  
12 guardian or person having lawful control of the child jointly  
13 approve and timely agree in writing to the transfer.

14 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2009-2010  
15 school year.

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