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H.B. No. 2444

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to public school finance.

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

SECTION 1. The heading to Section 42.2516, Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 42.2516. [~~ADDITIONAL~~] STATE COMPRESSION PERCENTAGE [~~AID FOR TAX REDUCTION~~].

SECTION 2. Section 42.2516, Education Code, is amended by amending Subsections (g) and (h) to read as follows:

(b) [~~(g)~~] The commissioner may adopt rules necessary to implement this section.

(c) [~~(h)~~] A determination by the commissioner under this section is final and may not be appealed.

SECTION 3. The following sections of the Education Code are repealed:

- (1) Section 41.002(e), (f), and (g)
- (2) Section 41.0041
- (3) Section 41.098
- (4) Section 41.099
- (5) Section 41.008
- (6) Section 42.2513
- (7) Section 42.2515
- (8) Section 42.2516(b), (b-1), (c), (d), (e), (f), (f-1), (f-2) and (f-3)

1 (9) Section 42.253(c-1)

2 SECTION 4. Section 42.101, Education Code, is amended by
3 adding new Subsection (a-3) to read as follows:

4 (a-3) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter,
5 each reference to \$4,765 in this section is increased by the maximum
6 amount permitted utilizing the total amount of revenue from the
7 reduction in the cost of the Foundation School Program resulting
8 from repeal of the former sections of this code repealed by
9 B _____, Acts of the 82nd Legislature, Regular Session, 2011.

10 SECTION 5. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.