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S.B. No. 678

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to a school district policy regarding the removal of a
3 student from a public school teacher's classroom.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 37.002, Education Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

7 (e) The board of trustees of a school district shall adopt a
8 policy that prohibits the district from taking adverse personnel
9 action against a teacher in retaliation for the teacher's removal
10 of a student from a classroom if the removal is in accordance with
11 this section.

12 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2011-2012
13 school year.

14 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
15 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
16 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
17 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
18 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.