

By: Rodriguez of Travis

H.B. No. 3274

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to providing a parent of a public school student with
3 certain required notices in the parent's native language.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 39.052, Education Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (e-1) to read as follows:

7 (e-1) The notification to parents of students enrolled in
8 the district required under Subsection (e) must be written in a
9 parent's native language if that language is a second language for
10 at least 10 percent of the students attending the school campus in
11 which the parent's child is enrolled.

12 SECTION 2. Section 39.303, Education Code, is amended by
13 adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

14 (c) The written notice to a student's parent or other person
15 standing in parental relationship required under Subsection (a)
16 must be written in the native language of the parent or person
17 standing in parental relationship if that language is a second
18 language for at least 10 percent of students attending the school
19 campus in which the student is enrolled.

20 SECTION 3. Section 39.305, Education Code, is amended by
21 adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

22 (e) The information required to be given to the parent or
23 other person standing in parental relationship of each student
24 under Subsection (c) must be written in the native language of the

1 parent or person standing in parental relationship if that language
2 is a second language for at least 10 percent of students attending
3 the school campus in which the student is enrolled.

4 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.