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S.B. No. 452

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to administering the Texas Success Initiative assessment instrument to certain public school students.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 28, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 28.0081 to read as follows:

Sec. 28.0081. ADMINISTRATION OF ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENT FOR DIAGNOSTIC PURPOSES. Not later than April 1 of each school year, a school district shall administer an assessment instrument designated by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board under Section 51.3062(c) to each student in the district enrolled in the 10th grade. A student's performance on the assessment instrument may only be used for diagnostic purposes, including a determination as to whether a student should be enrolled in developmental education courses. If a student is in a special education program under Subchapter A, Chapter 29, the student's admission, review, and dismissal committee shall determine if it is appropriate for the student to be administered the assessment instrument required under this section.

SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2015-2016 school year.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

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1 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
2 Act takes effect September 1, 2015.