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H.B. No. 69

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to a requirement that school districts and open-enrollment
3 charter schools report certain information regarding children with
4 disabilities who reside in residential facilities.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 29.012, Education Code, is amended by
7 adding Subsection (c-1) to read as follows:

8 (c-1) The commissioner by rule shall require each school
9 district and open-enrollment charter school to include in the
10 district's or school's Public Education Information Management
11 System (PEIMS) report the number of children with disabilities
12 residing in a residential facility who:

13 (1) are required to be tracked by the Residential
14 Facility Monitoring (RFM) System; and

15 (2) receive educational services from the district or
16 school.

17 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2017-2018
18 school year.

19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
20 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
21 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
22 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
23 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.