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H.B. No. 1489

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to restricting salary increases and bonuses given to the
3 administrative head of certain state agencies.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 659.021, Government Code, is amended to
6 read as follows:

7 Sec. 659.021. ADMINISTRATIVE HEAD OF AGENCY. (a) The
8 administrative head of a state agency as defined by Section 658.001
9 whose salary as administrative head is established by the General
10 Appropriations Act may not receive a salary higher than that
11 established salary, even if the administrative head performs duties
12 assigned to a position title classified in the state's position
13 classification plan that is assigned to a salary group that would
14 pay a higher salary, unless the General Appropriations Act
15 specifically provides that a higher salary may be received.

16 (b) The governing body of a state agency required to comply
17 with Section 2161.123 may not provide a salary increase or bonus of
18 any type in a state fiscal year to the administrative head of the
19 state agency unless the agency met the agency's goals established
20 under Section 2161.123(d)(5) for contracting with historically
21 underutilized businesses during the preceding state fiscal year.

22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.