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H.B. No. 2767

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the implementation of certain rules regarding public
3 school accountability adopted by the commissioner of education or
4 the Texas Education Agency.

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

6 SECTION 1. Chapter 39, Education Code, is amended by adding
7 Subchapter A to read as follows:

8 SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

9 Sec. 39.001. LIMITATION ON IMPLEMENTATION OF CERTAIN RULES
10 REGARDING PUBLIC SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY. Notwithstanding any other
11 law, a rule adopted by the commissioner or the agency that affects
12 methods or procedures for administering provisions of this chapter
13 may not be implemented before the second school year after the
14 school year the rule is adopted unless the commissioner or the
15 agency is required by law to adopt and implement such a rule in a
16 shorter period.

17 SECTION 2. Section 39.001, Education Code, as added by this
18 Act, applies only to a rule adopted on or after the effective date
19 of this Act.

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