By: González of El Paso

H.B. No. 4145

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

- 1 AN ACT
- 2 relating to the salary of the superintendent of the Texas School for
- 3 the Deaf.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 30.053(d), of the Education Code is
- 6 amended to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 30.053. SUPERINTENDENT OF THE TEXAS SCHOOL FOR THE
- 8 DEAF.
- 9 (a) The superintendent of the Texas School for the Deaf is
- 10 appointed by the governing board of the school.
- 11 (b) The superintendent must:
- 12 (1) hold an advanced degree in the field of education;
- 13 (2) have teaching and administrative experience in
- 14 programs serving students who are deaf; and
- 15 (3) satisfy any other requirements the board
- 16 establishes.
- 17 (c) The superintendent may reside at the school.
- 18 (d) The board shall annually establish the superintendent's
- 19 salary. The annual salary may not exceed 120 percent of the annual
- 20 salary of the highest paid instructional administrator at the
- 21 school.
- (e) The superintendent is the chief administrative officer
- 23 of the school. The superintendent shall take any necessary and
- 24 appropriate action to carry out the functions and purposes of the

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- 1 school according to any general policy the board prescribes.
- 2 (f) The superintendent may provide directly to a parent or
- 3 guardian of a student written information regarding:
- 4 (1) the availability of a program offered by a state
- 5 institution for which the student may be eligible;
- 6 (2) any eligibility and admission requirements
- 7 imposed by the state institution; and
- 8 (3) the rights of a student regarding admission to the
- 9 state institution and appeal of an admission decision.
- 10 SECTION 2. This act takes effect September 1, 2017.