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S.B. No. 1317

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the earliest day a school district may require a teacher  
3 to report for service and information regarding required teacher  
4 attendance on noninstructional days.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 21, Education Code, is  
7 amended by adding Sections 21.010 and 21.011 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 21.010. FIRST DAY OF TEACHER SERVICE. A school  
9 district may not require a teacher to report for service at the  
10 beginning of a school year earlier than the seventh business day  
11 before the first day that instruction will be provided to students.

12 Sec. 21.011. NOTICE OF REQUIRED MEETINGS OR TRAINING. Not  
13 later than the last day for a teacher's resignation under Section  
14 21.105, 21.160, or 21.210, a school district shall notify each  
15 district teacher of any meetings or training that the teacher would  
16 be required to attend that is scheduled to occur on  
17 noninstructional days in the following school year.

18 SECTION 2. Sections 21.010 and 21.011, Education Code, as  
19 added by this Act, apply beginning with the 2018-2019 school year.

20 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.