

1-1 By: Taylor of Collin S.B. No. 1561
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 8, 2017; March 21, 2017, read
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Education; May 9, 2017,
 1-4 reported favorably, as amended, by the following vote: Yeas 11,
 1-5 Nays 0; May 9, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Taylor of Galveston	X			
1-8 Lucio	X			
1-9 Bettencourt	X			
1-10 Campbell	X			
1-11 Hall	X			
1-12 Huffines	X			
1-13 Hughes	X			
1-14 Seliger	X			
1-15 Taylor of Collin	X			
1-16 Uresti	X			
1-17 West	X			

1-19 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO. 1 By: Taylor of Collin

1-20 Amend S.B. 1561 by adding the following appropriately
 1-21 numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering the subsequent
 1-22 SECTIONS of the bill appropriately:
 1-23 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect only if a specific
 1-24 appropriation for the implementation of the Act is provided in a
 1-25 general appropriations act of the 85th Legislature.

1-26 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-27 AN ACT

1-28 relating to a study by the State Board of Education on the
 1-29 instructional day and academic year requirements necessary to
 1-30 complete the required curriculum in public schools.

1-31 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-32 SECTION 1. (a) The State Board of Education shall conduct
 1-33 a study to determine, for kindergarten through 12th grade, the
 1-34 length of the instructional day and of the academic year that would
 1-35 be necessary to allow for the completion of the required curriculum
 1-36 identified by the board under Section 28.002, Education Code.

1-37 (b) Not later than October 1, 2018, the board shall deliver
 1-38 a report containing the results of the study to the governor and the
 1-39 legislature.

1-40 (c) This Act expires September 1, 2019.

1-41 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-42 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-43 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-44 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-45 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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