By:  Bernal H.B. No. 267

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

Relating to the attendance calculation for elementary grade levels.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 42.005, education code, is amended by adding Subsection (o):

(o)  for grade levels kindergarten, first, second, third, fourth, and fifth grade, average daily attendance is equivalent to the final enrollment number submitted by each Local Education Agency to the Public Education Information Management System annually.

SECTION 2.  This Act applies beginning with the 2019-2020 school year.

SECTION 3.  This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2019.