

1-1 By: González of El Paso, VanDeaver H.B. No. 637
 1-2 (Senate Sponsor - Watson)
 1-3 (In the Senate - Received from the House March 25, 2019;
 1-4 March 27, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on
 1-5 Education; May 19, 2019, reported adversely, with favorable
 1-6 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 2;
 1-7 May 19, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-8 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9 Taylor	X			
1-10 Lucio	X			
1-11 Bettencourt		X		
1-12 Campbell	X			
1-13 Fallon	X			
1-14 Hall		X		
1-15 Hughes	X			
1-16 Paxton	X			
1-17 Powell	X			
1-18 Watson	X			
1-19 West	X			

1-21 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 637 By: Watson

1-22 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-23 AN ACT

1-24 relating to the salaries of the superintendent of the Texas School
 1-25 for the Blind and Visually Impaired and the superintendent of the
 1-26 Texas School for the Deaf.

1-27 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-28 SECTION 1. Section 30.023(d), Education Code, is amended to
 1-29 read as follows:

1-30 (d) The board shall annually establish the superintendent's
 1-31 salary. [~~The annual salary may not exceed 120 percent of the annual~~
 1-32 ~~salary of the highest paid instructional administrator at the~~
 1-33 ~~school.~~]

1-34 SECTION 2. Section 30.053(d), Education Code, is amended to
 1-35 read as follows:

1-36 (d) The board shall annually establish the superintendent's
 1-37 salary. [~~The annual salary may not exceed 120 percent of the annual~~
 1-38 ~~salary of the highest paid instructional administrator at the~~
 1-39 ~~school.~~]

1-40 SECTION 3. This Act applies to an initial employment
 1-41 contract that is entered into between the superintendent and the
 1-42 governing board of the Texas School for the Blind and Visually
 1-43 Impaired or the governing board of the Texas School for the Deaf, as
 1-44 appropriate, on or after the effective date of this Act. An
 1-45 employment contract that is initially entered into before the
 1-46 effective date of this Act is governed by the law as it existed at
 1-47 the time the contract was entered into, and the former law remains
 1-48 in effect for that purpose.

1-49 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
 1-50 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
 1-51 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
 1-52 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
 1-53 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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