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H.B. No. 729

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the equalized wealth level under the public school
3 finance system.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 41.002, Education Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

7 (h) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), in accordance with a
8 determination of the commissioner, the wealth per student that a
9 school district may have after exercising an option under Section
10 41.003 may not be less than the amount needed to maintain state and
11 local revenue per weighted student for maintenance and operation of
12 the district equal to the statewide average amount of state and
13 local revenue per weighted student for maintenance and operation of
14 a district.

15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.