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S.B. No. 470

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the powers and duties of county child welfare boards.

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

SECTION 1. Section 264.005, Family Code, is amended by amending Subsection (f) and adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

(f) A county child welfare [~~protective services~~] board member may receive information that is confidential under Section 40.005, Human Resources Code, or Section 261.201 when the board member is acting in the member's official capacity.

(h) Not later than December 1 of each year, each county child welfare board shall submit a report to the department that includes:

(1) the amount and source of funds received by the board during the board's preceding fiscal year; and

(2) the amount and source of funds expended by the board during the board's preceding fiscal year, including a description of the purpose of each expenditure.

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