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S.B. No. 1181

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a wage increase for certain public school employees.

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

SECTION 1. Section 22.107(a), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) A school district shall pay each full-time district employee, other than an administrator or an employee subject to the minimum salary schedule under Section 21.402, an amount at least equal to \$5,500 [~~\$500~~].

SECTION 2. Section 42.2513, Education Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows:

(a) A school district, including a school district that is otherwise ineligible for state aid under this chapter, is entitled to state aid in an amount equal to the sum of:

(1) the product of \$5,500 [~~\$500~~] multiplied by the number of full-time district employees, other than administrators or employees subject to the minimum salary schedule under Section 21.402; and

(2) the product of \$250 multiplied by the number of part-time district employees, other than administrators.

(a-1) A school district that is required to take action under Chapter 41 to reduce its wealth per student to the equalized wealth level is entitled to a credit, in the amount of state aid to

1 which the district is entitled under this section, against the
2 total amount required under Section 41.093 for the district to
3 purchase attendance credits.

4 SECTION 3. This Act applies beginning with the 2019-2020
5 school year.

6 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.