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By:  Klick H.B. No. 3033

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a requirement to report through the Public Education Information Management System the number of students transported from a school district or open-enrollment charter school for a mental health emergency detention.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 48.009(b), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b)  The commissioner by rule shall require each school district and open-enrollment charter school to report through the Public Education Information Management System information regarding:

(1)  the number of students enrolled in the district or school who are identified as having dyslexia;

(2)  the availability of school counselors, including the number of full-time equivalent school counselors, at each campus;

(3)  the availability of expanded learning opportunities as described by Section 33.252 at each campus;

(4)  the total number of students, other than students described by Subdivision (5), enrolled in the district or school with whom the district or school, as applicable, used intervention strategies, as that term is defined by Section 26.004, at any time during the year for which the report is made; [~~and~~]

(5)  the total number of students enrolled in the district or school to whom the district or school provided aids, accommodations, or services under Section 504, Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Section 794), at any time during the year for which the report is made; and

(6)  the total number of students, including the students' age, race, and gender, transported from the school district or open-enrollment charter school for an emergency detention under Chapter 573, Health and Safety Code, at any time during the year for which the report is made.

SECTION 2.  This Act applies beginning with 2021-2022 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, 2021.