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(Allen)

S.B. No. 462

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to funding under the transportation allotment for  
3 transporting meals and instructional materials to students during a  
4 declared disaster.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 48.151, Education Code, is amended by  
7 amending Subsection (h) and adding Subsection (n) to read as  
8 follows:

9 (h) Funds allotted under this section must be used in  
10 providing transportation services. Transporting a meal or  
11 instructional materials as provided by Subsection (n) is included  
12 in transportation services under this subsection.

13 (n) For the duration of a declared disaster, a school  
14 district located in an area that is wholly or partly the subject of  
15 a disaster declaration by the governor under Chapter 418,  
16 Government Code, or by the president of the United States shall be  
17 reimbursed on a per-mile basis for the cost of transporting a meal  
18 or instructional materials to a student's residence or to another  
19 location, designated by the district, for pick up by the student.

20 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.