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S.B. No. 851

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the composition of the cybersecurity council.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2054.512(b), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The cybersecurity council must include:

(1) one member who is an employee of the office of the governor;

(2) one member of the senate appointed by the lieutenant governor;

(3) one member of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives; ~~and~~

(4) one member who is an employee of the Elections Division of the Office of the Secretary of State; and

(5) additional members appointed by the state cybersecurity coordinator, including representatives of institutions of higher education and private sector leaders.

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