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H.B. No. 173

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the consideration of distinction designations in the
3 assignment of district and campus performance ratings under the
4 public school accountability system.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 39.054, Education Code, is amended by
7 adding Subsection (a-6) to read as follows:

8 (a-6) For purposes of assigning an overall performance
9 rating for a district or campus under Subsection (a), the
10 commissioner by rule shall adopt a method for evaluating district
11 or campus performance that provides for:

12 (1) the assignment of a point value to each
13 distinction designation awarded to a district or campus under
14 Subchapter G; and

15 (2) consideration of the number of points earned by a
16 district or campus under Subdivision (1).

17 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2024-2025
18 school year.

19 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
20 last day of the legislative session.