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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to permissible accountability interventions for certain school districts with low-performing campuses.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 39A.107(c), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c)  If the commissioner does not approve a campus turnaround plan, the commissioner may [~~shall~~] order:

(1)  appointment of a board of managers to govern the school district as provided by Section 39A.202;

(2)  alternative management of the campus; or

(3)  closure of the campus.

SECTION 2.  Section 39A.111, Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 39A.111.  CONTINUED UNACCEPTABLE PERFORMANCE RATING. If a campus is considered to have an unacceptable performance rating for five consecutive school years, the commissioner, subject to Section 39A.112, may [~~shall~~] order:

(1)  appointment of a board of managers to govern the school district as provided by Section 39A.202; or

(2)  closure of the campus.

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, 2023.