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By:  Eckhardt S.B. No. 363

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the designation of Eid al-Fitr, Eid al-Adha, and Diwali as optional holidays.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 662.003(c), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c)  An "optional holiday" includes only:

(1)  the days on which Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Eid al-Fitr, Eid al-Adha, or Good Friday fall; and

(2)  one day of the Diwali festival selected by the state employee observing the optional holiday [~~falls~~].

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.