

AN ACT

relating to the establishment of a new open-enrollment charter school campus by certain charter holders and to the expansion of an open-enrollment charter school.

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

SECTION 1. Section 12.101(b-10), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b-10) The commissioner by rule shall allow a charter holder to provide written notice of the establishment of a new open-enrollment charter school campus under Subsection (b-4)(2) up to 36 [~~18~~] months before the date on which the campus is anticipated to open. Notice provided to the commissioner under this section does not obligate the charter holder to open a new campus.

SECTION 2. Section 12.114(d), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d) A charter holder may submit a request for approval for an expansion amendment up to 36 [~~18~~] months before the date on which the expansion will be effective. A request for approval of an expansion amendment does not obligate the charter holder to complete the proposed expansion.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2102 was passed by the House on May 9, 2023, by the following vote: Yeas 106, Nays 39, 1 present, not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 2102 was passed by the Senate on May 23, 2023, by the following vote: Yeas 21, Nays 10.

Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: _____

Date

Governor