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For HB 4210
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JBSA is one joint military installation, comprised of a number of locations throughout San Antonio to include JBSA-Lackland, JBSA-Fort Sam Houston and JBSA-Randolph. There are 79,340 person assigned to JBSA, a large number of these Active Duty members are assigned on a 2 or 3 year assignment. Changing the term limit to 3 years would exclude those members and their spouses from the opportunity to serve on the board.

Additionally, JBSA is geographically separated with senior leaders at each location who are responsible for unique functions for the entire installation. Senior leaders oversee a specific function and while they may “serve physically “ at each respective JBSA location, the whole of support provided to each ISD is unified at the installation commander level.

It is vital the JBSA installation Commander, maintain the authority to provide the list of qualified individuals to the State Board of Education because the installation commander oversees all support functions across JBSA, aided of course by school liaisons co-located with their respective ISD.

Respectfully request your consideration in leaving the term limit at 2 years in order to not exclude those assigned at JBSA for a 2 or 3 tear your.

Thank you for your time.