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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to the purchase, adoption, and use of instructional
- 3 materials by public schools.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 31.0211(f), Education Code, is amended
- 6 to read as follows:
- 7 (f) Funds allotted under this section may not be used to
- 8 purchase instructional material that:
- 9 (1) contains obscene or harmful content or would
- 10 otherwise cause the school district to which the funds were
- 11 allotted to be unable to submit the certification required under
- 12 Section 31.1011(a)(1)(B); or
- 13 (2) is on the list of rejected instructional materials
- 14 maintained by the State Board of Education under Section 31.022(a).
- 15 SECTION 2. Subchapter B, Chapter 31, Education Code, is
- 16 amended by adding Section 31.024 to read as follows:
- 17 Sec. 31.024. LIMITATION ON THE ADOPTION AND USE OF
- 18 INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIAL. A school district may not adopt or
- 19 otherwise use instructional material included on the list of
- 20 rejected instructional materials maintained by the State Board of
- 21 Education under Section 31.022(a).
- SECTION 3. Section 31.073, Education Code, is amended by
- 23 adding Subsection (b) and amending Subsection (c) to read as
- 24 follows:

- 1 (b) A school district or open-enrollment charter school may
- 2 only adopt or otherwise use an open education resource
- 3 <u>instructional material that is not included on the list of rejected</u>
- 4 instructional materials maintained by the State Board of Education
- 5 under Section 31.022(a).
- 6 (c) A school district or open-enrollment charter school may
- 7 adopt open education resource instructional material that complies
- 8 with Subsection (b) at any time.
- 9 SECTION 4. Section 31.106, Education Code, is amended to
- 10 read as follows:
- 11 Sec. 31.106. USE OF LOCAL FUNDS. In addition to any
- 12 instructional material selected under this chapter, a school
- 13 district or open-enrollment charter school may use local funds to
- 14 purchase any instructional materials <u>not included on the list of</u>
- 15 rejected instructional materials maintained by the State Board of
- 16 Education under Section 31.022(a).
- 17 SECTION 5. This Act applies beginning with the 2025-2026
- 18 school year.
- 19 SECTION 6. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 20 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 21 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 22 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 23 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.