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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1 AN ACT 2 relating to a limitation on the salary of superintendents and chief executive officers of school districts and open-enrollment charter 3 schools. 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 5 6 SECTION 1. Section 11.201, Education Code, is amended by 7 adding Subsection (b-1) to read as follows: (b-1) A school district may not employ a superintendent for 8 9 an annual salary in an amount that is greater than twice the amount of the highest annual salary paid to a classroom teacher in the 10 11 district. 12 SECTION 2. Section 12.136, Education Code, is amended to read as follows: 13 Sec. 12.136. [POSTING OF] CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER SALARY. 14 An open-enrollment charter school: 15 16 (1) may not employ a superintendent or, as applicable, an administrator serving as educational leader and chief executive 17 officer for an annual salary in an amount that is greater than twice 18 the amount of the highest annual salary paid to a classroom teacher 19 at the school; and 20 21 (2) shall post on the school's Internet website the salary of the school's superintendent or, as applicable, of the 22 23 administrator serving as educational leader and chief executive 24 officer.

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1 SECTION 3. This Act applies to an employment contract that 2 is entered into on or after September 1, 2025. An employment 3 contract that is entered into before September 1, 2025, is governed 4 by the law as it existed at the time the contract was entered into, 5 and the former law remains in effect for that purpose.

6 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.