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H.B. No. 3714

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to eliminating the requirement for character traits and  
3 personal skills instruction in public schools.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section [29.906](#), Education Code, is repealed.

6 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2025-2026  
7 school year.

8 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
9 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
10 provided by Section [39](#), Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
11 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
12 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.