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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to retirees of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas who resume certain employment with a school district.

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

SECTION 1. Section 825.4092(e), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(e) The amounts required to be paid under Subsections (b) and (c) are not required to be paid by a reporting employer for a retiree who retired from the retirement system:

(1) before September 1, 2005; or

(2) on or after September 1, 2005, if the retiree is employed by a school district experiencing a teacher shortage, as determined by the Texas Education Agency.

SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply to a retiree of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas regardless of whether the person retired from employment before, on, or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3. The changes in law made by this Act apply beginning with the 2027-2028 school year.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2027.