

Chapter 1229

H.B. No. 65

1 AN ACT
2 relating to reporting information regarding public school
3 disciplinary actions.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5 SECTION 1. The heading to Section 37.020, Education Code,
6 is amended to read as follows:

7 Sec. 37.020. REPORTS RELATING TO OUT-OF-SCHOOL
8 SUSPENSIONS, EXPULSIONS, AND DISCIPLINARY ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION
9 PROGRAM PLACEMENTS.

10 SECTION 2. Section 37.020, Education Code, is amended by
11 adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

12 (f) For each out-of-school suspension under Section 37.005,
13 the district shall report:

14 (1) information identifying the student, including
15 the student's race, sex, and date of birth, that will enable the
16 agency to compare placement data with information collected through
17 other reports;

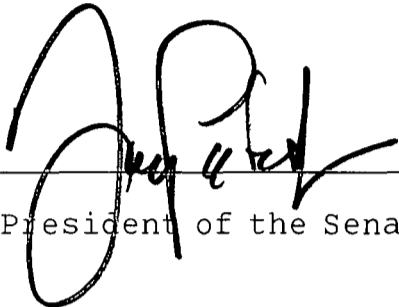
18 (2) information indicating the basis for the
19 suspension;

20 (3) the number of full or partial days the student was
21 suspended; and

22 (4) the number of out-of-school suspensions that were
23 inconsistent with the guidelines included in the student code of
24 conduct under Section 37.001(a)(3).

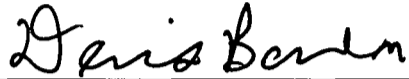
1 SECTION 3. This Act applies beginning with the 2019-2020
2 school year.

3 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
4 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
5 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
6 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
7 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.



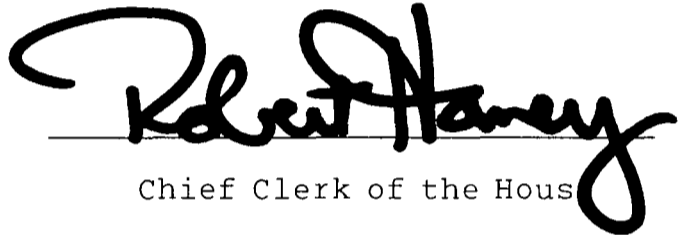
President of the Senate

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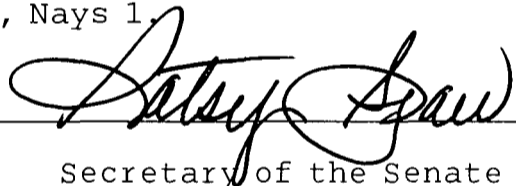
Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 65 was passed by the House on April 10, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 128, Nays 12, 1 present, not voting.



Chief Clerk of the House


I certify that H.B. No. 65 was passed by the Senate on May 15, 2019, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 1.



Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED: 6-10-2019

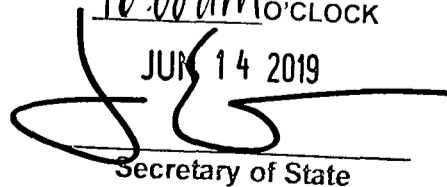
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