1	AN ACT
2	relating to certain information provided by local workforce
3	development boards regarding certain child-care providers.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Subchapter G, Chapter 2308, Government Code, is
6	amended by adding Section 2308.3171 to read as follows:
7	Sec. 2308.3171. INFORMATION ON QUALITY CHILD CARE. (a) In
8	this section, "quality child-care indicator" means any appropriate
9	indicator of quality services, including whether the provider of
10	the services:
11	(1) meets the Texas Rising Star Provider criteria
12	described by commission rules;
13	(2) is accredited by a nationally recognized
14	accrediting organization approved by the commission;
15	(3) is certified under the school readiness
16	certification system established under Section 29.161, Education
17	Code;
18	(4) meets standards developed under Section
19	29.155(g), Education Code; or
20	(5) has achieved any other measurable target that is
21	relevant to improving the quality of child care in this state and
22	that has been approved by the commission.
23	(b) Each board shall provide information on quality
24	child-care indicators for each licensed or registered child-care

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1	provider in the area.
2	(c) Each board shall determine the manner in which to
3	provide the information required by this section.
4	SECTION 2. Each local workforce development board shall
5	implement Section 2308.3171, Government Code, as added by this Act,
6	not later than January 1, 2012.
7	SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011
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	President of the Senate Speaker of the House
	I hereby certify that S.B. No. 264 passed the Senate on
	April 21, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0
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	Jalsy Syaw
	Secretary of the Senate
	I hereby certify that S.B. No. 264 passed the House on
	May 20, 2011, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 2, one
	present not voting.
	Chief Clerk of the House
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