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1 .Amend C.S.S.B. No. 619 (house committee report) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to ARTICLE 1 of the bill
3 and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of that article accordingly:

4 SECTION 1.____. LIMITED REVIEW OF TEXAS EDUCATION AGENCY'S
5 FUNCTIONS RELATING TO PROVISION OF SPECIAL SERVICES. Subchapter A,
6 Chapter 29, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 29.0105 to
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 29.0105. SUNSET PROVISION REGARDING SPECIAL SERVICES.

9 (a) In this section, "federal letter" means the letter dated
10 January 11, 2018, issued to the commissioner by the United States
11 Department of Education Office of Special Education Programs
12 addressing the results of that office's visit in Texas and its
13 findings of noncompliance.

14 (b) Separate from the review of the agency required under
15 Section 7.004, the agency is subject to a limited review under
16 Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act), of the agency's
17 functions, including its supervisory and monitoring functions,
18 relating to the provision of special services, except that those
19 functions may not be abolished. The review shall be conducted
20 during the period in which state agencies abolished in 2021 are
21 reviewed.

22 (c) The Sunset Advisory Commission shall limit the review
23 under this section to:

24 (1) the efficacy and effectiveness with which the
25 agency administers its special services functions, including its
26 supervisory and monitoring functions relating to the provision of
27 special services; and

28 (2) the corrective actions taken by the agency in
29 response to each finding of noncompliance in the federal letter,

1 including the extent to which the agency has implemented and is
2 complying with its strategic plan and any updates to that plan
3 adopted in response to the federal letter.

4 (d) This section expires September 1, 2021.



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1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 619 (house committee printing) by adding
2 the following appropriately numbered SECTION to ARTICLE 1 of the
3 bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of ARTICLE 1 of the bill as
4 appropriate:

5 SECTION 1.____. SPECIAL SERVICES FUNCTIONS OF THE TEXAS
6 EDUCATION AGENCY. Subchapter A, Chapter 29, Education Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 29.0105 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 29.0105. SUNSET REVIEW OF SPECIAL SERVICES.

9 (a) Separate from the review of the agency required under Section
10 7.004, the agency is subject to a limited review under Chapter 325,
11 Government Code (Texas Sunset Act), of the efficacy and
12 effectiveness with which the agency administers the agency's
13 special services functions, including the agency's supervisory and
14 monitoring functions relating to the provision of special services,
15 except that those functions may not be abolished. The review shall
16 be conducted during the period in which state agencies abolished in
17 2021 are reviewed.

18 (b) This section expires September 1, 2021.