

BILL ANALYSIS

Senate Research Center

C.S.S.B. 1893

By: Bivins

Education

4-3-97

Committee Report (Substituted)

DIGEST

Currently, Texas law establishes a minimum number of days for a school year. In the recodification of the Education Code, the year in the formula that establishes the minimum days of service required by teachers was left unchanged. This bill corrects a recodification error in the Education Code by changing the year of reference in the formula that establishes the minimum number of days of service required to be served by a teacher for a school year.

PURPOSE

As proposed, C.S.S.B. 1893 corrects a recodification error in the Education Code by changing the year of reference in the formula that establishes the minimum number of days of service required to be served by a teacher for a school year.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 21.401, Education Code, as follows:

Sec. 21.401. MINIMUM SERVICE REQUIRED. Redefines the formula for the minimum number of days of service formula. Redefines "R2" as equal to FSP/ADA as determined under Section 21.402 for the 1996-1997, rather than the 1994-1995, school year.

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 1997.

SECTION 3. Emergency clause.

SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE CHANGES

SECTION 1.

Makes a correction to provide that "R1" is equal to FSP/ADA as determined under Section 21.402 for the fiscal year, rather than the proposed change from 1994-1995 to the 1996-1997 school year. Redefines "R2" as equal to FSP/ADA as determined under Section 21.402 for the 1996-1997, rather than 1994-1995.