

1-1 By: Seliger S.B. No. 685
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 23, 2015; February 24, 2015,
 1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education;
 1-4 April 9, 2015, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6,
 1-5 Nays 0; April 9, 2015, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Seliger	X			
1-8 West			X	
1-9 Bettencourt	X			
1-10 Burton	X			
1-11 Menéndez	X			
1-12 Perry	X			
1-13 Watson	X			

1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
 1-16 AN ACT

1-17 relating to the applicability of open meetings and public
 1-18 information laws to the education research center advisory board.

1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-20 SECTION 1. Sections 1.006(b) and (e), Education Code, are
 1-21 amended to read as follows:

1-22 (b) The advisory board is considered to be ~~[not]~~ a
 1-23 governmental body for purposes of Chapters ~~[Chapter]~~ 551 and ~~[or]~~
 1-24 552, Government Code.

1-25 (e) The advisory board shall meet at least quarterly. To
 1-26 the extent and in the manner authorized by Chapter 551, Government
 1-27 Code, any ~~[Any]~~ meeting of the advisory board may be conducted by
 1-28 electronic means, including a meeting by telephone conference call,
 1-29 by video conference call, through the Internet, or by any
 1-30 combination of those means.

1-31 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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