

1-1 By: Taylor of Galveston S.B. No. 1634  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 9, 2017; March 22, 2017, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Education; April 5, 2017,  
 1-4 reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 11, Nays 0;  
 1-5 April 5, 2017, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Taylor of Galveston	X			
1-8 Lucio	X			
1-9 Bettencourt	X			
1-10 Campbell	X			
1-11 Hall	X			
1-12 Huffines	X			
1-13 Hughes	X			
1-14 Seliger	X			
1-15 Taylor of Collin	X			
1-16 Uresti	X			
1-17 West	X			

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to a reduction in required days of service for educators in  
 1-22 public schools under certain circumstances.

1-23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 21.401, Education Code, is amended by  
 1-25 amending Subsection (b) and adding Subsection (c-1) to read as  
 1-26 follows:

1-27 (b) Except as provided by Subsection (c-1), an [An] educator  
 1-28 employed under a 10-month contract must provide a minimum of 187  
 1-29 days of service.

1-30 (c-1) If a school district anticipates providing less than  
 1-31 180 days of instruction for students during a school year, as  
 1-32 indicated by the district's academic calendar, the district may  
 1-33 reduce the number of days of service required by this section  
 1-34 proportionately. A reduction by the district does not reduce an  
 1-35 educator's salary.

1-36 SECTION 2. Section 21.401, Education Code, as amended by  
 1-37 this Act, applies only to a contract executed on or after the  
 1-38 effective date of this Act. A contract executed before the  
 1-39 effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect on the  
 1-40 date the contract was executed, and the former law is continued in  
 1-41 effect for that purpose.

1-42 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
 1-43 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
 1-44 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
 1-45 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
 1-46 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

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