| **House Bill 961**  Senate Amendments  Section-by-Section Analysis | | |
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| HOUSE VERSION | SENATE VERSION (CS) | CONFERENCE |
| SECTION 1. Section 130.082, Education Code, is amended by adding Subsection (g-1) to read as follows:  (g-1) The board by resolution may provide, not later than the 180th day before the date of an election, that a candidate must receive a plurality of the votes cast for a position to be filled at the election under Subsection (g). A resolution adopted under this subsection is effective for subsequent elections until rescinded by a subsequent resolution adopted not later than the 180th day before the date of the first election to which the rescission applies. | SECTION 1. Section 130.082, Education Code, is amended by adding Subsections (d-1) and (g-1) to read as follows:  (d-1) Except as provided by Subsection (d) or Section 130.0827, each position on the board of trustees shall be filled by election in accordance with this section.  (g-1) The board by resolution may provide, not later than the 180th day before the date of an election, that a candidate must receive a plurality of the votes cast for a position to be filled at the election under Subsection (g). A resolution adopted under this subsection is effective for subsequent elections until rescinded by a subsequent resolution adopted not later than the 180th day before the date of the first election to which the rescission applies. |  |
| SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017. | SECTION 2. Same as House version. |  |