H.B. No. 109 1-1 Martinez (Senate Sponsor - Hinojosa) By: (In the Senate - Received from the House March 21, 2019; March 27, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Education; May 10, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 11, Nays 0; May 10, 2019, sent to printer.) 1-2 1-3 1-4 1-5

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COMMITTEE VOTE

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

relating to the operation of open-enrollment charter schools on 1-21 1-22 1-23 Memorial Day.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 25.081(f), Education Code, as added by Chapter 1144 (H.B. 441), Acts of the 85th Legislature, Regular Session, 2017, is amended to read as follows: (f) A school district or open-enrollment charter school may not provide student instruction on Memorial Day. If a school 1-25 1-26

1-27 1-28 1-29 district or open-enrollment charter school would be required to provide student instruction on Memorial Day to compensate for minutes of instruction lost because of school closures caused by 1-30 1-31 1-32 disaster, flood, extreme weather conditions, fuel curtailment, or 1-33 another calamity, the commissioner shall approve the instruction of 1-34 students for fewer than the number of minutes required under 1-35 Subsection (a).

1-36 SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2019-2020 1-37 school year.

1-38 This Act takes effect immediately if it receives SECTION 3. 1-39 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this 1-40 1-41 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-42 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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