1-1 By: Lucio
S.B. No. 462
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed January 26, 2021; March 9, 2021, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Education; April 19, 2021,
1-4 reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0; April 19, 2021, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Taylor	X	-		
1-9	Lucio	X			•
1-10	Bettencourt	X			
1-11	Hall	X			
1-12	Hughes	X			
1-13	Menéndez	X			•
1-14	Paxton			X	
1-15	Perry			X	
1-16	Powell	X			•
1-17	Schwertner	X			•
1-18	West	X			

1-19 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 462

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1-20 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1-22 relating to funding under the transportation allotment for 1-23 transporting meals and instructional materials to students during a 1-24 declared disaster.

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

SECTION 1. Section 48.151, Education Code, is amended by amending Subsection (h) and adding Subsection (n) to read as follows:

(h) Funds allotted under this section must be used in providing transportation services. <u>Transporting a meal or instructional materials as provided by Subsection (n) is included in transportation services under this subsection.</u>

(n) For the duration of a declared disaster, a school district located in an area that is wholly or partly the subject of a disaster declaration by the governor under Chapter 418, Government Code, or by the president of the United States shall be reimbursed on a per-mile basis for the cost of transporting a meal or instructional materials to a student's residence or to another location, designated by the district, for pick up by the student. To be reimbursed under this subsection, a school district must submit the district's proposed route to the commissioner for approval before transporting the meal or instructional materials.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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