| 1-1 | By: Isaac, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Alvarado) H.B. No. 3991 |
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| 1-2 | (In the Senate - Received from the House May 10, 2023; |
| 1-3 | May 11, 2023, read first time and referred to committee on |
| 1-4 | Education; May 23, 2023, reported favorably by the following vote: |
| 1-5 | Yeas 13, Nays 0; May 23, 2023, sent to printer.) |
| 1-6 | COMMITTEE VOTE |
| 1-7 | Yea Nay Absent PNV |
| 1-8 | Creighton X |
| 1-9 | Campbell X |
| 1-10 | Bettencourt X |
| 1-11 | Birdwell X |
| 1-12 | Flores X |
| 1-13 | King X |
| 1-14 | LaMantia X |
| 1-15 | Menéndez X |
| 1-16 | Middleton X |
| 1-17 | Parker X |
| 1-18 | Paxton X |
| 1-19 | Springer X |
| 1-20 | West X |
| 1-21 | A BILL TO BE ENTITLED |
| 1-22 | AN ACT |
| 1-23 | relating to Texas Fruit and Vegetable Day in public schools. |
| 1-24 | $B E$ IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: |
| 1-25 | SECTION 1. Subchapter Z, Chapter 29, Education Code, is |
| 1-26 | amended by adding Section 29.9073 to read as follows: |
| 1-27 | Sec. 29.9073. TEXAS FRUIT AND VEGETABLE DAY. (a) The first |
| 1-28 | Friday in April is designated Texas Fruit and Vegetable Day in |
| 1-29 | public schools to promote awareness of the health benefits of |
| 1-30 | fruits and vegetables and to encourage students to consume more |
| 1-31 | fruits and vegetables during Texas Fruit and Vegetable Month under |
| 1-32 | Section 662.103, Government Code. |
| 1-33 | (b) Texas Fruit and Vegetable Day shall include appropriate |
| 1-34 | instruction, as determined by each school district. |
| 1-35 | (c) The agency may collaborate with other state agencies to |
| 1-36 | promote Texas Fruit and Vegetable Day. |
| 1-37 | SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2023-2024 |
| 1-38 | school year. |
| 1-39 | SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives |
| 1-40 | a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as |
| 1-41 | provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this |
| 1-42 | Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this |
| 1-43 | Act takes effect September 1, 2023. |
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