

1-1 By: Middleton S.B. No. 1972  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 6, 2025; March 17, 2025, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Education K-16;  
 1-4 April 22, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 11,  
 1-5 Nays 0; April 22, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-8	X			
1-9	X			
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1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to a limitation on rules, bylaws, and policies adopted by a  
 1-22 school district's board of trustees.

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

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 11.151(d), Education Code, is amended to  
 1-25 read as follows:

1-26 (d) The trustees may adopt rules and bylaws necessary to  
 1-27 carry out the powers and duties provided by Subsection (b). The  
 1-28 trustees may not adopt or enforce a rule, bylaw, or any other policy  
 1-29 that restricts a trustee's ability to share the trustee's opinion on  
 1-30 a matter voted on by the board of trustees or any other school  
 1-31 district matter.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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