

CHAPTER 388

H.B. No. 1532

An Act relating to the authority of a teacher to request a hearing on charges resulting in release under a continuing contract.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 13.112(b), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Upon any charges based upon grounds of ~~inefficiency, or~~ inability or failure of the teacher to perform his assigned duties, the board of trustees may in its discretion establish a committee of classroom teachers and administrators, and the teacher may request a hearing before this committee prior to hearing of the matter by the board of trustees.

SECTION 2. *The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.*

Passed by the House on May 8, 1985, by a non-record vote; passed by the Senate on May 21, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved: June 10, 1985

Effective: August 26, 1985