

CHAPTER 9

S.B. No. 172

An Act relating to the membership of the Southern Regional Education Compact; adding Section 160.08 to Chapter 160, Education Code.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 160, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 160.08 to read as follows: *

“Section 160.08. CONSENT TO MEMBERSHIP OF OKLAHOMA. Consent is hereby given by the State of Texas to the membership of the State of Oklahoma in the Southern Regional Education Compact set out in this chapter on the same terms and conditions as if that state had signed, ratified, and approved the compact as one of the original contracting states, subject to the approval of the other states party to the compact, and subject to the execution of a copy of the compact by the Governor of Oklahoma, and subject to the approval of the compact and acceptance of its terms, agreements, and obligations by the Oklahoma Legislature.”

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 the Senate on February 11, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0; passed the House on March 14, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 135, Nays 0, one present not voting.

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Effective: Immediately