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H. B. No. 862

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to placing the State Board of Education and the State Board
3 for Educator Certification under periodic review by the Sunset
4 Advisory Commission.

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

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 7, Education Code, is
7 amended by adding Section 7.1011 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 7.1011. SUNSET PROVISION. The State Board of
9 Education is subject to review under Chapter 325, Government Code
10 (Texas Sunset Act), but is not abolished under that chapter. The
11 board shall be reviewed during the periods in which state agencies
12 scheduled to be abolished in 2013 and every 12th year after that
13 year are reviewed.

14 SECTION 2. Subchapter B, Chapter 21, Education Code, is
15 amended by adding Section 21.0331 to read as follows:

16 Sec. 21.0331. SUNSET PROVISION. The board is subject to
17 review under Chapter 325, Government Code (Texas Sunset Act).
18 Unless continued in existence as provided by that chapter, the
19 board is abolished September 1, 2013.

20 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
21 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
22 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
23 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
24 Act takes effect September 1, 2011.