SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 25, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 25.0821 to read as follows:

Sec. 25.0821. MINUTE OF SILENCE TO COMMEMORATE SEPTEMBER 11, 2001. (a) To commemorate the events of September 11, 2001, in each year that date falls on a regular school day, each public elementary or secondary school shall provide for the observance of one minute of silence at the beginning of the first class period of that day.

(b) Immediately before the period of observance required by this section, the class instructor shall make a statement of reference to the memory of individuals who died on September 11, 2001.

(c) The period of observance required by this section may be held in conjunction with the minute of silence required by Section 25.082.

SECTION 2. This Act applies beginning with the 2013–2014 academic year.

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on May 2, 2013: Yeas 146, Nays 1, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 22, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.
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CHAPTER 926
H.B. No. 1503
AN ACT
relating to the appointment of building contractors to certain trade advisory boards of the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1302.201, Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1302.201. ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERSHIP. The air conditioning and refrigeration contractors advisory board consists of nine [seven] members appointed by the presiding officer of the commission, with the commission’s approval, and two ex officio nonvoting members. One member of the advisory board must be a public member.

SECTION 2. Section 1302.202(a), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Except for the public member and the building contractor member, each appointed advisory board member must be experienced in the design, installation, construction, maintenance, service, repair, or modification of equipment used for environmental air conditioning, commercial refrigeration, or process cooling or heating. Other than the public member, of the appointed members:

(1) one must be an official of a municipality with a population of more than 250,000;
(2) one must be an official of a municipality with a population of not more than 250,000; [and]
(3) five [four] must be full-time licensed air conditioning and refrigeration contractors, as follows:
   (A) one member who holds a Class A license and practices in a municipality with a population of more than 250,000;
   (B) one member who holds a Class B license and practices in a municipality with a population of more than 250,000;
   (C) one member who holds a Class A license and practices in a municipality with a population of more than 25,000 but not more than 250,000; [and]
(D) one member who holds a Class B license and practices in a municipality with a population of not more than 25,000; and

(E) one member who holds a license of any classification under this chapter, is principally engaged in air conditioning and refrigeration contracting, and practices in a municipality; and

(A) one must be a building contractor who is principally engaged in home construction and is a member of a statewide building trade association.

SECTION 3. Section 1305.051(b), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The advisory board members must include:

(1) two members who are affiliated with a statewide association of electrical contractors not affiliated with a labor organization;

(2) three members who are affiliated with a labor organization;

(3) one member who is not affiliated with a statewide association of electrical contractors or with a labor organization; [and]

(4) one member who is affiliated with a historically underutilized business, as that term is defined by Section 2161.001, Government Code; and

(5) one public member who is a building contractor principally engaged in home construction and is a member of a statewide building trade association.

SECTION 4. (a) Not later than December 1, 2013, the presiding officer of the Texas Commission of Licensing and Regulation, with the commission's approval, shall appoint the additional board members described by Section 1302.202, Occupations Code, as amended by this Act, to the air conditioning and refrigeration contractors advisory board.

(b) The change in law made by this Act to Section 1305.051(b), Occupations Code, regarding the qualifications of members of the electrical safety and licensing advisory board does not affect the entitlement of a member serving on the board immediately before the effective date of this Act to continue to serve for the remainder of the member's term. As terms on the board expire, the presiding officer of the Texas Commission of Licensing and Regulation shall appoint members that reflect the requirements of Section 1305.051(b), Occupations Code, as amended by this Act.

SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on April 25, 2013: Yeas 135, Nays 0, 1 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 20, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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CHAPTER 927

H.B. No. 1513

AN ACT

relating to temporary increases in the records archive fees and the records management and preservation fees charged by district and county clerks.

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

ARTICLE 1. FEES EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2013

SECTION 1.01. Section 51.305(b), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The commissioners court of a county may adopt a district court records archive fee of not more than $10 ($5) for the filing of a suit, including an appeal from an inferior court, or a