developed at the district level under a substantial evidence standard of review. The parties to the appeal may agree in writing to extend, by not more than 60 days, the date by which the commissioner must issue a decision under this subsection. A school district's disclosure of the record to the commissioner under this subsection is not an offense under Section 551.146, Government Code.

SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only to an appeal filed on or after the effective date of this Act. An appeal filed before the effective date of this Act is governed by the law in effect at the time the appeal was filed, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

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 9, 2013: Yeas 140, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 17, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective June 14, 2013.

CHAPTER 372

H.B. No. 3031

AN ACT
relating to fare enforcement officers for metropolitan rapid transit authorities.

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

SECTION 1. The heading to Section 451.0612, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 451.0612. FARE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS [IN CERTAIN AUTHORITIES].

SECTION 2. Section 451.0612(a), Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) An authority [confirmed before July 1, 1985, in which the principal municipality has a population of less than 850,000] may employ persons to serve as fare enforcement officers to enforce the payment of fares for use of the public transportation system by:

(1) requesting and inspecting evidence showing payment of the appropriate fare from a person using the public transportation system; and

(2) issuing a citation to a person described by Section 451.0611(d)(1).

SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed by the House on April 25, 2013: Yeas 135, Nays 1, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate on May 15, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 373

H.B. No. 3064

AN ACT
relating to the disposition of unclaimed cremated remains of certain veterans.

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

SECTION 1. Subtitle B, Title 8, Health and Safety Code, is amended by adding Chapter 696 to read as follows:

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