SECTION 19. Sections 288.003 and 288.004; Subsection (b), Section 288.051; Sections 288.062, 288.063, 288.064, 288.065, 288.066, 288.067, 288.068, and 288.103; Subsection (b), Section 288.104; and Sections 288.106, 288.107, 288.153, and 288.206, Health and Safety Code, are repealed.

SECTION 20. If before implementing any provision of this Act a state agency determines that a waiver or authorization from a federal agency is necessary for implementation of that provision, the agency affected by the provision shall request the waiver or authorization and may delay implementing that provision until the waiver or authorization is granted.

SECTION 21. 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 the Senate on April 11, 2013: Yeas 28, Nays 3; the Senate concurred in House amendments on May 24, 2013: Yeas 28, Nays 3; passed the House, with amendments, on May 21, 2013: Yeas 142, Nays 4, two present not voting.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective June 14, 2013.

CHAPTER 1370
S.B. No. 1658

AN ACT
relating to the effect of certain state aid on school districts required to take action to equalize wealth under the school finance system.

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

SECTION 1. The heading to Section 41.0041, Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 41.0041. EFFECT OF [ADDITIONAL] STATE AID [FOR TAX REDUCTION].

SECTION 2. Subsections (b), (c), and (d), Section 41.0041, Education Code, are amended to read as follows:

(b) When the commissioner initially identifies a school district under Section 41.004 as having a wealth per student for a school year that exceeds the equalized wealth level, the commissioner shall estimate:

(1) the amount of state revenue to which the district is entitled under Chapter 42 [Section 42.2516] for that school year; and

(2) the cost to the district to purchase attendance credits under Subchapter D in an amount sufficient to reduce the district's wealth per student to the equalized wealth level for that school year.

(c) If the commissioner determines that the amount described by Subsection (b)(1) exceeds the amount described by Subsection (b)(2), the commissioner shall notify the district of the commissioner's determination. In lieu of exercising an option described by Section 41.003, the district's board of trustees may authorize the commissioner to withhold from the state revenue to which the district is entitled under Chapter 42 [Section 42.2516] an amount equal to the amount described by Subsection (b)(2).

(d) In calculating the amount of state revenue to be withheld from a school district under this section, the commissioner shall calculate the cost for the district to reduce the district's wealth per student to the equalized wealth level using the final attendance and tax rate data for the school year and shall award the district any available credit or discount under Subchapter D as if the district had exercised the option under Section 41.003(3) in a timely manner. If the final amount calculated for the cost for the district to reduce the district's wealth per student to the equalized wealth level for a school year exceeds the amount of state revenue to which the district is entitled under Chapter 42 [Section 42.2516] for that year:
(1) the commissioner shall:

(A) withhold the entire amount of state revenue to which the district is entitled under Chapter 42 [Section 42.2516] for that year; and

(B) withhold the additional amount of the cost for the district to reduce the district’s wealth per student to the equalized wealth level for that year from the state revenue to which the district is entitled under Chapter 42 [Section 42.2516] for a subsequent school year, or if the additional amount exceeds the amount of state revenue to which the district is entitled, add the difference to the cost of the attendance credits that the district must purchase in the subsequent year; and

(2) the district is not required to take any further action to reduce its wealth per student for that year.

SECTION 3. Subsection (a), Section 57.32, Chapter 4 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 82nd Legislature, 1st Called Session, 2011, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Effective September 1, 2017, the following provisions of the Education Code are repealed:

(1) [Section 41.0041;]

(2) [Section 42.25161;]

(3) [Section 42.2523;]

(4) [Section 42.2524;]

(5) Subsection (c-1), Section 42.253; and

(6) [Section 42.261.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on April 25, 2013: Yeas 30, Nays 0; passed the House on May 22, 2013: Yeas 148, Nays 0, two present not voting.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective September 1, 2013.

CHAPTER 1371

S.B. No. 1678

AN ACT

relating to the events and expenses eligible for, reporting requirements concerning disbursements from, and a study by the comptroller of the Major Events trust fund and the Events trust fund.

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

SECTION 1. Subdivision (4), Subsection (a), Section 5A, Chapter 1507 (S.B. 456), Acts of the 76th Legislature, Regular Session, 1999 (Article 5190.14, Vernon’s Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

(4) “Event” means a Super Bowl, a National Collegiate Athletic Association Final Four tournament game, the National Basketball Association All-Star Game, the X Games, the National Hockey League All-Star Game, the Major League Baseball All-Star Game, a National Collegiate Athletic Association Bowl Championship Series game, a World Cup Soccer game, the World Games, a national collegiate championship of an amateur sport sanctioned by the national governing body of the sport that is recognized by the United States Olympic Committee, an Olympic activity, including a Junior or Senior activity, training program, or feeder program sanctioned by the United States Olympic Committee’s Community Olympic Development Program, a mixed martial arts championship, the Breeders’ Cup World Championships, a Formula One automobile race, the Academy of Country Music Awards, the National Cutting Horse Association Triple Crown, [or a national political convention of the Republican National Committee or the Democratic National Committee, or]