(5) sets forth the plans and arrangements made for contacts with and continuing services to the student beyond regular school hours to ensure the student learns the skills and receives the instruction [training] required under Subsection (c)(4)(B) [(e)(4)].

SECTION 2. Subsection (e), Section 30.002, Education Code, as amended by this Act, applies beginning with the 2013-2014 school 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 the Senate on May 1, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 22, 2013: Yeas 148, Nays 0, two present not voting.

Approved June 14, 2013.

Effective June 14, 2013.

CHAPTER 506

S.B. No. 45

AN ACT relating to the provision of employment assistance and supported employment to certain Medicaid waiver program participants.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter B, Chapter 32, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Section 32.075 to read as follows:

Sec. 32.075. EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT. (a) In this section:

(1) “Employment assistance” means assistance provided to an individual to help the individual locate paid employment in the community. Employment assistance includes:

(A) identifying an individual’s employment preferences, job skills, and requirements for a work setting and work conditions;

(B) locating prospective employers offering employment compatible with an individual’s identified preferences, skills, and requirements; and

(C) contacting a prospective employer on behalf of an individual and negotiating the individual’s employment.

(2) “Supported employment” means assistance provided in order to sustain paid employment, to an individual who, because of a disability, requires intensive, ongoing support to be self-employed, work from home, or perform in a work setting at which individuals without disabilities are employed. Supported employment includes adaptations, supervision, and training related to an individual’s diagnosis.

(b) This section applies only to the following medical assistance waiver programs:

(1) the community based alternatives program;
(2) the community living assistance and support services program;
(3) the deaf-blind with multiple disabilities program;
(4) the home and community-based services program;
(5) the medically dependent children program;
(6) the STAR + PLUS Medicaid managed care program;
(7) the Texas home living program; and
(8) the youth empowerment services program.

(c) The department shall provide employment assistance and supported employment to participants in the waiver programs identified in Subsection (b).
SECTION 2. As soon as possible after the effective date of this Act, the Health and Human Services Commission shall apply for any waiver or other authorization necessary to implement this Act. The commission may delay implementing this Act until the waiver or authorization is granted.

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 the Senate on April 11, 2013: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 17, 2013: Yeas 128, Nays 6, two present not voting.

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CHAPTER 507
S.B. No. 67
AN ACT
relating to reporting requirements for institutions of higher education conducting human stem cell research.

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (h), Section 61.051, Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(h) The board shall make continuing studies of the needs of the state for research and designate the institutions of higher education to perform research as needed. The board shall also maintain an inventory of all institutional and programmatic research activities being conducted by the various institutions, whether state-financed or not. Once a year, on dates prescribed by the board, each institution of higher education shall report to the board all research conducted at that institution during the last preceding year. Each institution's report must include the amounts spent by the institution on human embryonic stem cell research and adult stem cell research during the year covered by the report and the source of the funding for that research. All reports required by this subsection shall be made subject to the limitations imposed by security regulations governing defense contracts for research. Not later than January 1 of each year, the board shall submit to the legislature information regarding human stem cell research obtained by the board from reports required by this subsection.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

Passed the Senate on March 13, 2013: Yeas 31, 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 508
S.B. No. 122
AN ACT
relating to the removal from office of a member of the board of trustees of an independent school district.

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

SECTION 1. Section 87.012, Local Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

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