BILL ANALYSIS

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DIGEST AND PURPOSE

Currently Texas law states that a child support obligor, who is more than thirty days delinquent in paying child support is not eligible to receive payments from state funds, grants or loans, nor may a business entity with a sole proprietor partner, shareholder, or owner with an ownership of at least 25 percent who is more than 30 days delinquent with child support obligations. As proposed, S.B. 830 would prevent delinquent child support obligors from receiving educational loans, scholarships, or any other student financial assistance programs that are either state funded or state administered.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 231.006(a), Family Code, to provide that a delinquent child support obligor is not eligible to receive state-funded or state-administered student financial assistance.

SECTION 2. (a) Effective date: September 1, 2003.

(b) Makes application of this Act prospective.