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H.B. No. 1255

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the maximum amount of certain awards made to public school teachers under the Texas Advanced Placement Incentive Program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 28.053(d), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d) A teacher participating in the program may be awarded:

(1) subsidized teacher training~~[, not to exceed \$450 for each teacher,]~~ for a college advanced placement course or an international baccalaureate course;

(2) a one-time award of \$250 for teaching a college advanced placement course or an international baccalaureate course for the first time; and

(3) a share of the teacher bonus pool, which shall be distributed by the teacher's school in shares proportional to the number of courses taught.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.