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H.B. No. 145

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to certain legislative deadlines.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 322, Government Code, is amended by adding new Section 322.025 to read as follows:

Sec. 322.025 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITY DEADLINES. (a) On or before the 100th legislative day, the legislature shall send to the Governor:

(1) the General Appropriations Act;

(2) any legislation reauthorizing a state agency under review by the sunset advisory commission; or

(3) any legislation concerning public school finance that is respondent to a court order of invalidity or unconstitutionality.

(b) After the 100th legislative day, no legislation shall be considered by either chamber of the legislature until the legislation described by subsection (a) has been sent to the Governor.