House Bill 3, as passed by the 86th Legislature, was signed into law by Governor Abbott on June 11, 2019. HB 3 impacts school districts serving gifted/talented (G/T) students.

The G/T program requirements for school districts under HB3 are:

- 1. Each district shall adopt a policy regarding the use of funds to support the district's program for G/T students.
- 2. Each district shall annually certify to the commissioner that the district has established a program for G/T students as required by rule and it is consistent with the <u>Texas State Plan for the Education of Gifted/Talented Students</u> (State Plan) under Texas Education Code Section 29.123.
- 3. Each district shall report to the commissioner regarding the use of the funds on the district's

Sincerely,

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