



# La Vernia Independent School District

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Dr. Hensley Cone, Superintendent

## Action Agenda Sheet

**Date:** September 28, 2026

**Subject:** Consider and Approve Compliance with Senate Bill 12

**Administrator Responsible:** Ms. Belinda Raindl, Chief Financial Officer

**A. Purpose of Agenda Item:**

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**B. District Goal:**

3. Ensure Safe, Efficient, and Transparent District and Campus Operations

**C. Summary:**

Senate Bill 12, passed during the 89th Legislative Session, requires school districts to annually certify compliance with state requirements related to parental rights, instructional practices, and prohibitions on diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) duties. By September 30 each year, the Superintendent must electronically certify to the Texas Education Agency that the District complies with Texas Education Code §§11.005 and 28.0022.

The certification requires the District to identify applicable policies and procedures, describe how employees and contractors were notified of the requirements, and document any policies, programs, procedures, or trainings that were revised to ensure compliance. TASB has provided recommended policy updates aligned with the statutory requirements. The District has sent the required notices to both vendors and employees and meets compliance with Senate Bill 12.

**Administrative recommendation:** I move that the Board approve the District's compliance with Senate Bill 12 requirements and authorize the Superintendent to certify to the Texas Education Agency that La Vernia ISD is in compliance with Texas Education Code Sections 11.005 and 28.0022, including the implementation of all required policies, procedures, employee notifications, and related compliance measures.

### **La Vernia ISD Mission Statement**

*The mission of La Vernia ISD is to collaboratively educate and inspire all students to be life-long learners with unlimited possibilities as contributing members of society.*