

## **BOARD ACTION ITEM APPROVAL FORM**

DATE: 08/08/2025

SUBJECT: Good Cause Exception for Armed Security Officers

**BACKGROUND:** Section 37.0814(c) of the Texas Education Code authorizes the Board to claim a good cause exception to the requirement to place an armed security officer who is a peace officer at each campus if Texans Can Academies is unable to comply due to lack of available funding and/or qualified personnel

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION: It is necessary for the Board to renew Texans Can Academies' good cause exception to the requirement that each campus have an armed security officer during regular school hours as provided under the new Texas Education Code section 37.0814(c) due to the unavailability of funding and/or unavailability of personnel who qualify as a school district peace officer, school resource officer, or a commissioned peace officer employed as security personnel.

**BUDGET IMPLICATIONS: N/A** 

**RECOMMENDATION**: That the Texans Can Academies' Board of Trustees approve the renewal of the Good Cause Exception for **Armed Security Officers** 

SUBMITTED BY:

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APPROVED BY:

James Ponce, EdD, Superintendent

ATTACHMENTS: Board Resolution for the Good Cause Exception for Armed Security Officers

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