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TSTA: Vouchers harm public school students

Texas State Teachers Association President Noel Candelaria issued the following statement today on the Senate's preliminary approval of SB4, the voucher bill:

"At a time when neighborhood schools are being shortchanged, we are extremely disappointed that the Senate has voted to use tax dollars to fund a separate private school voucher system for a handful of select students. A tax credit scholarship is a voucher that harms public school students and their hard-working, tax-paying parents."