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Bill Analysis

SB 973 modifies language related to sex education curriculum. It directs notification to a parent or legal guardian to be made in sufficient time for him or her to respond. It prohibits a student from being penalized for not receiving the instruction. The measure also prohibits curriculum and materials for grades kindergarten through six from including information on sexual orientation or gender identity. It states that for grades seven and above, the teacher providing instruction must ensure equal time is spent on the two-gender perspective.

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