The board shall adopt a policy providing for the employment and duties of district personnel. The employment policy must provide that the board employs and evaluates the superintendent. *Education Code 11.1513(a)(1)* [See DC]

A board shall appraise a superintendent annually using either:

1. The commissioner of education’s recommended appraisal process and criteria; or

2. An appraisal process and performance criteria that are:
   a. Developed by the district in consultation with the district- and campus-level committees; and
   b. Adopted by the board.

*Education Code 21.354(c)*

In addition to other procedures and criteria determined by the board, the commissioner’s recommended appraisal process and criteria shall include, at a minimum, an annual evaluation of the superintendent and a student performance domain. Completion of the Lone Star Governance superintendent evaluation may satisfy these requirements. *19 TAC 150.1031(b)–(c)*

The information in the annual report describing the educational performance of a district [see AIB] shall be a primary consideration of the board in evaluating the superintendent. *Education Code 39.307(3)(C)*

Funds of the district may not be used to pay a superintendent who has not been appraised in the preceding 15 months. *Education Code 21.354(d)*

A document evaluating the performance of a teacher or administrator is confidential and is not subject to disclosure under the Public Information Act, Government Code Chapter 552. *Education Code 21.355* [For disclosure requirements on evaluations, see GBA.]