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IMPACT TO BUSINESS

Research shows that as many as 160,000 Texas businesses, including many small and family businesses, are impacted by school start dates. Some businesses have reported losing millions of dollars in revenues because of early school start dates, which result in workforce reductions and business contractions, discouraging economic growth.

Facts and Figures:

A 2017 Perryman Group study determined the total annual economic losses of starting the school year an average of just one week earlier will cost the Texas economy:

- More than \$1 billion in aggregate spending
- \$543.2 million in gross product
- 7,506 jobs
- 124.2 million in state tax revenues per biennium.