vote on the adoption of a proposed innovation plan (TEC §12A.005 (a)(2), TAC §102.1307(a)(2)) the board must notify the commissioner of education on their intent to vote; and 2) the district shall notify the commissioner of board of trustees approval of the plan along with list of approved exemptions by completing the agency form in TAC §102.1307(d). Districts must also notify the commissioner after the plan is amended, renewed, or rescinded, however, unlike the adoption of a new plan, a notice of intent to amend, renew, or rescind the plan is not required.

3. What forms are necessary for my DOI?

- x Resolution the agency has no defined form for the resolution. Please consult with your legal counsel regarding your local policies. In addition, TASB has a sample resolution available on their website for reference.
- x DOI Plan As each district's local innovation plan should be developed specifically for their local needs and provide exemptions that inhibit the goals of their plan, there is no standard template. Please note the requirements of a local innovation plan per TEC §12A.003, which must provide for a comprehensive educational program for the district

Regarding the agency form (checklist of exemptions), there is an exemption in my plan for which there is no checkbox on the form. Do I have to report this exemption? Yes. An adopted exemption for which there is no corresponding checkbox must be added to the "Other" section of the form located on the bottom of the last page.

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13. Can a district exempt itself from requirements outside of TEC? No, a district may not exempt itself from related rules independently from TEC requirements. This includes requirements of provisions outside the TEC (TAC §102.1309(b)(3)). While corresponding sections of administrative code mirror statutes in education code and detail regulatory and administrative rules, only the appropriate section of education code may be exempted from in order for flexibilities in administrative code to be extended, not the other way around. Please consult with local legal counsel regarding the correct section(s) of Texas Nr6a (h)-0.6 (e)-5.77 (h)-0.6 (l)-1t4Tr3. P15r9btr.