

➤ **H.B. 89 Verification**

The 2017 Texas Legislature enacted House Bill 89 (codified in chapter 2270 of the Texas Government Code). As of September 1, 2017, state law requires written verification by a for-profit company before a local government (city, school district, special district, etc.) may enter into a contract with the company for goods or services:

STATEMENT: "I verify that the company named below does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of the above referenced contract."

Definition: "boycott" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

Company Name: School Specialty, Inc.

Signature of Company's Authorized Official: 

Print Name: Amy Fuss

Title: Assistant Secretary

Date: 11/14/2017