## Explanation of the 2018 PBMAS Regional Report

Indicator: The Performance-Based Monitoring Analysis System (PBMAS) reports performance and program effectiveness results on a variety of indicators. Detailed information on the indicators can be found in each year's PBMAS Manual, available at http://tea.texas.gov/pbm/PBMASManuals.aspx.

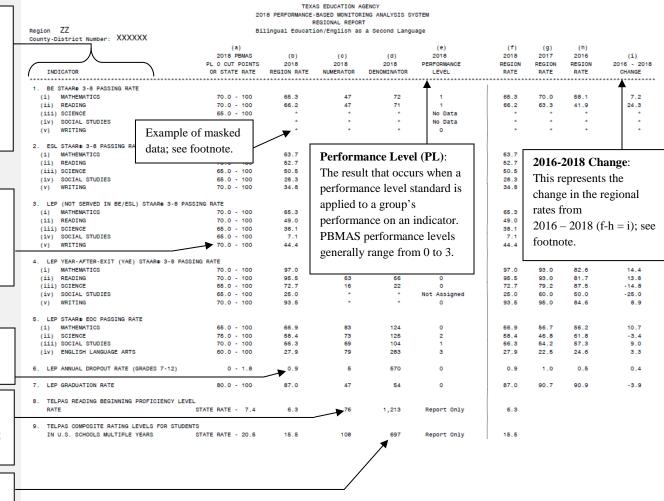
## 2018 PBMAS PL 0 Cut Points or State

**Rate**: This is the range of performance for a PL 0 or, if the indicator is a Report Only indicator, this is the average performance (state rate) of all regions in the state.

**2018 Region Rate**: This represents the performance of each region as a whole on a particular indicator (c/d=b).

**2018 Numerator**: The number of events observed in a particular indicator (e.g. the number of students scoring at the beginning proficiency level).

**2018 Denominator:** This represents the total population evaluated in a particular indicator (e.g. the number of students with a TELPAS Composite Rating).



Detailed information on each of the indicators above can be found in the '2018 PBMAS Manual' at <a href="http://tea.texas.gov/pbm/PBMASManuals.aspx">http://tea.texas.gov/pbm/PBMASManuals.aspx</a>. An asterisk (\*) is used to mask data in order to protect student confidentiality.

The values presented in column (i) for all STAAR® 3-8 and EOC performance indicators are not entirely comparable because they reflect changes in rates regardless of changes to student performance standards.