By: NaishtatH.B. No. 268Substitute the following for H.B. No. 268:By: Brown of BrazosC.S.H.B. No. 268

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1	AN ACT
2	relating to application of the hazing statutes to private
3	institutions of higher education; providing penalties.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Section 51.936, Education Code, is amended by
6	amending Subsections (a) and (b) and adding Subsection (e) to read
7	as follows:
8	(a) Subchapter F, Chapter 37, applies to <u>a postsecondary</u>
9	[hazing at an] educational institution under this section in the
10	same manner as that subchapter applies to a public or private high
11	<u>school</u> .
12	(b) For purposes of this section, in Subchapter F, Chapter
13	37, " <u>postsecondary</u> educational institution" means <u>:</u>
14	(1) an institution of higher education as defined by
15	Section 61.003;
16	(2) a private or independent institution of higher
17	education as defined by Section 61.003; or
18	(3) a private postsecondary educational institution
19	as defined by Section 61.302.
20	(e) Section 1.001(a) does not limit the application of this
21	section to postsecondary educational institutions supported in
22	whole or part by state tax funds.
23	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

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