

By: Giddings

H.B. No. 2802

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2802:

By: Jones of Dallas

C.S.H.B. No. 2802

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the establishment of a school of pharmacy at the
3 University of North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 105, Education Code, is
6 amended by adding Section 105.405 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 105.405. SCHOOL OF PHARMACY. (a) The board may
8 establish and maintain a school of pharmacy as a professional
9 school of the health science center.

10 (b) The board may prescribe courses leading to customary
11 degrees offered at other leading American schools of pharmacy and
12 may award those degrees.

13 (c) If available facilities for the school of pharmacy at
14 the health science center become insufficient to operate the
15 school, the board may locate any facility necessary for the
16 permanent operation of the school of pharmacy on land owned by the
17 system for establishing the University of North Texas at Dallas or,
18 if that university has been established, at the university.

19 SECTION 2. Not later than August 31, 2004, the Texas Higher
20 Education Coordinating Board shall prepare an impact statement
21 examining the initial implementation of this Act and shall deliver
22 a copy of the statement to the board of regents of the University of
23 North Texas System and to the chair of the standing committee of
24 each house of the legislature with primary jurisdiction over higher

1 education.

2 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.