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H.B. No. 320

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the student enrollment required for the operation of
3 Texas A&M University--Central Texas as an independent general
4 academic teaching institution.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 87.861(d), Education Code, is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter,
9 Texas A&M University--Central Texas may not operate as a general
10 academic teaching institution until the Texas Higher Education
11 Coordinating Board certifies that enrollment at the Tarleton State
12 University System Center--Central Texas in Killeen has reached an
13 enrollment equivalent of 1,000 [~~2,500~~] full-time students for one
14 semester.

15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
16 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
17 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
18 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
19 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.