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H.B. No. 2656

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the establishment of a state airport in Central Texas by
3 the Texas Department of Transportation.

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

5 SECTION 1. Sections 21.069(a) and (e), Transportation Code,
6 are amended to read as follows:

7 (a) The department [~~, in consultation with the State~~
8 ~~Aircraft Pooling Board,~~] shall establish a state airport in Central
9 Texas that is open to the general public.

10 (e) The department may utilize only federal matching funds,
11 federal grants, in-kind contributions, private sector funds,
12 nonprofit grants, department funds appropriated for aviation
13 services, and local government funding for the establishment of
14 this facility.

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.