

# SENATE AMENDMENTS

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By: Krusee

H.B. No. 2074

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the creation of the East Williamson County  
3 Multi-Institution Teaching Center.

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

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

7 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subchapter,  
8 Texas A&M University--Central Texas may not operate as a general  
9 academic teaching institution until the Texas Higher Education  
10 Coordinating Board certifies that enrollment at the Tarleton State  
11 University System Center--Central Texas in Killeen has reached an  
12 enrollment equivalent of 1,000 full-time students for one semester.  
13 In computing the full-time student enrollment equivalent for a  
14 semester under this subsection, the coordinating board shall  
15 include any semester credit hours completed at the East Williamson  
16 County Multi-Institution Teaching Center under Section 130.092 in  
17 courses conducted by the faculty of the Tarleton State University  
18 System Center--Central Texas, or its successor.

19 SECTION 2. Chapter 130, Education Code, is amended by  
20 adding Subchapter F to read as follows:

21 SUBCHAPTER F. SPECIAL PROGRAMS OPERATED BY CERTAIN JUNIOR

22 COLLEGE DISTRICTS

23 Sec. 130.091. DEFINITION. In this chapter "institution of  
24 higher education" has the meaning assigned by Section 61.003.

1           Sec. 130.092. EAST WILLIAMSON COUNTY MULTI-INSTITUTION  
2 TEACHING CENTER. (a) The Temple Junior College District shall  
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5 Teaching Center:

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7                   (2) Tarleton State University System Center--Central  
8 Texas;

9                   (3) Texas State Technical College--Waco; or

10                   (4) another public or private institution of higher  
11 education.

12           (b) The center shall provide coordinated higher education  
13 opportunities to the residents of the region in which the center is  
14 located by offering academic credit courses and programs from the  
15 member institutions of the center. The center must be administered  
16 under a formal agreement entered into by the Temple Junior College  
17 District with the other member institutions.

18           (c) The member institutions of the center shall work with  
19 the local community to identify and offer courses that will meet the  
20 educational and workforce development goals for the region served  
21 by the center.

22           (d) The member institutions of the center may, under the  
23 terms of the formal agreement, make provisions for adequate  
24 physical facilities for use by the center.

25           (e) The member institutions of the center may solicit,  
26 accept, and administer, on terms and conditions acceptable to the  
27 members, gifts, grants, or donations of any kind and from any source

1 for use by the center.

2           SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
3 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
4 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
5 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
6 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

ADOPTED

MAY 22 2007

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Secretary of the Senate

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Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2074:

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**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
Austin, Texas

**FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 18, 2007**

**TO:** Honorable Florence Shapiro, Chair, Senate Committee on Education

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB2074** by Krusee (relating to the creation of the East Williamson County Multi-Institution Teaching Center. ), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

**Estimated Two-year Net Impact to General Revenue Related Funds** for HB2074, Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted: an impact of \$0 through the biennium ending August 31, 2009.

The bill would make no appropriation but could provide the legal basis for an appropriation of funds to implement the provisions of the bill.

**General Revenue-Related Funds, Five-Year Impact:**

Fiscal Year	Probable Net Positive/(Negative) Impact to General Revenue Related Funds
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**Local Government Impact**

No fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 710 Texas A&M University System Administrative and General Offices, 781 Higher Education Coordinating Board

**LBB Staff:** JOB, JSp, MN, RT, SSh



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FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 16, 2007

TO: Honorable Judith Zaffirini, Chair, Senate Committee on S/C on Higher Education

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: **HB2074** by Krusee (Relating to the creation of the East Williamson County Multi-Institution Teaching Center.), **As Engrossed**

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**FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**Revision 2**

**April 23, 2007**

**TO:** Honorable Geanie Morrison, Chair, House Committee on Higher Education

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2074** by Krusee (Relating to the creation of the East Williamson County Multi-Institution Teaching Center.), **Committee Report 1st House, Substituted**

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April 3, 2007

**TO:** Honorable Geanie Morrison, Chair, House Committee on Higher Education

**FROM:** John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

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**April 1, 2007**

**TO:** Honorable Geanie Morrison, Chair, House Committee on Higher Education

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