

1-1 By: Morrison, Deshotel, Hamilton H.B. No. 2424
1-2 (Senate Sponsor - Huffman)
1-3 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 6, 2009;
1-4 May 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Higher
1-5 Education; May 13, 2009, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-6 Yeas 4, Nays 0; May 13, 2009, sent to printer.)

1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-8 AN ACT

1-9 relating to exempting Lamar State College--Orange and Lamar State
1-10 College--Port Arthur from certain requirements relating to student
1-11 admissions.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Section 51.805, Education Code, is amended by
1-14 adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

1-15 (f) This section does not apply to Lamar State
1-16 College--Orange or Lamar State College--Port Arthur as long as
1-17 those institutions operate as two-year lower-division institutions
1-18 of higher education.

1-19 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-20 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-21 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-22 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-23 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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