

1-1 By: Shapleigh, Zaffirini S.B. No. 201  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed November 10, 2008; February 11, 2009,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education;  
1-4 April 20, 2009, reported adversely, with favorable Committee  
1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; April 20, 2009,  
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 201 By: Patrick

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the participation of the medical school at Texas Tech  
1-11 University Health Sciences Center at El Paso in the Joint Admission  
1-12 Medical Program.

1-13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-14 SECTION 1. Subdivision (4), Section 51.821, Education Code,  
1-15 is amended to read as follows:

1-16 (4) "Participating medical school" means each of the  
1-17 following entities:

1-18 (A) the medical school at The University of Texas  
1-19 Health Science Center at Houston;

1-20 (B) the medical school at The University of Texas  
1-21 Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas;

1-22 (C) the medical school at The University of Texas  
1-23 Health Science Center at San Antonio;

1-24 (D) the medical school at The University of Texas  
1-25 Medical Branch at Galveston;

1-26 (E) the medical school at Texas Tech University  
1-27 Health Sciences Center at Lubbock;

1-28 (F) the medical school at Texas Tech University  
1-29 Health Sciences Center at El Paso;

1-30 (G) the Baylor College of Medicine;

1-31 (H) [~~(G)~~] the college of osteopathic medicine at  
1-32 the University of North Texas Health Science Center at Fort Worth;  
1-33 and

1-34 (I) [~~(H)~~] the medical school at The Texas A&M  
1-35 University System Health Science Center.

1-36 SECTION 2. (a) As soon as practicable after the effective  
1-37 date of this Act, the medical school at Texas Tech University Health  
1-38 Sciences Center at El Paso shall:

1-39 (1) enter into the agreement with the Joint Admission  
1-40 Medical Program Council required by Section 51.829, Education Code;  
1-41 and

1-42 (2) select an appropriate faculty member to represent  
1-43 the medical school on the council.

1-44 (b) The medical school shall provide internships and  
1-45 mentoring under the Joint Admission Medical Program as appropriate  
1-46 beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year, but is not required  
1-47 before the 2012-2013 academic year to admit participating students  
1-48 to the medical school under the program.

1-49 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-50 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-51 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-52 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-53 Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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