

Amend SB 1588 on third reading as follows:

(1) In the SECTION of the bill adding Section 2054.064, Government Code, at the end of added Subsection (e)(1), strike "and".

(2) In the SECTION of the bill adding Section 2054.064, Government Code, strike added Subsection (e)(2), and substitute the following:

(2) _____ percent to the credit of the optometry career program account in the general revenue fund to be used by the University of Houston for the purpose of establishing a summer optometry career program; and

(3) the remainder deposited to the credit of the general revenue fund.

(3) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumber the remaining SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. Subchapter C, Chapter 111, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 111.43 to read as follows:

Sec. 111.43. OPTIONAL SUMMER OPTOMETRY CAREER PROGRAM.

(a) The university may operate a summer program that prepares highly qualified, economically disadvantaged junior-level, senior-level, and postbaccalaureate students from any public or private institution of higher education for advanced studies and a career in the field of optometry.