

By: Nelson  
(Branch)

S.B. No. 74

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the disposition of surplus or salvage data processing  
3 equipment of a university system or an institution or agency of  
4 higher education.

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

6 SECTION 1. Section 2175.304, Government Code, is amended by  
7 adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

8 (e) Notwithstanding Subsections (b) and (c), a university  
9 system or institution or agency of higher education included within  
10 the definition of "state agency" under Section 2151.002 may donate  
11 data processing equipment that is surplus or salvage property to a  
12 public or private hospital located in a rural county. For purposes  
13 of this subsection, "rural county" has the meaning assigned by  
14 Section 487.301.

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, 2011.