1**-**2 1**-**3 (In the Senate - Filed November 8, 2010; January 31, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education; March 7, 2011, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; March 7, 2011, sent to printer.) 1-4 1-5 1-6 1-7 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT relating to the disposition of surplus or salvage data processing 1-8 1-9 equipment of a university system or an institution or agency of 1-10 1-11 higher education. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-12 SECTION 1. Section 2175.304, Government Code, is amended by adding Subsection (e) to read as follows: 1-13 Notwithstanding Subsections (b) and (c), a university 1-14 (e) 1**-**15 1**-**16 system or institution or agency of higher education included within the definition of "state agency" under Section 2151.002 may donate data processing equipment that is surplus or salvage property to a 1-17 public or private hospital located in a rural county. For purposes 1-18 of this subsection, "rural county" has the meaning assigned by 1-19 1-20 1-21 Section 487.301. SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives

a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this

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