

Amend CSSB 215 (senate committee printing) in SECTION 15 of the bill, in amended Section 61.0512(a), Education Code, (page 7, line 13) insert the following sentence at the end of the subsection:  
"A new degree or certificate program is considered approved if the board has not completed a review under this section and acted to approve or disapprove the proposed program before the first anniversary of the date on which an institution of higher education submits a completed application to the board. The board may not summarily disapprove a program without completing the review required by this section."