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H.B. No. 1052

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1052:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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AN ACT

2 relating to the automatic admission to a public institution of
3 higher education of a child of a person who was killed or sustained
4 a fatal injury in the line of duty in the United States armed
5 forces.

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

7 SECTION 1. Section 51.803(e), Education Code, is amended to
8 read as follows:

9 (e) Each institution of higher education shall admit an
10 applicant for admission to the institution as an undergraduate
11 student if the applicant:

12 (1) is the child of:

13 (A) a public servant listed in Section 615.003,
14 Government Code, who was killed or sustained a fatal injury in the
15 line of duty; or

16 (B) a member of the armed forces of the United
17 States, including the National Guard, who was killed or sustained a
18 fatal injury in the line of duty; and

19 (2) meets the minimum requirements, if any,
20 established for purposes of this subsection by the governing board
21 of the institution for high school or prior college-level grade
22 point average and performance on standardized tests.

23 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act to Section
24 51.803(e), Education Code, applies beginning with admissions to

1 institutions of higher education for the 2014-2015 academic year.
2 Admissions to an institution before that academic year are governed
3 by the law in effect before the effective date of this Act, and the
4 former law is continued in effect for that purpose.

5 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.