(In the Senate - Received from the House May 6, 2013; May 8, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education; May 17, 2013, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 17, 2013, sent to printer.) 1-2 1-3 1-4 1-5 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1-7 Yea Nav Absent PNV 1-8 Seliger Х 1-9 Х Watson 1-10 1-11 Birdwell Х Χ Duncan 1-12 Patrick Χ 1-13 Х West 1-14 Zaffirini Х 1-15 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-16 AN ACT relating to the creation of an extension center of the Texas State 1-17 -1**-**18 Technical College System. 1-19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-20 SECTION 1. Section 135.02(a), Education Code, is amended to 1-21 read as follows: 1-22 1-23 The Texas State Technical College System is composed of: (a) a system office located in the city of Waco in (1)1-24 McLennan County; 1-25 (2) a campus located in the city of Harlingen in 1-26 Cameron County; 1-27 1-28 $(\bar{3})$ a campus serving West Texas that operates as a collective unit of strategically positioned permanent locations in 1-29 the city of Sweetwater in Nolan County, the city of Abilene in 1-30 Taylor County, the city of Brownwood in Brown County, and the city 1-31 of Breckenridge in Stephens County; 1-32 (4)a campus located in the city of Marshall in 1-33 Harrison County; 1-34 a campus located in the city of Waco in McLennan (5) 1-35 County; (6) 1-36 an extension center located in Ellis County; and [(6)] 1-37 campuses assigned to the system from time to 1-38 time by specific legislative Act. SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 1-39 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as 1-40 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-41 1-42 1-43 Act takes effect September 1, 2013. * * * * * 1-44

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