

1-1 By: Van de Putte S.B. No. 1061  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 4, 2013; March 12, 2013, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Veteran Affairs and  
1-4 Military Installations; April 15, 2013, reported favorably by the  
1-5 following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; April 15, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Van de Putte	X			
1-9	Birdwell	X			
1-10	Campbell	X			
1-11	Davis	X			
1-12	Rodriguez	X			

1-13 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-14 AN ACT

1-15 relating to parking privileges of disabled veterans on the property  
1-16 of institutions of higher education.

1-17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-18 SECTION 1. Section 681.008, Transportation Code, is amended  
1-19 by adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows:

1-20 (a-1) A vehicle described by Subsection (a) may be parked  
1-21 for an unlimited period in a parking space or area that is  
1-22 designated specifically for persons with physical disabilities on  
1-23 the property of an institution of higher education, as defined by  
1-24 Section 61.003, Education Code, even if the vehicle has not been  
1-25 granted or assigned a parking permit otherwise required by the  
1-26 institution. This subsection does not entitle a person to park a  
1-27 vehicle described by Subsection (a) in a parking space or area that  
1-28 has not been designated specifically for persons with physical  
1-29 disabilities on the property of the institution if the vehicle has  
1-30 not been granted or assigned a parking permit required by the  
1-31 institution.

1-32 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-33 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-34 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-35 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-36 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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