

1-1 By: Zaffirini S.B. No. 1113  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 5, 2013; March 12, 2013, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education;  
 1-4 April 2, 2013, reported adversely, with favorable Committee  
 1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; April 2, 2013,  
 1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-9	X			
1-10	X			
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			

1-16 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 1113 By: Zaffirini

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to matching private grants given to enhance additional  
 1-20 research activities at institutions of higher education.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Subsections (a) and (b), Section 62.123,  
 1-23 Education Code, are amended to read as follows:

1-24 (a) An eligible institution that receives gifts or  
 1-25 endowments from private sources in a state fiscal year for the  
 1-26 purpose of enhancing research activities at the institution,  
 1-27 including a gift or endowment for endowed chairs, professorships,  
 1-28 facilities, equipment, program costs, ~~or~~ graduate stipends or  
 1-29 fellowships, or undergraduate research, is entitled to receive, out  
 1-30 of funds appropriated for the purposes of the program for that  
 1-31 fiscal year, a matching grant in an amount determined according to  
 1-32 the following rates:

1-33 (1) 50 percent of the amount of the gifts and  
 1-34 endowments, if the total amount of gifts and endowments is \$100,000  
 1-35 or more but not more than \$999,999;

1-36 (2) 75 percent of the amount of the gifts and  
 1-37 endowments, if the total amount of gifts and endowments is \$1  
 1-38 million or more but not more than \$1,999,999; or

1-39 (3) 100 percent of the amount of the gifts and  
 1-40 endowments, if the total amount of gifts and endowments is \$2  
 1-41 million or more.

1-42 (b) An eligible institution is not entitled to matching  
 1-43 funds under the program for:

1-44 (1) a gift that has been pledged but has not been  
 1-45 received by the institution;

1-46 (2) a gift for undergraduate scholarships or financial  
 1-47 aid grants; or

1-48 (3) any portion of gifts or endowments received by the  
 1-49 institution from a single source in a state fiscal year in excess of  
 1-50 \$10 million.

1-51 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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