

1-1 By: Hegar S.B. No. 1145
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 22, 2013, reported adversely, with favorable Committee
1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; April 22, 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. 1145 By: Zaffirini

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

1-19 relating to the intercollegiate athletics fee at Prairie View A&M
1-20 University; authorizing an increase in the fee.

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

1-22 SECTION 1. Subsections (a), (b), and (f), Section 54.5393,
1-23 Education Code, are amended to read as follows:

1-24 (a) The board of regents of The Texas A&M University System
1-25 may impose an intercollegiate athletics fee on each student
1-26 enrolled at Prairie View A&M University in an amount not to exceed
1-27 \$12.60 [~~\$10~~] per semester credit hour, unless the amount is
1-28 increased as provided by Subsection (b).

1-29 (b) The amount of the fee per semester credit hour may be
1-30 increased from one academic year to the next if:

1-31 (1) the increase is approved by a majority vote of the
1-32 students participating in a general student election held at the
1-33 university for that purpose; or

1-34 (2) the amount of the increase does not exceed five
1-35 percent and is approved by a majority vote of the legislative body
1-36 of the student government of the university [~~imposed on a student in~~
1-37 ~~a semester or session may not exceed the amount of the fee imposed~~
1-38 ~~on a student enrolled in 15 semester credit hours during the same~~
1-39 ~~semester or session].~~

1-40 (f) This section expires September 1, 2018 [~~2013~~], except
1-41 that this section does not expire if before the end of the 2017-2018
1-42 [~~2012-2013~~] academic year the board of regents issues bonds that
1-43 are payable wholly or partly from the fee. If the board of regents
1-44 issues bonds as described by this subsection, the fee authorized by
1-45 this section may not be imposed in any semester or session beginning
1-46 after the date on which all of those bonds, including refunding
1-47 bonds for the bonds, have been fully paid.

1-48 SECTION 2. Subsections (a) and (b), Section 54.5393,
1-49 Education Code, as amended by this Act, apply only to a fee imposed
1-50 for a semester that begins on or after the effective date of this
1-51 Act.

1-52 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-53 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-54 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-55 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-56 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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