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S.B. No. 1982

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the establishment of a university system center located in Brazos County as part of The Texas A&M University System.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 87, Education Code, is amended by adding Subchapter M to read as follows:

SUBCHAPTER M. UNIVERSITY SYSTEM CENTERS

Sec. 87.881. UNIVERSITY SYSTEM CENTER IN BRAZOS COUNTY.

(a) The board of regents of The Texas A&M University System may establish and operate a university system center in Brazos County.

(b) The programs offered at the university system center shall be authorized in accordance with the rules of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

(c) The board of regents of The Texas A&M University System has the sole authority to name the university system center authorized by this section.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2017.