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By:  Guillen H.B. No. 844

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a limitation on the amount of a fee charged by a public institution of higher education for the issuance of an official transcript.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter E, Chapter 54, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 54.5042 to read as follows:

Sec. 54.5042.  LIMITATION ON AMOUNT OF TRANSCRIPT FEE. The governing board of an institution of higher education may not charge a fee of more than $10 for the issuance of an official transcript.

SECTION 2.  This Act applies beginning with requests for an official transcript submitted to a public institution of higher education on or after the effective date of this Act.

SECTION 3.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.