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By:  Sanford H.B. No. 3593

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to requiring public institutions of higher education to document and maintain information regarding the granting of certain undergraduate course credit to entering freshman students.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 51.968, Education Code, is amended by adding Subsection (h) to read as follows:

(h)  For purposes of evaluating the policy adopted under Subsection (b), an institution of higher education shall document and maintain information regarding each granting of undergraduate course credit under that policy for achieving a required score on an Advanced Placement examination, including:

(1)  the subject of the examination;

(2)  the score achieved on the examination; and

(3)  the course for which credit was granted.

SECTION 2.  Section 51.968(h), Education Code, as added by this Act, applies beginning with undergraduate course credit granted in the 2019-2020 academic year.

SECTION 3.  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, 2019.