

1-1 By: Schaefer (Senate Sponsor - Hughes) H.B. No. 2680
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019;
1-3 April 16, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Higher
1-4 Education; May 19, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote:
1-5 Yeas 9, Nays 0; May 19, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the student recreational facility fee at The University
1-20 of Texas at Tyler.

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

1-22 SECTION 1. Sections 54.5341(b) and (f), Education Code, are
1-23 amended to read as follows:

1-24 (b) Unless a higher amount is approved under Subsection (f),
1-25 the [The] amount of the fee may not exceed:

1-26 (1) \$40 per student for each regular semester;

1-27 (2) \$30 per student for each summer session of 12 weeks
1-28 or longer;

1-29 (3) \$15 per student for each summer session of six
1-30 weeks or more but less than 12 weeks; and

1-31 (4) \$10 per student for each summer session that is
1-32 shorter than six weeks.

1-33 (f) The board may not increase the amount of the
1-34 recreational facility fee unless the amount of the increase is
1-35 approved by a majority vote of the students participating in a
1-36 general student election held at the university for that purpose.
1-37 The ballot proposition for an election under this subsection must
1-38 clearly state the amount of the proposed fee increase and describe
1-39 the reason for the proposed fee increase.

1-40 SECTION 2. Section 54.5341, Education Code, as amended by
1-41 this Act, applies beginning with fees imposed for the 2019 fall
1-42 semester.

1-43 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-44 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-45 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-46 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-47 Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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