H.B. No. 4997

AN ACT

relating to a campus of the Texas State Technical College System located in Comal County and Guadalupe County.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 135.02(a), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a)  The Texas State Technical College System is composed of:

(1)  a system office located in the city of Waco in McLennan County;

(2)  a campus located in the city of Harlingen in Cameron County;

(3)  a campus serving West Texas that operates as a collective unit of strategically positioned permanent locations in the city of Sweetwater in Nolan County, the city of Abilene in Taylor County, the city of Brownwood in Brown County, and the city of Breckenridge in Stephens County;

(4)  a campus located in the city of Marshall in Harrison County;

(5)  a campus located in the city of Waco in McLennan County;

(6)  a campus located in Fort Bend County;

(7)  a campus located in the city of Red Oak in Ellis County; [~~and~~]

(8)  a campus that operates as a collective unit of one or more locations in Comal County and Guadalupe County; and

(9)  campuses assigned to the system from time to time by specific legislative Act.

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, 2023.

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    President of the Senate Speaker of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 4997 was passed by the House on April 20, 2023, by the following vote:  Yeas 123, Nays 23, 2 present, not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I certify that H.B. No. 4997 was passed by the Senate on May 23, 2023, by the following vote:  Yeas 30, Nays 1.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED:  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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                  Governor