1-1 S.B. No. 1242 By: Birdwell 1-2 1-3 (In the Senate - Filed February 12, 2025; February 28, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Education K-16; April 24, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 10, 1-4 Nays 0; April 24, 2025, sent to printer.) 1-5

- 1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE 1-7 Yea Nav Absent PNV 1-8 Creighton Х Campbell 1-9 Х 1-10 1-11 Bettencourt Х Χ Hagenbuch 1-12 Hinojosa of Nueces Х 1-13 King Х 1-14 Menéndez χ 1**-**15 1**-**16 Middleton Х χ Parker 1-17 Paxton Х 1-18 West Х
  - A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT
- relating to the acquisition of land and facilities by the Texas 1-21 1-22 State Technical College System. 1-23

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

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 135.02(c), Education Code, is amended to 1-25 read as follows:

1-26 (c) The board may accept or acquire by purchase in the name of the State of Texas land and facilities in any of the counties in 1-27 1-28 which a campus or extension center is located. [<del>The coordinating</del> 1-29 board must review and approve the acceptance or acquisition of any land and facilities if: 1-30

[(1) the board of regents requests to place the land facilities on its educational and general buildings and 1-31 1-32 and 1-33 facilities inventory; and

1-34 [(2)]the combined value of the land and facilities is more than \$300,000 at the time the board of regents requests the 1-35 1-36 property to be added to the educational and general buildings and 1-37 facilities inventory.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives 1-38 1-39 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this 1-40 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this 1-41 1-42 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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