

BILL ANALYSIS

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S.B. 988
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DIGEST

Currently, there are 11 state universities that participate in the engineering excellence fund. S.B. 988 would include the University of Texas--Pan American in the list of eligible institutions for the engineering excellence fund.

PURPOSE

As proposed, S.B. 988 establishes the participation of the University of Texas--Pan American in the engineering excellence fund.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 51.502(1), Education Code, to include the University of Texas--Pan American in the definition of "eligible institution."

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 1999.

SECTION 3. Emergency clause.