

Board Legislative Recommendations

86th Texas Legislature

CATEGORY 1: Major Policy Recommendations to Achieve 60x30TX

DESCRIPTION	Bill Number
Relating to Coordinating Board authorities to review and approve the acquiring of property by public institutions of higher education to create a new or expand an existing off-campus academic, technical or research site	Senate: SB 2000 by Alvarado House: HB 4586 by Anchia (Heard in HHE 4.17)
Relating to the Texas college work-study program and to establishing a program for the off-campus employment of certain students at public or private institutions of higher education (Texas WORKS)	Senate: SB 1192 by West (Heard in SHE 4.10) House: HB 3042 by Turner (Passed House 4.23)
Relating to implementing the 60x30TX Graduation Supplement for universities	Senate: SB 1504 by Zaffirini (Passed SHE 4.16) House: HB 3908 by Thierry (Heard in HAC 4.15) <i>SB 1162 by Bettencourt/Creighton and HB 4389 by Schaefer are also outcomes-based funding bills but not THECB recommendations.</i>
Relating to improving student transfer among Texas institutions of higher education	Senate: SB 25 by West (Passed Senate 4.24) House: HB 4018 by Turner (Passed HHE on 4.17)

CATEGORY 2: Programmatic Enhancements to Effectiveness, Efficiency and Transparency

Relating to requiring institutions of higher education to report the receipt and determination of credible allegations of fraud, waste and abuse to the Coordinating Board	Senate: SB 1756 by Creighton House: HB 3444 by Smithee
Relating to incorporating undergraduate success into doctoral proposals	Senate: SB 1356 by Powell House: HB 3048 by Walle
Relating to modifying the time limit in which students must file degree plans and expanding the requirement to dual credit students	Senate: SB 1296 by Powell House: HB 3808 by Walle (Passed HHE 4.10) Senate: SB 1324 by Taylor (Passed HHE on 4.17) House: HB 4010 by Turner

<p>Relating to increasing the Coordinating Board’s bonding authority to meet future student loan demands</p>	<p>Senate: SB 1747 by Lucio (Passed Senate 4.16) House: HB 2968 by Frullo (Passed House 4.23)</p>
<p>Relating to improving access and student outcomes in the TEXAS Grant program and Texas Educational Opportunity Grant program</p>	<p>TEXAS Grant Senate: SB 34 by Zaffirini (Senate Intent 4.16)</p> <p>TEOG Senate: SB 330 by Zaffirini (Senate Intent 4.16) House: HB 3137 by Howard</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Category 3: Statute Cleanup and Minor Revisions</p>	
<p>Relating to aligning statute relating to the student loan program with previous constitutional amendments and current practices</p>	<p>Senate: SB 1163 by Bettencourt (Heard in SHE 4.24) House: HB 4465 by Turner (Placed on Local for 4.26)</p>
<p>Relating to removing current statutorily required data requests that are unnecessary or redundant</p>	<p>Senate: SB 241 by Nelson (Passed Senate 4.11) House: HB 1788 by Longoria (Heard in State Affairs on 03.20)</p>
<p>Relating to improving the Texas Records Exchange (TREx) system to improve the sharing of electronic data</p>	<p>House: HB 4324 by VanDeaver (Heard in HPE 4.23)</p>

Yellow = Bill filed
Green = Considered in first committee
Blue = Voted out of first committee
Orange = Passed first chamber
Pink = Passed second committee