1-1 S.B. No. 331 Ву: West 1**-**2 1**-**3 (In the Senate - Filed December 15, 2016; January 30, 2017, read first time and referred to Committee on Higher Education; February 27, 2017, reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; February 27, 2017, sent to printer.) 1-4 1-5 1-6

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

1-8		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9	Seliger	Χ	_		
1-10	West	Χ			
1-11	Bettencourt	X			
1-12	Buckingham	X			
1-13	Menéndez	Χ			
1-14	Taylor of Galve	eston X			
1-15	Watson	X			

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 331 1-16

By: Watson

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to the temporary approval of a private or independent college or university to continue to participate in the tuition 1-20 1-21 1-22 equalization grant program.

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

SECTION 1. Section 61.222(c), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(c) The coordinating board may grant temporary approval for a period of two years and may renew the approval twice [once].

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, 2017.

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