An Act authorizing the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift, or otherwise certain properties to be used for campus expansion and university purposes in The University of Texas System; vesting title in the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System; repealing Subdivision 2 of Section 1 of Chapter 73, Acts of the 60th Legislature, Regular Session, 1967, relating to the acquisition of land in Dallas County, Texas, by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas System; providing that this Act shall be cumulative; providing for severability, repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. The Board of Regents of The University of Texas System is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase, exchange, gift, or otherwise, for campus expansion and for other university purposes, all or any part or parcel of land in those certain areas described as:

1. Four tracts of land in the City of Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, more specifically described as follows:
   Tract 1:
   - Lots 1-5, L. W. Rose Subdivision;
   - Lots 1-9, Block 1; Lots 10-17, Block 2; Lots 18-31, 32R, and 33R, Block 3; Tracts B, C, and D, Block 4; Lots 88-95, A, 101-105, 13, and 14, Block 10; Lots 106-115, Block 11; Lots 208-219, 221, 222, 8, and 8A, Block 20; Lots 221-234, Block 21; Ditto and Collins Addition;
   - Lots 1-8, Miller Fitzhugh Addition;
   - Tracts 15, 16, 17, 18, 18A, 19, 20, 20A, 21, 22, 22A, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 30A, and 30B, J. Huitt Survey, Abstract 703:
     - Lot 1, Reinhardt Addition.
   - Tract 2:
     - Lots 1R, 2, 3, 4A, 6R, 7-16, Block 1; Lots 1, 2, 3, D, C, B, A, 10-18, Block 2; Lots AR, BR-1, CR-1, 6, 7, and 8, Block 4; Lots 1, 2, A, B, C, 7, 8, and 9, Block 5; Park Row Addition.
   - Tract 3:
     - Lots 1-7, Fitzgerald-Hill Addition;
     - Lots 1 and 2, T. A. Keith Addition;
     - Part of O. Medlin Survey—beginning at southeast corner of Lot 1 of T. A. Keith Addition; thence west to Monroe Street and north to southwest corner of Lot 2 of T. A. Keith Addition; thence east to place of beginning.
   - Tract 4:
     - Lots 1-4, McGrew Addition;
     - Lots 1-15, A, and B, Block 2; Lots 1-12, Block 3; Ritchie-Hayden Addition;
     - Lots 1-10, Block 2; Morgan Addition;
     - Lots 1-7, Darrah Addition;
     - Lots 1-9, Lampe Acres.
   2. A tract of land in Austin, Travis County, Texas, more specifically described as Lots 7, 8, 9, and the east three feet of Lot 10, Block 71, Orig-
Sec. 2. The title to the said land shall be taken in the name of the
Board of Regents of The University of Texas System and shall be subject
to the control and management of the Board of Regents of The University
of Texas System in the same manner and to the extent that the lands now
owned by The University of Texas System in fee simple are held and con-
trolled.

Sec. 3. Subdivision 2 of Section 1 of Chapter 73, Acts of the 60th Legis-
lature, Regular Session, 1967, which relates to the acquisition of land
for campus expansion by the Board of Regents of The University of Texas
System of two tracts of land in the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas, which are specifically described in Subdivision 2 of Section 1 of the Act, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This Act is cumulative of all statutes relating to The University of Texas System or to any of the component institutions of The University of Texas System, except where such statutes may be in conflict with this Act. If any such conflict arises, the conflicting statute is hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

Sec. 5. If any provision of this Act or the application of this Act to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

Sec. 6. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and the Rule is hereby suspended; and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed the Senate on February 22, 1971: Yeas 29, Nays 0; passed the House on May 11, 1971: Yeas 142, Nays 0.

Approved May 19, 1971.

Effective May 19, 1971.

CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM—CREATION, DISSOLUTION, ETC.—COUNTIES OF 300,000 OR MORE

CHAPTER 262 96

S. B. No. 213

An Act relating to the creation, establishment, operation, and dissolution of a county civil service system in certain counties; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Definitions

Section 1. In this Act, unless the context requires a different definition:

(1) "Commission" means the county civil service commission.

(2) "Chairman" means the chairman of the county civil service commission.

(3) "Employee" means any person who obtains his position by appointment and who is not authorized by statute to perform governmental functions in his own right involving some exercise of discretion, but does not include a holder of an office the term of which is limited by the Constitution of the State of Texas.