

Amend CSHB 7 (Senate committee printing) by adding an appropriately numbered ARTICLE to read as follows:

ARTICLE ____: STATE TRAVEL SERVICES CONTRACTS

SECTION _____. Section 44.044, Education Code, as added by Chapter 482, Acts of the 78th Legislature, Regular Session, 2003, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 44.044. LIMIT ON EXPENDITURES FOR TRAVEL SERVICES. A school district or public junior college may not reimburse an officer or employee for expenditures under a Texas Building and Procurement Commission's travel services contract for travel services in excess of the applicable amount [~~determined using the state travel allowance guide adopted by the comptroller under Section 660.021, Government Code~~].