

Amend **CSSB 1**, in Article VII of the bill, by adding the following appropriately numbered rider following the appropriation to the Texas Department of Transportation:

_____. Efficiency Review by Legislative Budget Board. It is the intent of the legislature that the Texas Department of Transportation, pursuant to the department's authority under Chapter 771, Government Code, use an appropriate portion of the funds appropriated to the department by this Act to contract with the Legislative Budget Board to perform an effectiveness and efficiency review of the department's policies relating to the use of state money and determine whether the department's proposed use of toll facilities to generate revenue is necessary for the department to meet the transportation infrastructure needs of this state. It is the intent of the legislature that the Legislative Budget Board complete the review and report the results of the review to the governor and the legislature not later than January 1, 2007.