

Amend **CSSB 1** as follows:

(1) In Article III of the bill, in Rider 43 of the appropriation to the Texas Education Agency (page III-13), add the following appropriately numbered subsection to the rider:

(\_\_\_) Out of the amounts identified above, the Commissioner shall allocate \$500,000 in the 2006-07 biennium to support the purchase of materials and equipment for new science labs in high schools and for professional development for high school science teachers. The Commissioner shall distribute the funds in a manner that best prepares school districts for the requirement of a fourth science credit in the Recommended High School and the Distinguished Achievement programs.

(2) In Article XI of the bill, in the supplemental appropriations to the Texas Education Agency (page XI-13), strike the Rider 43 amendment.