

Amend Floor Amendment No. 236 by Howard (page 111, pre-filed amendment packet) to **CSHB 1** by striking page 1, lines 2-13, and substituting the following:

XI of the bill, following the appropriations to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (page XI-21), by adding the following rider:

Grants to Nursing Education Programs. Contingent on the passage of **HB 1894**, or similar legislation relating to the provision of grants by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board to nursing education programs, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board may use the amount appropriated in Article III for the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2007, to the board in Strategy G.1.2., Earnings-Nursing/Allied Health (page III-39), to provide grants to nursing education programs as described by Section 63.202(f), Education Code.