

Amend **CSSB 1** (House Committee Report) by adding the following appropriately numbered rider in Article VII of the bill after the appropriations to the Department of Housing and Community Affairs (page VII-1):

_____. Contingent Appropriation for **HB 3168**. Contingent on the enactment and becoming law of **HB 3168** or similar legislation by the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, relating to the creation of a natural disaster reconstruction demonstration initiative, the Department of Housing and Community Affairs shall implement the provisions of that Act from amounts appropriated to the department under this article and from any federal funding that the department is able to identify and obtain to implement the provisions of that Act. It is the intent of the legislature that the department seek any federal funding available for that purpose.