

Amend **CSSB 1** in Article XI of the bill by adding the following appropriately numbered rider following the provisions for the Health and Human Services Commission (page XI-4):

____. Contingency Appropriation for **HB 497**. Contingent on **HB 497**, Acts of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, 2009, or similar legislation relating to a study to determine the effect on the health care infrastructure in this state if the state Medicaid program is abolished or a severe reduction in federal matching money under the program occurs, being enacted and becoming law, the amount of \$100,000 is appropriated out of the general revenue fund to the Health and Human Services Commission for the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2009, for the purpose of implementing the provisions of the legislation. The Health and Human Services Commission shall transfer funds from this appropriation to the Texas Department of Insurance as necessary to conduct the study required by the legislation.