

Amend CSSB 1, under Article XI, as follows:

(1) Under Sec. 1, Article III, on page XI-12, under the bill pattern of the Texas Engineering Extension Service, add \$3,500,000 in Fiscal Year 2010 and \$1,500,000 in Fiscal Year 2011 from General Revenue Funds to Strategy C.1.1., Provide Texas Task Force 1 Capability; and

(2) Under Sec. 1, Article III, on page XI-12, under the bill pattern of the Texas Engineering Extension Service, add the following appropriately numbered rider:

____. South Texas Quick Response Force. The Texas Engineering Extension Service in cooperation with the Governor's Trusteed Programs within the Office of the Governor and the Commission on State Emergency Communications shall establish a South Texas Quick Response Force as an extension of Texas Task Force 1 in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Funding shall be used to ensure the response force's operational readiness, which consists of organizing, equipping, training, exercising, and maintaining a search and rescue capability, but will not provide for deployment costs.