Amend CSSB 1203 (Senate committee printing) as follows:

- (1) In the recital to SECTION 3 of the bill (page 1, line
 55), between "Subsections" and "(f)" insert "(a-1),".
- (2) In SECTION 3 of the bill, in amended Section 1956.003, Occupations Code (page 1, between lines 55 and 56), insert the following:
- (a-1) A county, municipality, or political subdivision may require the record of purchase described under Section 1956.033 to contain a clear and legible thumbprint of a seller of regulated material.
- (3) In SECTION 3 of the bill, in added Section 1956.003(f), Occupations Code (page 1, line 62), strike "obtain" and substitute "submit an application for".
- (4) In SECTION 3 of the bill, in added Section 1956.003(f), Occupations Code (page 1, line 63), strike " $\underline{31st}$ " and substitute " $\underline{15th}$ ".
- (5) In SECTION 3 of the bill, in added Section 1956.003(g),
 Occupations Code (page 2, line 3), strike "obtain" and substitute
 "submit an application for".
- (6) In SECTION 3 of the bill, in added Section 1956.003(g), Occupations Code (page 2, line 4), strike " $\underline{31st}$ " and substitute "15th".
- (7) In SECTION 5 of the bill (page 2, lines 26-28), strike the recital and substitute:

Section 1956.033(b), Occupations Code, is amended to read as follows:

- (8) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in amended Section 1956.033, Occupations Code (page 2, lines 40 and 41), strike added Subsection (c).
- (9) In SECTION 9 of the bill, in amended Section 1956.038, Occupations Code (page 3, line 33), strike "(a)".
- (10) In SECTION 9 of the bill, in amended Section 1956.038, Occupations Code (page 3, lines 50-59), strike added Subsections (b) and (c).
- (11) In SECTION 14 of the bill, in amended Section 31.03(e), Penal Code (page 5, lines 22 and 23), strike "[is insulated or noninsulated wire or cable that] consists of at least 50 percent"

and substitute "is [insulated or noninsulated wire or cable that consists of at least 50 percent]".

- (12) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:
- SECTION _____. Subchapter A-3, Chapter 1956, Occupations Code, is amended by adding Section 1956.0391 to read as follows:
- Sec. 1956.0391. FORM OF PAYMENT. (a) This section applies only to a metal recycling entity located in:
- (1) a county with a population of one million or more;
- (2) a county contiguous to a county with a population of one million or more.
 - (b) A metal recycling entity may not:
- (1) pay more than \$250 in cash for a purchase of regulated metal; or
- (2) pay more than \$500 in cash for a purchase of regulated material, other than regulated metal.
- (c) A county, municipality, or political subdivision may require a seller of regulated material to register with the county, municipality, political subdivision, or a metal recycling entity located in that county, municipality, or political subdivision before the seller is eligible to receive cash payments for the sale of regulated material.
- (d) Notwithstanding Section 1956.003(a) or any other law, a county, municipality, or political subdivision may not adopt a rule, charter, or ordinance or issue an order or impose standards that limit the use of cash by a metal recycling entity in a manner more restrictive than that provided by this section.