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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Alonzo

1 Amend H.B. No. 27 on third reading as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 2 of the bill, strike added Article
3 42.15(c), Code of Criminal Procedure, and substitute the
4 following:

5 (c) When imposing a fine and costs in a misdemeanor case,
6 if the court determines that the defendant is unable to
7 immediately pay the fine and costs, the court shall allow the
8 defendant to pay the fine and costs in specified portions at
9 designated intervals.

10 (2) In SECTION 3 of the bill, strike added Section
11 45.041(b-2), Code of Criminal Procedure, and substitute the
12 following:

13 (b-2) When imposing a fine and costs, if the justice or
14 judge determines that the defendant is unable to immediately pay
15 the fine and costs, the justice or judge shall allow the
16 defendant to pay the fine and costs in specified portions at
17 designated intervals.