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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. 5 by adding the following appropriately
2 numbered SECTION and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill
3 accordingly:

4 SECTION _____. (a) Section 29.081, Education Code, is
5 amended by adding Subsections (b-1), (b-2), and (b-3) to read as
6 follows:

7 (b-1) Each district shall provide additional accelerated
8 instruction to a student in each subject in which the student has
9 failed to perform satisfactorily on an end-of-course assessment
10 instrument as required under Section 39.025 for the student to
11 graduate. The accelerated instruction shall be provided before the
12 next scheduled administration of the assessment instrument and at
13 no cost to the student.

14 (b-2) A district shall separately budget sufficient funds,
15 including funds under Section 42.152, to provide accelerated
16 instruction under Subsection (b-1). A district may not budget
17 funds received under Section 42.152 for any other purpose until it
18 has adopted a budget to support additional accelerated instruction
19 under Subsection (b-1).

20 (b-3) A district shall evaluate the effectiveness of
21 accelerated instruction programs under Subsection (b-1) and hold a
22 public hearing once each year to consider the results.

23 (b) This section applies beginning with the 2013-2014
24 school year.