



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 5 (house committee report) on page 9, by
2 striking lines 11-22 and substituting the following:

3 (b-9) A school district may allow [~~The agency shall~~
4 ~~establish a pilot program allowing~~] a student [~~attending school in~~
5 ~~a county with a population of more than one million and in which~~
6 ~~more than 75 percent of the population resides in a single~~
7 ~~municipality~~] to satisfy the fine arts credit required under
8 Subsection (b-1)(7) [~~(b-1)(3)(A)~~] by participating in a
9 community-based fine arts program not provided by the school
10 district in which the student is enrolled. The fine arts program
11 may be provided on or off a school campus and outside the regular
12 school day. The fine arts program must provide instruction in the
13 essential knowledge and skills identified for the fine arts
14 curriculum under Section 28.002(c). [~~Not later than December 1,~~
15 ~~2010, the agency shall provide to the legislature a report~~
16 ~~regarding the pilot program, including the feasibility of expanding~~
17 ~~the pilot program statewide.~~]