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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____ BY: _____

1) Amend C.S.S.B.1 on Page VI-57 of the bill pattern for the Water Development Board by amending the following rider:

21. Contingency for Water Conservation Education Grants. Contingent on the enactment of House Bill 4, or similar legislation related to the creation of the state water implementation fund for Texas, and House Bill 11, or similar legislation, providing an appropriation from the Economic Stabilization Fund to support that legislation, included in amounts appropriated above in Strategy A.3.1, Water Conservation and Assistance is \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2014 from General Revenue for the purpose of providing grants to for water conservation education groups. The Water Development Board shall award the grants through a competitive process, which may require grant applicants to provide private matching funds. Any grants awarded under this provision to a private or nonprofit entity for educational programs shall not be used to support a political campaign for a current elected official or for a candidate for office who is a spokesperson for the entity in receipt of the grant. Any unexpended balances as of August 31, 2014 in funds appropriated for this purpose are appropriated for the same purpose in the fiscal year beginning September 1, 2014.

2(a) Amend C.S.S.B.1 on Page VI-52 of the bill pattern for the Water Development Board by decreasing appropriations from General Revenue in Strategy A.2.2, Water Resources Planning by \$182,000 each fiscal year, including 3.3 FTEs, and increasing appropriations from General Revenue in Strategy A.2.1, Technical Assistance and Modeling by \$182,000 each fiscal year, including 3.3 FTEs.

2(b) Amend C.S.S.B.1 on Page VI-57 of the bill pattern for the Water Development Board by amending the following rider:

22. Water Resources Planning. Included in amounts appropriated above in Strategy A.2.2., Water Resources Planning, is ~~\$407,414~~\$225,414 in fiscal year 2014 and ~~\$326,474~~\$144,474 in fiscal year 2015 from the General Revenue Fund to develop an online tool to consolidate reporting requirements related to the Water Use Survey, annual Water Loss Report, and annual Water Conservation Report. The agency shall also develop an online tool to quantify water conservation savings. The agency shall provide the ability for these reports to be completed, submitted and viewable by the public online. The agency's number of full-time equivalents is hereby increased by ~~4.8~~1.5 in each year of the 2014-15 biennium.

3) Amend C.S.S.B.1 on Page XI-11 of the items for the Water Development Board in Article XI, add the following rider:

Contingency for Study of the Environmental Flows and Instream Flows for River Basins. Contingent on the enactment of House Bill 4, or similar legislation related to the creation of the state water implementation fund for Texas, and House Bill 11, or similar legislation, providing an appropriation from the Economic Stabilization Fund to support that legislation, in addition to amounts appropriated above, the Texas Water Development Board is appropriated \$2,000,000 for the purposes of continued study of the environmental flows and instream flows for river basins. The selection of the basins shall be determined by the Science Advisory Committee and approved by the Environmental Flows Advisory Group.

4) Amend C.S.S.B.1 on Page XI-11 of the items for the Water Development Board in Article XI, by amending the following rider:

Contingency Appropriation for Senate House Bill 22 4 or and House Bill 11. Contingent upon passage of Senate House Bill 22 4 or similar legislation related to the creation of the state water implementation fund for Texas, or and House Bill 11, or similar legislation relating to an appropriation from the Economic Stabilization Fund to finance ~~certain water-related projects~~ to support that legislation, included in in addition to amounts appropriated above in Strategy B.1.1, State and Federal Financial Assistance, is \$2,241,476 each fiscal year from General Revenue, including 32.0 FTEs, to implement provisions of the legislation.