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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY:

1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered rider to Part 6 of Article IX:

3 6.__. Limitation on Expenditures: Prohibition on Grants to
4 Peace Officer Organizations That Hire Lobbyists or Use Political
5 Committees. (a) An agency of this state may not expend any money
6 appropriated to the agency under this Act to make a grant or other
7 distribution to a peace officer organization that:

8 (1) is required to register as a lobbyist under
9 Chapter 305, Government Code, or employs a person required to
10 register under that chapter; or

11 (2) establishes a political committee.

12 (b) For purposes of Subsection (a), "peace officer
13 organization" means an association, group, union, lodge, local, or
14 other organization, whether incorporated or unincorporated, in
15 which peace officers participate and that exists wholly or partly
16 to deal with employers concerning grievances, labor disputes, wages
17 and rates of pay, hours of employment, and conditions of work.