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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Clardy _____

1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 1 (house committee report) in Article II
2 of the bill, following the bill pattern appropriations to
3 the Department of State Health Services, by adding
4 the following appropriately numbered rider:

5 __. Prohibition on Use of Appropriations for the Private
6 Operation of a State Hospital. Funds appropriated by this Act to
7 the Department of State Health Services may not, without
8 approval from the Legislative Budget Board, be used:

9 (1) to solicit bids from a private entity for a private
10 entity to operate a state hospital; or

11 (2) to pay a private entity to operate a
12 state hospital.