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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Giddings

1 Amend C.S.H.B. 21 (house committee report) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION and renumbering
3 subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION ____ . Section 42.005, Education Code, is amended by
5 adding Subsection (a-3) to read as follows:

6 (a-3) Notwithstanding Section 29.153(c), in computing the
7 sum of attendance under Subsection (a) for a school year, a school
8 district may include full days of attendance for each
9 prekindergarten student who attends a full-day prekindergarten
10 program offered by the district, provided that:

11 (1) the student is eligible for prekindergarten under
12 Section 29.153;

13 (2) the district does not charge tuition for the
14 student's enrollment in the program; and

15 (3) the program complies with the requirements
16 regarding high quality specified in Subchapter E-1, Chapter 29.