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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: COLEMAN

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 1 (house committee report) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered rider to Part 17, Article IX (page
3 IX-77):

4 Sec. 17.____. Contingency Rider: County Jail Grants.
5 Contingent on the passage and becoming law of H.B. No. 2702, or
6 similar legislation of the 85th Regular Session, 2017, authorizing
7 the Commission on Jail Standards to issue grants to counties for the
8 purpose of improving the health or safety of inmates confined in
9 county jails:

10 (1) in addition to other amounts appropriated by this Act to
11 the Commission on Jail Standards, the amount of \$1,200,000 is
12 appropriated from the economic stabilization fund to the Commission
13 on Jail Standards for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2018,
14 to provide funding for the issuance of grants by the commission to
15 counties for the purpose of improving the health or safety of
16 inmates confined in county jails; and

17 (2) reduce the Article IX appropriation from the economic
18 stabilization fund to the Department of Public Safety for border
19 security (page IX-86) by the amount of \$1,200,000 for the state
20 fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2019.