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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

BY: Cortez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In Article III of the bill, on page III-2 of the Texas  
3 Education Agency's bill pattern, increase the appropriations to the  
4 Texas Education Agency for Strategy A.2.1, Statewide Educational  
5 Programs, by the amount of \$165,000,000 from the economic  
6 stabilization fund for the state fiscal year ending August 31,  
7 2018, and by the amount of \$165,000,000 from that fund for the state  
8 fiscal year ending August 31, 2019.

9 (2) In Article III of the bill, following the appropriations  
10 to the Texas Education Agency, add the following appropriately  
11 numbered rider:

12 \_\_\_\_\_. Funding for Full-Day Prekindergarten. Out of the funds  
13 appropriated above in Strategy A.2.1, Statewide Educational  
14 Programs, the commissioner of education shall allocate  
15 \$165,000,000 for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2018, and  
16 \$165,000,000 for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2019, for  
17 the purpose of providing grant funds for full-day prekindergarten  
18 programs, as authorized by Section 29.155, Education Code. The  
19 commissioner of education shall distribute amounts allocated under  
20 this rider to school districts that provided full-day  
21 prekindergarten programs during the 2016-2017 school year,  
22 provided that those districts continue to provide full-day programs  
23 during the 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 school years.

24 (3) In Article IX of the bill, in the appropriations to the  
25 Department of Public Safety (page IX-86), reduce the appropriations  
26 from the economic stabilization fund for border security by the  
27 amount of \$300,000,000 for the state fiscal biennium ending August  
28 31, 2019.

29 (4) Adjust totals and methods of finance accordingly.