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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ BY: BLANCO

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) by adding the  
2 following appropriately numbered rider to Part 6, Article IX (page  
3 IX-27):

4 Sec. 6.\_\_\_\_. Limitation on Expenditures for Border Security  
5 in Certain Areas. (a) In this section:

6 (1) "Border security" means activities associated  
7 with deterring crimes and enforcing state laws:

8 (A) that relate to:  
9 (i) offenses listed in Section 772.0071,

10 Government Code; or  
11 (ii) federal law enforcement operations;

12 and  
13 (B) for which this state receives federal grants  
14 intended to enhance law enforcement.

15 (2) "Qualifying county" means a county that is:

16 (A) adjacent to or within 20 miles of an  
17 international border;

18 (B) adjacent to a county located on an  
19 international border; or

20 (C) adjacent to the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway,  
21 as defined by Section 51.002, Transportation Code.

22 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, an  
23 institution, department, or agency of this state that receives an  
24 appropriation under this Act may not use that money for a purpose  
25 directly related to border security in a qualifying county unless  
26 the Legislative Budget Board certifies to the institution,  
27 department, or agency that the state has received a commitment from  
28 the federal government to reimburse the state for the expenditure.