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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) in ARTICLE II  
2 of the bill, following the appropriations to the Department of  
3 State Health Services (page II-31), by adding the following  
4 appropriately numbered rider and renumbering subsequent riders  
5 accordingly:

6 \_\_\_\_\_. Contingency Rider: Laboratory Services Local  
7 Agreement. Contingent on the passage and becoming law of H.B. 1424  
8 or similar legislation of the 86th Legislature, Regular Session,  
9 2019, requiring the Department of State Health Services to enter  
10 into an agreement to increase the availability of laboratory  
11 services in counties located along the international border:

12 (1) reduce the Article VI appropriations to the  
13 General Land Office for Strategy A.3.1, Preserve & Maintain Alamo  
14 Complex (page VI-25), by the amount of \$200,000 for the state fiscal  
15 year ending August 31, 2020, and by the amount of \$200,000 for the  
16 state fiscal year ending August 31, 2021;

17 (2) increase the Article II appropriations to the  
18 Department of State Health Services for Strategy A.4.1, Laboratory  
19 Services (page II-20), by the amount of \$200,000 in general revenue  
20 for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2020, and by the amount  
21 of \$200,000 in general revenue for the state fiscal year ending  
22 August 31, 2021;

23 (3) out of the amounts appropriated above to Strategy  
24 A.4.1, Laboratory Services (page II-20), the department shall  
25 allocate at least \$200,000 each fiscal year of the state fiscal  
26 biennium ending August 31, 2021, for the purposes of funding  
27 laboratory services at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley;  
28 and

29 (4) adjust article totals and methods of financing

1 accordingly.