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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 1 (house committee printing), in Part 17,  
2 Article IX, by adding the following appropriately numbered section:  
3 Sec. 17.\_\_\_\_. Appropriation Reduction for School District  
4 Property Tax Relief. Notwithstanding the amounts appropriated by  
5 this Act, each appropriation of undedicated general revenue made by  
6 this Act for each fiscal year in the state fiscal biennium ending  
7 August 31, 2021, other than an appropriation made in Article III of  
8 this Act, is reduced by seven percent. The reduction must be  
9 allocated proportionately to each applicable strategy identified  
10 in bill pattern appropriations. An amount of general revenue equal  
11 to the amount by which appropriations are reduced under this  
12 section is appropriated to the Texas Education Agency for the state  
13 fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2021, for use in providing school  
14 district property tax relief by reducing the state compression  
15 percentage, as defined by Section 42.2516, Education Code.