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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____ BY: Zwiener

Amend C.S.H.B. No. 2 (house committee printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION ____ . Chapter 26, Tax Code, is amended by adding Section 26.xxx to read as follows:

Sec. 26.xxx. TAX RATE ADJUSTMENT FOR FAST GROWTH JURISDICTIONS. (a) In this section, "fast growth county or municipality" for a tax year means a county or municipality that experiences population growth of 3.5 percent or more in a tax year compared to the preceding year according to estimates of the United States Census Bureau, a local council of governments, the State Data Center, or other recognized resource.

(b) Notwithstanding any other section of this chapter, the rollback tax rate for a fast growth county or municipality shall not drop below 5%.