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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 2 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 71, between lines 17 and 18, insert the

3 following:

4 (h) The state shall reimburse a taxing unit for one-half of

5 the reasonable cost of an election required under this section. A

6 taxing unit must apply to the secretary of state for reimbursement.

7 The secretary of state shall pay the costs associated with

8 reimbursing taxing units under this section out of funds

9 appropriated to the secretary of state for that purpose. The

10 secretary of state shall adopt rules and prescribe procedures to

11 implement and administer this subsection.

12 (2) On page 109, line 16, immediately following the period,

13 insert the following:

14 The district is entitled to reimbursement by the state for a portion

15 of the costs of the election in the manner provided by Section

16 26.07(h), Tax Code.