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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.H.B. 3 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 21, following line 27, insert the following
3 appropriately lettered subsection:

4 () Not later than January 1, 2020, the commissioner shall
5 adopt rules requiring the Public Education Information Management
6 System (PEIMS) to include pregnancy as a reason a student withdraws
7 from or otherwise no longer attends public school.

8 (2) On page 37, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following
9 appropriately lettered subsection:

10 () In addition to other purposes for which funds allocated
11 under this section may be used, those funds may also be used to:

12 (1) provide child-care services or assistance with
13 child-care expenses for students at risk of dropping out of school,
14 as described by Section 29.081(d)(5); or

15 (2) pay the costs associated with services provided
16 through a life skills program in accordance with Sections
17 29.085(b)(1) and (3)-(7).