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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

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1 Amend H.B. No. 160 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in the appropriation to the  
3 National Research University Fund (page 4, line 5), strike  
4 "\$1,000,000,000" and substitute "\$700,000,000".

5 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the  
6 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

7 SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. TEXAS WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD; WATER  
8 ASSISTANCE FUND. The amount of \$300,000,000 is appropriated to the  
9 Texas Water Development Board from money received by this state  
10 from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section  
11 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.  
12 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief  
13 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of distributing grants to local water  
14 providers to fund projects to harden and weatherize water and  
15 wastewater systems, including projects to install advanced meter  
16 infrastructure and demand response technology, improve load shed  
17 capabilities, incentivize customers to engage in distributed  
18 energy production and energy efficiency measures, and install  
19 electric energy storage.