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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Cain _____

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee report) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION _____. RESTRICTION ON CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS. (a)
5 In this section, "COVID-19" means the 2019 novel coronavirus
6 disease.

7 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, an
8 appropriation that would otherwise be made under this Act is not
9 effective if the state agency or other entity to which the
10 appropriation would have been made requires that any employee or
11 client of the agency or entity, or any visitor to a location
12 operated by or under the administrative control of the agency or
13 entity, be vaccinated against COVID-19.

14 (c) An agency or other entity to which money is appropriated
15 under this Act for the purpose of making grants to another person,
16 including an entity, may not make a grant using the appropriated
17 money to any person who requires that any employee, client, or
18 customer of the person, or any visitor to a location operated by or
19 under the administrative control of the person, be vaccinated
20 against COVID-19.



E870428

Minjarez

21 Oct-15 AM 08:13
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Dominguez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 comptroller of public accounts for the purpose of depositing money
4 in the unemployment compensation fund (page 1, line 6), strike
5 "\$7,245,419,946" and substitute "\$6,645,419,946".

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

8 SECTION _____. COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS: HERO PAY.

9 (a) The amount of \$600,000,000 is appropriated to the comptroller
10 of public accounts from money received by this state from the
11 Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
12 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
13 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus
14 Relief Fund No. 325 to be used during the two-year period beginning
15 on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of distributing
16 that money to state agencies to make one-time payments to certain
17 agency employees who have an annual salary of \$75,000 or less and
18 who were employed by the agency and considered essential critical
19 infrastructure workers under 42 U.S.C. Section 802 at any time
20 during the period beginning March 13, 2020, and ending September
21 13, 2021.

22 (b) The comptroller of public accounts shall consult with
23 the Legislative Budget Board and the State Auditor's Office to
24 determine which state employees are eligible to receive one-time
25 payments under Subsection (a) of this section and the amount of the
26 payment to which each employee is entitled. To the extent
27 authorized by other law, the amount of the payment to which a state
28 employee is entitled is determined by multiplying \$2 and the number
29 of hours the employee worked while considered to be a essential

1 critical infrastructure worker under 42 U.S.C. Section 802 during
2 the period beginning March 13, 2020, and ending September 13, 2021,
3 but may not exceed \$8,000.



E870421

21 Oct-15 AM 08:00
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Frank _____

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES AND
5 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION: FEDERAL FUNDS FOR HOSPITALS.
6 It is the intent of the Legislature that the Department of State
7 Health Services and the Health and Human Services Commission, in
8 distributing any money received from the Coronavirus State Fiscal
9 Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
10 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
11 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 distribute the
12 money appropriated by this Act to entities that are subject to the
13 hospital price transparency public disclosure requirements
14 required by 45 C.F.R. Sections 180.10-180.60 and by Chapter 327,
15 Health and Safety Code, only if the entities are in compliance with
16 those requirements.



E870383

21 Oct-14 PM 07:52
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Goodwin

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 5(a) of the bill, making an appropriation to
3 the Department of Information Resources (page 3, line 9), strike
4 "\$200,000,000" and substitute "\$180,000,000".

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

8 SECTION _____. OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR: COMMUNITY VIOLENCE
9 INTERVENTION PROGRAMS. The amount of \$20,000,000 is appropriated
10 to the Office of the Governor from money received by this state from
11 the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
12 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.
13 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
14 Fund No. 325 to be used during the two-year period beginning on the
15 effective date of this Act for the purpose of providing grant
16 funding on a competitive basis to nonprofit organizations and
17 community-based partnerships that serve communities that are
18 disproportionately impacted by violence to develop, enhance, and
19 expand effective violence reduction initiatives, including
20 hospital-based violence intervention, street outreach, and group
21 violence intervention strategies, consistent with Strategy B.1.1.,
22 Criminal Justice, as listed in Chapter 1053 (S.B. 1), Acts of the
23 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021 (the General
24 Appropriations Act).



E870469

Ronald Burkh

21 Oct-15 AM 08:55
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Guillen

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Information Resources for cybersecurity projects,
4 strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute "\$195,000,000" in each of the
5 following places it appears:

6 (A) page 3, line 9; and

7 (B) page 3, line 26.

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

10 SECTION _____. OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR: TEXAS YOUTH LIVESTOCK
11 SHOW GRANT PROGRAM. The amount of \$5,000,000 is appropriated to the
12 Office of the Governor for deposit to the Texas Youth Livestock Show
13 Account No. 5188 and for use by the office to establish and
14 administer the Texas youth livestock show grant program during the
15 two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act from
16 money received by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal
17 Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
18 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
19 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325.



E870377

21 Oct-14 PM 05:54
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Harris

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 11 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Transportation for a customs inspection station in
4 Presidio, Texas (page 8, line 11), strike "\$15,000,000" and
5 substitute "\$10,000,000".

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

8 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: MAINTENANCE OF
9 TEXAS STATE RAILROAD. (a) The amount of \$5,000,000 is appropriated
10 to the Department of Transportation from money received by this
11 state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C.
12 Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
13 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus
14 Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing funding for
15 maintenance of the Texas State Railroad as authorized by other law
16 during the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this
17 Act.

18 (b) It is the intent of the legislature that the Department
19 of Transportation consult with the Texas State Railroad Authority
20 regarding the maintenance to be performed on the Texas State
21 Railroad using the money appropriated under Subsection (a) of this
22 section.



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21 Oct-15 AM 07:37
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Holland

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 9, strike line 5 and substitute the following:

3 (b) Except as provided by the section of this Act
4 appropriating money to the Truſteed Programs within the Office of
5 the Governor for the purpose of providing grants to support
6 recovery of the tourism, travel, and hospitality industries, it is
7 the intent of the legislature that, if the United

8 (2) Add the following SECTION to the bill and renumber
9 subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

10 SECTION _____. TRUSTEED PROGRAMS WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE
11 GOVERNOR: TOURISM, TRAVEL, AND HOSPITALITY RECOVERY GRANTS. (a)
12 This section applies only to:

13 (1) money:

14 (A) received by this state from the Coronavirus
15 State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established
16 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and
17 deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325; and

18 (B) appropriated by this Act for a purpose that
19 the United States Department of the Treasury or any other qualified
20 state or federal authority determines is an improper use of that
21 money;

22 (2) money received by this state from the federal
23 government as reimbursement for money:

24 (A) received by this state from the Coronavirus
25 State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established
26 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and
27 deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325; and

28 (B) appropriated by this Act; and

29 (3) money:

1 (A) received by this state from the Coronavirus
2 State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established
3 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and
4 deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325; and

5 (B) appropriated by this Act, contingent on a
6 condition that subsequently is not met.

7 (b) Notwithstanding any other law, the lesser of the total
8 amount of money described by Subsection (a) of this section and
9 \$600,000,000 is appropriated to the Trusteed Programs within the
10 Office of the Governor for the two-year period beginning on the
11 effective date of this Act from the Coronavirus State Fiscal
12 Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
13 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
14 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose
15 of providing grants to support recovery of the tourism, travel, and
16 hospitality industries, to the extent the grants are not prohibited
17 by other law.

18 (c) It is the intent of the legislature that the governor
19 reduce grant awards provided under Subsection (b) of this section
20 by the amount of any direct federal aid received by the grantee.

21 (d) Notwithstanding any other law, on a report originally
22 due on or after January 1, 2022, under Chapter 171, Tax Code, a
23 taxable entity as defined by Section 171.0002, Tax Code:

24 (1) shall exclude from its total revenue, to the
25 extent included under Section 171.1011(c)(1)(A), (c)(2)(A), or
26 (c)(3), Tax Code, grant proceeds awarded under this section;

27 (2) may include as a cost of goods sold under Section
28 171.1012, Tax Code, any expense paid using grant proceeds awarded
29 under this section to the extent the expense is otherwise
30 includable as a cost of goods sold under Section 171.1012, Tax Code;
31 and

1 (3) may include as compensation under Section
2 171.1013, Tax Code, any expense paid using grant proceeds to the
3 extent the expense is otherwise includable as compensation under
4 that section.



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21 Oct-14 PM 11:06
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Howard

Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) by adding the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

SECTION _____. REPORT ON FEDERAL FUNDS BY LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD. (a) In this section, "COVID-19 relief money" means money received under federal legislation responding to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic.

(b) The Legislative Budget Board, in consultation with the comptroller of public accounts, shall provide, in a publicly available database on the board's Internet website:

(1) for each political subdivision in this state, an informational listing of all COVID-19 relief money received by the subdivision; and

(2) for each state agency and each institution of higher education, an informational listing of the following:

(A) the amount of COVID-19 relief money received by the agency or institution;

(B) the federal legislation that authorized distribution of COVID-19 relief money to the state, agency, or institution and the state legislation, if applicable, that appropriated the money to the agency or institution;

(C) an indication of whether the COVID-19 relief money received by the agency or institution was received directly from the federal government, was appropriated to the agency or institution by state legislation, or was provided to the agency or

institution by a separate state agency;

(D) the amount of COVID-19 relief money expended by the agency or institution;

(E) the allowable uses for which the agency or institution may expend COVID-19 relief money received by the agency or institution and the purposes for which the agency or institution has expended the money;

(F) the amount of COVID-19 relief money received by the agency or institution:

(i) which the agency or institution has not expended; and

(ii) which the agency or institution may expend without further appropriation; and

(G) the time frame during which COVID-19 relief money received by the agency or institution was expended by the agency or institution, including the remaining time in which the agency or institution may expend the money without further appropriation.

(c) This chapter does not apply to a hospital licensed under chapter 241, Health and Safety Code or a hospital owned and operated by the state.

(d) It is the intent of the legislature that information required to be provided in a publicly available database on the Legislative Budget Board's Internet website under Subsection (b) of this section must be updated not less than once during each fiscal quarter and once on the first day of each fiscal quarter that occurs on or after December 1, 2021, until at least December 1,

2028.



E870382

21 Oct-14 PM 07:47
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: J. Johnson of Harris

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 11 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Transportation for a customs inspection station on
4 the South Orient Rail Line in Presidio, Texas (page 8, line 11),
5 strike "\$15,000,000" and substitute "\$10,000,000".

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

8 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES: SICKLE
9 CELL DISEASE GRANT PROGRAM. The amount of \$5,000,000 is
10 appropriated to the Department of State Health Services for the
11 two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act from
12 money received by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal
13 Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
14 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
15 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose
16 of, to the extent authorized by other law, providing grants to local
17 community-based organizations that assist persons with sickle cell
18 disease in covering:

- 19 (1) costs of:
 - 20 (A) free trait testing;
 - 21 (B) supportive services; and
 - 22 (C) transportation services; and
- 23 (2) other costs as determined by the department.



E870397

21 Oct-14 PM 09:38
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Johnson of Dallas

- 1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:
- 2 (1) On page 2, line 26, between "FOOD BANKS" and the period,
- 3 insert "AND FOOD PANTRIES".
- 4 (2) On page 3, line 5, between "food banks" and "in", insert
- 5 "and food pantries".



E870398

21 Oct-14 PM 09:38
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Johnson of Dallas

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 1, line 6, strike "\$7,245,419,946" and

3 substitute "\$7,244,419,946".

4 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the

5 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

6 SECTION _____. TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION: EMPLOYMENT

7 COACHING AND JOB READINESS. The amount of \$1,000,000 is

8 appropriated to the Texas Workforce Commission from money received

9 by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42

10 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act

11 of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the

12 Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the two-year period beginning

13 on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of providing

14 funding to nonprofit organizations that provide employment

15 coaching and job readiness programs.



E870380

21 Oct-14 PM 06:30
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Martinez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 2, line 12, strike "\$160,000,000" and substitute

3 "\$151,200,000".

4 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the

5 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

6 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: WESLACO

7 MID-VALLEY AIRPORT. The amount of \$8,800,000 is appropriated to

8 the Department of Transportation from money received by this state

9 from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section

10 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.

11 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief

12 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of, to the extent authorized by other

13 law, providing grants to the City of Weslaco for use in making

14 improvements to the Weslaco Mid-Valley Airport that support border

15 security efforts during the two-year period beginning on the

16 effective date of this Act.



E870458

21 Oct-15 AM 08:35
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Holcomb

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Middleton

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$20,000,000" in each of the following places it appears:

4 (A) page 3, line 9; and

5 (B) page 3, line 26.

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

8 SECTION __. TRUSTEED PROGRAMS WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE

9 GOVERNOR: TOURISM, TRAVEL, AND HOSPITALITY RECOVERY GRANTS. (a)

10 The amount of \$180,000,000 is appropriated to the Trusteed Programs
11 within the Office of the Governor from money received by this state
12 from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section
13 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub.
14 L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
15 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing funding for grants during
16 the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act
17 for tourism, travel, and hospitality industry recovery, to the
18 extent the grants are authorized by other law.

19 (b) Out of money appropriated by Subsection (a) of this
20 section, \$45,000,000 may be used only for the purpose of providing
21 funding for grants to businesses and entities that are based in
22 Texas and were directly affected by a federal No Sail Order.

23 (c) It is the intent of the legislature that the governor
24 give priority to potential grantees that have not received direct
25 federal aid and that the amount of each authorized grant awarded,

1 other than a grant described by Subsection (b), does not exceed
2 \$20,000.
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E870444

21 Oct-15 AM 08:24
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Minjarez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION _____. PROGRAM OF ALL-INCLUSIVE CARE FOR THE ELDERLY
5 (PACE). (a) Notwithstanding Rider 122, page II-85, Chapter 1053
6 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021 (the
7 General Appropriations Act), the Health and Human Services
8 Commission shall transfer money from Strategy A.1.1., Aged and
9 Medicare-Related, or Strategy A.1.2., Disability-Related, to
10 Strategy A.3.5., All-Inclusive Care - Elderly (PACE), as listed in
11 that Act, in an amount not to exceed \$2,807,303 in general revenue
12 funds appropriated for the state fiscal year beginning September 1,
13 2021, and \$11,229,210 in general revenue funds appropriated for the
14 state fiscal year beginning September 1, 2022, to support up to 150
15 clients served in each of up to two additional Program of
16 All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) sites. The amount
17 transferred under this subsection may not exceed \$1,403,651 for the
18 state fiscal year beginning September 1, 2021, and \$5,614,605 for
19 the state fiscal year beginning September 1, 2022, for each new
20 site. It is the intent of the legislature that additional PACE sites
21 be located in Bexar County and administered by entities with
22 available facility space and demonstrated administrative capacity.
23 The new sites shall support the goals of increased access to
24 healthcare services, options for eligible persons, and improved
25 public health outcomes.

26 (b) The transfer of money described by Subsection (a) of
27 this section is contingent on the additional PACE sites having:

28 (1) complied with the statutory requirements of
29 Section 32.053, Human Resources Code, and any regulatory

1 requirements; and

2 (2) been approved by the Centers for Medicare and
3 Medicaid Services to be a provider agency.

4 (c) The executive commissioner of the Health and Human
5 Services Commission shall provide written notice to the Legislative
6 Budget Board and the governor of the certification and transfer
7 amounts not later than the 30th business day after the date a
8 transfer occurs.

9 (d) If transfer authority provided by Subsection (a) of this
10 section is not sufficient to serve the increase in clients
11 described by Subsection (a) of this section, the executive
12 commissioner of the Health and Human Services Commission shall
13 submit a written request to the Legislative Budget Board and the
14 governor for approval to transfer additional money from the
15 strategies described by Subsection (a) of this section. The
16 request shall be considered approved unless the Legislative Budget
17 Board or the governor issues a written disapproval not later than
18 the 30th business day after the date the staff of the Legislative
19 Budget Board concludes its review of the request and forwards its
20 review to the chair of the house appropriations committee, chair of
21 the senate finance committee, speaker of the house of
22 representatives, and lieutenant governor. Any requests for
23 additional information made by the Legislative Budget Board toll
24 the counting of the 30 business days.

25 (e) Proposed rates related to all PACE sites, including any
26 new sites as authorized by this section, are subject to the
27 requirements in Section 12, page II-102, Chapter 1053 (S.B. 1),
28 Acts of the 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021 (the General
29 Appropriations Act). The fiscal impact of proposed rates shall be
30 calculated relative to the average cost per client for existing
31 PACE sites.

1 (f) A PACE provider shall provide any requested information
2 on actual cost, caseload, and service on request of the Health and
3 Human Services Commission, the Legislative Budget Board, or the
4 governor.



E870447

21 Oct-15 AM 08:25
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Minjarez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 comptroller of public accounts for deposit to the unemployment
4 compensation fund (page 1, line 6), strike "\$7,245,419,946" and
5 substitute "\$6,945,419,946".

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

8 SECTION __. TRUSTEED PROGRAMS WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE
9 GOVERNOR: EMERGENCY SMALL BUSINESS LOANS. The amount of
10 \$300,000,000 is appropriated to the Trusteed Programs within the
11 Office of the Governor from money received by this state from the
12 Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
13 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.
14 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
15 Fund No. 325 to provide funding during the two-year period
16 beginning on the effective date of this Act for short-term,
17 emergency bridge loans to small businesses to assist those
18 businesses in recovering from a disaster, as authorized by other
19 law.



E870450

21 Oct-15 AM 08:25
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Minjarez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 1, line 6, strike "\$7,245,419,946" and substitute
3 "\$6,645,419,946".

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

7 SECTION __. COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS: PREMIUM PAY FOR
8 ELIGIBLE WORKERS EMPLOYED BY STATE AGENCIES. (a) In this section,
9 "premium pay" and "eligible workers" have the meanings assigned by
10 42 U.S.C. Section 802(g).

11 (b) The amount of \$600,000,000 is appropriated to the
12 comptroller of public accounts from money received by this state
13 from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section
14 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub.
15 L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
16 Fund No. 325 for the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1,
17 2021, for the purpose of providing funding for premium pay for
18 eligible workers employed by state agencies as authorized by other
19 law.



E870463

21 Oct-15 AM 08:38
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Minjarez

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$198,620,000" in each of the following places it appears:

4 (A) line 9; and

5 (B) line 26.

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

8 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES:
9 NURSE FAMILY PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM. The amount of \$1,375,500 is
10 appropriated to the Department of Family and Protective Services
11 for the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this
12 Act from money received by this state from the Coronavirus State
13 Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
14 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
15 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the
16 purpose of supporting the Nurse Family Partnership Program.

17 (b) Out of the money appropriated under Subsection (a) of
18 this section:

19 (1) \$1,241,500 may be used only for client or nurse
20 material or technological supports such as personal protective
21 equipment, telehealth platform licensing, and client equipment and
22 education materials; and

23 (2) \$134,000 may be used only for nurse salaries,
24 including hero bonuses and staff sign-on and retention bonuses.



E870392

21 Oct-14 PM 08:23
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Morales of Maverick

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 1, line 6, strike "\$7,245,419,946" and

3 substitute "\$7,215,214,608".

4 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the

5 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

6 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: CERTAIN

7 HIGHWAY PROJECTS. The amount of \$30,205,338 is appropriated to the

8 Department of Transportation from money received by this state from

9 the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)

10 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.

11 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief

12 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of immediately depositing that amount

13 to the credit of the state highway fund and to provide funding

14 during the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2021, for

15 projects that are new construction on the Ports-to-Plains Corridor

16 and on the State Loop 480 Relief Route.



E870393

21 Oct-14 PM 08:24
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Morales of Maverick

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION ____ . DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION: AIRPORT
5 IMPROVEMENTS. Section 17.43 (page IX-114), Part 17, Article IX,
6 S.B. 1, Acts of the 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021 (the
7 General Appropriations Act), is amended to read as follows:

8 Sec. 17.43. Maverick [~~Ector~~] County Airport [~~Runway~~]. Out
9 of amounts appropriated to the Department of Transportation
10 elsewhere in this Act in Strategy C.5.1, Aviation Services, the
11 amount of \$15,000,000 from any eligible source of funding in that
12 strategy shall be allocated to fund improvements to [~~the extension~~
13 ~~of the runway at~~] the Maverick [~~Ector~~] County Airport.

Ken McQuinn *Stacy L. Stone*
M. Minjarez
Steve Quinn
David Bonchaly



E870426

21 Oct-15 AM 08:10
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Parker

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$185,000,000" in each of the following places it appears:

4 (A) line 9; and

5 (B) line 26.

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

8 SECTION _____. HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD: TEXAS
9 RESKILLING AND UPSKILLING THROUGH EDUCATION (TRUE) PROGRAM. (a)
10 The amount of \$15,000,000 is appropriated to the Higher Education
11 Coordinating Board from money received by this state from the
12 Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
13 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
14 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus
15 Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of operating the Texas
16 Reskilling and Upskilling through Education (TRUE) Program during
17 the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act.

18 (b) The Higher Education Coordinating Board shall
19 distribute the money appropriated by Subsection (a) of this section
20 in a manner consistent with Subchapter T-2, Chapter 61, Education
21 Code, as added by Section 1, Chapter 601 (S.B. 1102), Acts of the
22 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021. The board may not place
23 additional eligibility requirements on eligible entities beyond
24 the statutory limitations of Subchapter T-2, Chapter 61, Education
25 Code, as added by Section 1, Chapter 601 (S.B. 1102), Acts of the
26 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021, including matching fund
27 requirements by recipients of money appropriated by this section.



E870427

21 Oct-15 AM 08:11
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Parker

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, line 9, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$191,028,000".

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

7 SECTION _____. HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD:
8 COMPETENCY-BASED EDUCATION GRANT PILOT PROGRAM. (a) The amount of
9 \$8,972,000 is appropriated to the Higher Education Coordinating
10 Board from money received by this state from the Coronavirus State
11 Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the
12 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited
13 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose
14 of, to the extent authorized by other law, implementing a pilot
15 program through which the coordinating board provides grants to
16 students enrolled at a public or private postsecondary educational
17 institution in this state in competency-based baccalaureate degree
18 programs that lead to employment in high-demand occupations in
19 professional, scientific, or technical services, health care,
20 social assistance services, or education services during the
21 two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act.

22 (b) In implementing the pilot program described by
23 Subsection (a) of this section, the Higher Education Coordinating
24 Board shall:

25 (1) establish eligibility requirements for a grant
26 described by that subsection, including a requirement that the
27 student be:

28 (A) a resident of this state; and

29 (B) enrolled in a competency-based baccalaureate

1 degree program at:

2 (i) an institution of higher education or a
3 private or independent institution of higher education, as defined
4 by Section 61.003, Education Code; or

5 (ii) a nonprofit, tax-exempt, regionally
6 accredited college or university operating in accordance with a
7 memorandum of understanding with this state under an executive
8 order issued by the governor and offering competency-based,
9 exclusively online baccalaureate degree programs;

10 (2) identify degree programs that lead to employment
11 in high-demand occupations as described by that subsection;

12 (3) prioritize awarding grants to students with the
13 greatest unmet financial need;

14 (4) limit the amount of a grant to a student for any
15 academic year to \$500; and

16 (5) in collaboration with the Texas Workforce
17 Commission, establish methods of collecting and reporting data on
18 enrollment, credential completion, and employment outcomes for
19 students who receive a grant under the program.



E870455

Minjarez

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21 Oct-15 AM 08:32
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Parker
Matt Parker *Sen. Almir*

Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

(1) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in the appropriation to the Department of Information Resources for cybersecurity projects, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute "\$199,900,000" in each of the following places it appears:

(A) page 3, line 9; and

(B) page 3, line 26.

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

SECTION ____ . HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION:
ADDITIONAL MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENTS FOR CERTAIN SPECIALTY PROVIDERS. The amount of \$100,000 is appropriated to the Health and Human Services Commission for the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act from money received by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing additional Medicaid reimbursements to non-primary care specialty providers who provide life-sustaining treatment, as defined by Section 166.002, Health & Safety Code, life-stabilizing treatment, or any other treatment, services, equipment, or supplies necessary to improve outcomes, prevent emergency room visits, maintain care in the home and community, and avoid admission to a health care facility or other institution, during the two-year period beginning on the effective

date of this Act, in amounts that are proportional to the amount each provider's claims during that period bears to the total amount of claims for those services during that period.



E870418

21 Oct-15 AM 07:30
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Patterson

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) to read as
2 follows:

3 (1) On page 3 of the bill, strike "\$200,000,000" and
4 substitute "\$175,000,000" in each of the following places it
5 appears:

6 (A) line 9; and

7 (B) line 26.

8 (2) On page 7, line 20, strike "\$150,000,000" and substitute
9 "\$125,000,000".

10 (3) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the
11 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

12 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE: WORKERS'
13 COMPENSATION DEATH BENEFITS. (a) The amount of \$50,000,000 is
14 appropriated to the Department of Insurance for the two-year period
15 beginning on the effective date of this Act from money received by
16 this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42
17 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act
18 of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the
19 Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of distributing the
20 money to political subdivisions and pools, as defined by Section
21 504.001, Labor Code, to support payment of workers' compensation
22 death benefits of public safety employees, as defined by Section
23 607.001, Government Code:

24 (1) who contracted severe acute respiratory syndrome
25 coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) or coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)
26 that resulted in death;

27 (2) for whom the presumption under Section 607.0545,
28 Government Code, applies; and

29 (3) who at the time the virus or disease was contracted

1 were employed by a political subdivision other than a municipality
2 with a population of greater than 200,000.

3 (b) The Department of Insurance may distribute not more than
4 \$1,000,000 to a political subdivision or pool for each claim for
5 death benefits to which Subsection (a) of this section applies.



E870417

21 Oct-15 AM 07:08
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Paul _____

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, line 9, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute

3 "\$199,700,000".

4 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the

5 bill and renumber the SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

6 SECTION _____. GENERAL LAND OFFICE: ANALYSIS OF COASTAL

7 TEXAS STUDY DESIGN ELEMENTS. The amount of \$300,000 is

8 appropriated to the General Land Office from money received by this

9 state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C.

10 Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021

11 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus

12 Relief Fund No. 325 to be used during the two-year period beginning

13 on the effective date of this Act for the purpose of providing

14 funding for a cost and component analysis of the Coastal Texas Study

15 design elements to be conducted by the Gulf Coast Protection

16 District under an agreement between the office and the district.



E870407

21 Oct-14 PM 10:04
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Raney / SHINE

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$194,958,500" in each of the following places it appears:

4 (A) line 9; and

5 (B) line 26.

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

8 SECTION _____. TEXAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY: PRESCRIPTION
9 MONITORING PROGRAM. The amount of \$2,520,750 is appropriated to
10 the Texas State Board of Pharmacy for each state fiscal year of the
11 state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2021, notwithstanding
12 Section 12(a) of this Act, from money received by this state from
13 the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
14 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.
15 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
16 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of allowing continued funding of the
17 prescription monitoring program for Texas prescribers and
18 pharmacies, including subscription costs for the PMP Gateway,
19 NarxCare, and Clinical Alerts, to address the increase in deaths
20 related to opioid use in this state due to the 2019 novel
21 coronavirus disease (COVID-19).



E870422

21 Oct-15 AM 08:07
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Sherman, Sr.

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 1, line 6, strike "\$7,245,419,946" and
3 substitute "\$7,045,419,946".

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

7 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE: ONE-TIME
8 RETENTION BONUSES. The amount of \$200,000,000 is appropriated to
9 the Department of Criminal Justice from money received by this
10 state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C.
11 Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
12 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus
13 Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of, to the extent authorized by
14 other law, providing a one-time retention bonus to each employee of
15 the department eligible for premium pay in accordance with 42
16 U.S.C. Section 802.



E870424

21 Oct-15 AM 08:07
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Sherman, Sr.

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 1 of the bill, making an appropriation to the
3 comptroller of public accounts (page 1, line 6), strike
4 "\$7,245,419,946" and substitute "\$6,645,419,946".

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

8 SECTION _____. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE:
9 COMMUNITY VIOLENCE INTERVENTION PROGRAMS. The amount of
10 \$600,000,000 is appropriated to the Texas Department of Criminal
11 Justice from money received by this state from the Coronavirus
12 State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established
13 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and
14 deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 to be
15 used during the two-year period beginning on the effective date of
16 this Act for the purpose of installing, operating, and maintaining
17 air conditioning units with antiviral and pathology systems in
18 prisons and detention facilities operated by the department,
19 consistent with Strategy C.1.7., Institutional Operations and
20 Maintenance, as listed in Chapter 1053 (S.B. 1), Acts of the 87th
21 Legislature, Regular Session, 2021 (the General Appropriations
22 Act). It is the intent of the legislature that the prisons and
23 detention facilities maintain a temperature of not less than 65 or
24 more than 85 degrees Fahrenheit.



E870435

21 Oct-15 AM 08:18
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Vasut

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Information Resources for cybersecurity projects,
4 strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute "\$195,000,000" in each of the
5 following places it appears:

6 (A) page 3, line 9; and

7 (B) page 3, line 26.

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

10 SECTION _____. GENERAL LAND OFFICE: BRAZORIA COUNTY BEACH
11 AND DUNE MAINTENANCE. The amount of \$5,000,000 is appropriated to
12 the General Land Office for the two-year period beginning on the
13 effective date of this Act from money received by this state from
14 the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
15 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
16 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus
17 Relief Fund No. 325 for use by the office to maintain with Brazoria
18 County approximately 4,600 feet of beach and dunes along the
19 Bluewater Highway and Beach Access Road Five.



E870388

21 Oct-14 PM 08:16
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 9(a)(1) of the bill, making an appropriation
3 to the Comptroller of Public Accounts, Judiciary Section (page 5,
4 line 27), strike "\$14,854,228" and substitute "\$13,807,228".

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

7 SECTION _____. COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS: JUSTICE OF THE
8 PEACE AND CONSTABLE TRAINING. The amount of \$1,047,000 is
9 appropriated to the Court of Criminal Appeals from money received
10 by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42
11 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act
12 of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the
13 Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing
14 funding for additional training for justices of the peace and
15 constables during the two-year period beginning on the effective
16 date of this Act.



E870389

21 Oct-14 PM 08:17
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 9(a)(4) of the bill, making an appropriation
3 to the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (page 6, line 22), strike
4 "\$9,400,000" and substitute "\$5,800,000".

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

7 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY: LOCAL LAW
8 ENFORCEMENT CONTINUING EDUCATION GRANTS. The amount of \$3,600,000
9 is appropriated to the Department of Public Safety for deposit to
10 the Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education Account No. 116
11 and for use by the department to award continuing education grants
12 to local law enforcement agencies during the two-year period
13 beginning on the effective date of this Act from money received by
14 this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42
15 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act
16 of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the
17 Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325.



E870390

21 Oct-14 PM 08:17
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 7, line 20, strike "\$150,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$135,000,000".

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

7 SECTION _____. TRUSTEED PROGRAMS WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE
8 GOVERNOR: BORDER SECURITY GRANTS. (a) The amount of \$15,000,000 is
9 appropriated to the Trusteed Programs within the Office of the
10 Governor from money received by this state from the Coronavirus
11 State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established
12 under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and
13 deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for
14 the purpose of providing grants, to the extent authorized by other
15 law, to local law enforcement agencies engaged in ongoing border
16 security initiatives, such as Operation Stonegarden, for a city
17 with a population of less than 40,000 that is located along the
18 United States' international border with Mexico for the purchase of
19 dispatch centers, upgraded consoles and equipment, multiband
20 multichannel radio communications, mobile command communications
21 units, emergency operations centers, and regional emergency
22 shelters during the state fiscal year beginning September 1, 2022.

23 (b) Not later than December 1, 2022, and December 1, 2023,
24 the Trusteed Programs within the Office of the Governor shall
25 submit to the Legislative Budget Board a report on the grants made
26 using money appropriated under Subsection (a) of this section
27 during the preceding state fiscal year. Each report must include:

28 (1) a list of each local law enforcement agency that
29 applied for a grant;

1 (2) the amount of money granted to each grant
2 recipient; and

3 (3) the number and types of equipment purchased.

4 (c) It is the intent of the legislature that local law
5 enforcement agencies described by Subsection (a) of this section
6 pursue any additional public or private grant funds available for
7 the purpose described by that subsection.



E870391

21 Oct-14 PM 08:17
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 7, line 20, strike "\$150,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$115,000,000".

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

7 SECTION _____. PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT: WYLER AERIAL
8 TRAMWAY. (a) The amount of \$35,000,000 is appropriated to the Parks
9 and Wildlife Department from money received by this state from the
10 Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
11 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 paying for overhaul and necessary
14 construction related to the Wyler Aerial Tramway and the related
15 tramway system during the state fiscal year beginning September 1,
16 2022.

17 (b) Any unexpended balance of the money appropriated by
18 Subsection (a) of this section remaining as of August 31, 2023, is
19 appropriated to the Parks and Wildlife Department for the same
20 purpose for the state fiscal year beginning September 1, 2023.



E870432

21 Oct-15 AM 08:15
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 5 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Information Resources for cybersecurity projects,
4 strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute "\$198,000,000" in each of the
5 following places it appears:

6 (A) page 3, line 9; and

7 (B) page 3, line 26.

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

10 SECTION _____. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:
11 BULLET-RESISTANT WINDSHIELDS. The amount of \$2,000,000 is
12 appropriated to the Department of Public Safety from money received
13 by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42
14 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act
15 of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the
16 Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 to be used during the two-year
17 period beginning on the effective date of this Act for the purpose
18 of providing funding for bullet-resistant windshields for motor
19 vehicles used by officers of the Texas Highway Patrol in accordance
20 with Chapter 980 (S.B. 2222), Acts of the 87th Legislature, Regular
21 Session, 2021.



E870456

21 Oct-15 AM 08:32
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: White

1 Amend C.S.S.B. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 3, line 9, strike "\$200,000,000" and substitute
3 "\$193,000,000".

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

7 SECTION __. UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS MEDICAL BRANCH AND TEXAS TECH
8 UNIVERSITY: PRISON NURSE OVERTIME COMPENSATION. (a) The amount of
9 \$7,000,000 is appropriated to the University of Texas Medical
10 Branch and Texas Tech University from money received by this state
11 from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section
12 802) established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub.
13 L. No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
14 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing overtime compensation
15 for nurses employed by those universities at correctional
16 facilities operated by the Department of Criminal Justice during
17 the two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act.

18 (b) The comptroller of public accounts shall allocate the
19 amount appropriated under Subsection (a) of this section between
20 the University of Texas Medical Branch and Texas Tech University
21 in proportion to the number of nurses employed by the university
22 at correctional facilities operated by the Department of Criminal
23 Justice.



E870457

21 Oct-15 AM 08:35
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Zwiener

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) by adding the
2 following appropriately numbered SECTION to the bill and
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION __. UNEXPENDED BALANCES: WATER DEVELOPMENT BOARD.
5 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, any unexpended
6 balance of money appropriated by this Act, in a total amount not
7 to exceed \$500,000,000, that is remaining on the last day of the
8 two-year period beginning on the effective date of this Act, is
9 re-appropriated to the Water Development Board for the purpose of
10 depositing that money immediately to the Clean Water State
11 Revolving Fund and the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund, in
12 equal amounts.

**The following 2 amendments were
published on 10/15/21 10:14 AM**



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Howard

1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee printing) as follows:

2 (1) In SECTION 11 of the bill, in the appropriation to the
3 Department of Transportation for a customs inspection station on
4 the South Orient Rail Line in Presidio, Texas (page 8, line 11),
5 strike "\$15,000,000" and substitute "\$14,662,237".

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

8 SECTION _____. TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING: TEMPORARY STAFF TO
9 EXPEDITE LICENSING. The amount of \$337,763 is appropriated to the
10 Texas Board of Nursing for the two-year period beginning on the
11 effective date of this Act from money received by this state from
12 the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802)
13 established under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L.
14 No. 117-2) and deposited to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief
15 Fund No. 325 for the purpose of providing funding to temporarily
16 employ additional staff to expedite licensing of nurses under
17 Chapter 301, Occupations Code.

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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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1 Amend C.S.S.B. No. 8 (house committee report) as follows:

2 (1) On page 1, line 6, strike "\$7,245,419,946" and

3 substitute "\$7,240,419,946".

4 (2) Add the following appropriately numbered SECTION to the

5 bill and renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

6 SECTION ____ . TEXAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK:

7 MICRO-BUSINESS DISASTER RECOVERY LOAN PROGRAM. (a) The amount of

8 \$5,000,000 is appropriated to the comptroller of public accounts

9 from money received by this state from the Coronavirus State Fiscal

10 Recovery Fund (42 U.S.C. Section 802) established under the

11 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (Pub. L. No. 117-2) and deposited

12 to the credit of the Coronavirus Relief Fund No. 325 for immediate

13 transfer on the effective date of this Act to the Micro-business

14 Disaster Recovery Account No. 5190.

15 (b) The amount of \$5,000,000 is appropriated to the Texas

16 Economic Development Bank for the two-year period beginning on the

17 effective date of this Act from the Micro-business Disaster

18 Recovery Account No. 5190 for the purpose of supporting the

19 micro-business disaster recovery loan program established under

20 Subchapter CC, Chapter 481, Government Code, as added by Chapter

21 1004 (H.B. 3271), Acts of the 87th Legislature, Regular Session,

22 2021.