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FLOOR AMENDMENT NO.____

BY: Rosenthal

Amend CSSB 1 (house committee printing) as follows:

(1) Reduce the Article I appropriations from the General Revenue Fund to Trusteed Programs Within the Office of the Governor for Strategy B.1.3, Homeland Security (page I-53) by the amount of \$5,000,000 for each year of the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2021.

(2) Increase the Article I appropriations from the General Revenue Fund to the Secretary of State for Strategy B.1.1, Elections Administration (page I-86), by the amount of \$5,000,000 for each year of the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2021.

(3) Add the following appropriately numbered rider following the Article I appropriations for Secretary of State (page I-89):

(4) _____. Vote-By-Mail Public Awareness Campaign. Included in the amounts of general revenue appropriated to the Secretary of State for use for Strategy B.1.1, Elections Administration, is \$5,000,000 in general revenue in each fiscal year of the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2021, to establish and promote a statewide vote-by-mail information campaign. The public awareness campaign may include online materials, printed materials, public service announcements, or other advertising media. The campaign will provide guidance from the agency on the requirements for an individual to vote by mail in accordance with Chapter 86 of the Election Code. Adjust totals and methods of financing accordingly.