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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Guerra

1 Amend **CSSB 1** (house committee report) in Article II of the
2 bill, immediately following the appropriations to the Health and
3 Human Services Commission (page II-36), by adding the following
4 appropriately numbered rider and renumbering subsequent riders
5 accordingly:

6 _____. Maximize Receipt of Federal Funds Under Medicaid. It
7 is the intent of the legislature that the Health and Human Services
8 Commission use money appropriated to the commission under Strategy
9 B.1.1, Medicaid Contracts and Administration, to prepare and seek
10 a waiver under Section 1115 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
11 Section 1315) or other applicable federal law to the state Medicaid
12 plan to expand to the maximum extent permitted by federal law the
13 categories of persons eligible for Medicaid benefits to include
14 all persons for whom federal matching funds are available. The
15 waiver must seek to maximize the reduction in the number of
16 uninsured residents of this state, promote personal responsibility
17 with respect to health care, increase the efficiency of the
18 delivery of health care services in this state, and reduce health
19 care costs.