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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

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

2 (1) In Article IV of the bill, following the appropriations
3 to the Judiciary Section, Comptroller's Department (page IV-36),
4 add the following appropriately numbered rider:

5 _____. Contingent Appropriation: County Reimbursement for Jury
6 Service Expenses. Contingent on the enactment of H.B. No. 2014 or
7 similar legislation of the 88th Legislature, Regular Session, 2023,
8 relating to reimbursement for jury service:

9 (1) the amount of \$2,435,308 is appropriated to the
10 Judiciary Section, Comptroller's Department, for Strategy D.1.7,
11 Juror Pay, for each fiscal year of the state fiscal biennium
12 beginning September 1, 2023, for the purpose of reimbursing
13 counties for a portion of the reimbursement paid to a person who
14 reports for jury service for the first day or fraction of the first
15 day the person is in attendance in court; and

16 (2) each appropriation of general revenue made in this
17 Act, other than the appropriations made to the Judiciary Section,
18 Comptroller's Department for Strategy D.1.7, is proportionally
19 reduced by the amounts necessary to achieve a total reduction in
20 appropriations of \$4,870,616 for the state fiscal biennium ending
21 August 31, 2025.

22 (2) Adjust article totals and methods of financing
23 accordingly.