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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 VI of the bill, following the appropriations
3 to the Department of Agriculture (page VI-1), add the following
4 appropriately numbered rider:

5 _____. Contingent Appropriation: Establishment of Grocery
6 Access Investment Fund. Contingent on the passage and becoming law
7 of H.B. No. 2509 or similar legislation of the 88th Legislature,
8 Regular Session, 2023, relating to establishment of a grocery
9 access investment fund program, and in addition to other amounts
10 appropriated by this Act, the amount of \$2,500,000 is appropriated
11 from the general revenue fund to the Department of Agriculture for
12 the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2024, for the purpose of
13 establishing the grocery access investment fund program, and the
14 amount of \$2,500,000 is appropriated from the general revenue fund
15 to the department for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2025,
16 for the same purpose.

17 (2) In Article VI of the bill, in the appropriations to the
18 Water Development Board (page VI-59), reduce the amount of the
19 general revenue fund appropriations for Strategy A.3.1, Water
20 Conservation Education and Assistance, by the amount of \$5,000,000
21 for the state fiscal year ending August 31, 2024.

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