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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Hopper

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

(1) In Article III of the bill, following the appropriations to the Texas Education Agency (III-3), insert the following appropriately numbered rider:

____. Additional Property Tax Compression. In addition to amounts appropriated above, the amount of \$889,989,506 is appropriated from the general revenue fund to the Texas Education Agency for the state fiscal biennium ending August 31, 2027, to reduce the state compression percentage under Section 48.255, Education Code, to the lowest possible percentage for that biennium.

(2) In Article III of the bill, strike the appropriations and the riders to the University of Texas at Austin (III-85 - III-89) because the university is offering a certificate or degree program, including a major or minor, or a course in lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or queer studies or in diversity, equity, and inclusion, including a program or course that does not comply with the biological reality that there are only two sexes - male and female - and they are not changeable or promotes differential treatment of individuals on the basis of race, color, or ethnicity.

(3) Adjust totals and methods of financing appropriately.