Amend CSSB 1420 (house committee printing) as follows:

- (1) Strike page 4, lines 18-24 and substitute:
- (b) The chief financial officer shall oversee the department's financial activities, including:
- (1) financial forecasting of the department's revenues
 and expenditures;
- (2) establishing and monitoring of the department's budget;
- (3) financial reporting on federal and state programs; and
 - (4) managing the department's debt and loan portfolio.
- (2) On page 4, line 25 strike "<a href="chief financial officer" and substitute "<a href="department".
 - (3) On page 5, between lines 9 and 10, insert:
- (f) Each month, the chief financial officer shall certify that the highway construction and maintenance contracts to be awarded by the department during that month will not create a liability to the state in excess of the most recent cash flow forecast issued by the chief financial officer.