

Amend **CSSB 1** in Article VII of the bill by adding the following appropriately numbered rider following the appropriations to the Department of Housing and Community Affairs:

_____. Financial Assistance for Local Initiatives Regarding the Homeless. It is the intent of the legislature that the Department of Housing and Community Affairs:

(1) use funds appropriated to the department under this Act to provide financial assistance to political subdivisions, housing finance corporations, for-profit corporations, and nonprofit organizations to support local initiatives regarding homeless individuals and families; and

(2) seek any federal funding available for the purpose of providing financial assistance described by Subdivision (1).