

Amend CSSB 1 as follows:

(1) Under the Article XI provisions for the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (page XI-6), add the following appropriately numbered rider:

Rider: Contingency for **HB 3940**, State Employee Loan Repayment Assistance Program. Contingent on the enactment and becoming law of **HB 3940** or similar legislation of the 81st Legislature, Regular Session, that establishes a program to provide assistance in the repayment of student loans for full-time state employees who apply and qualify for the assistance, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall expend, from general revenue funds otherwise appropriated to the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board by this Act, the sum of \$1 million for the state fiscal biennium beginning September 1, 2009, for the purpose of administering and providing loan repayment assistance under the program.

(2) Adjust the article totals (page XI-12) accordingly.