

Amend **CSSB 1**, on pages XI-16 and 17, under Article XI, Sec. 1, Article VII, under the Texas Department of Transportation bill pattern add the following rider:

_____ Commuter Rail Study. In addition to amounts appropriated above, the Department of Transportation is appropriated \$500,000 in fiscal year 2010 from the General Revenue Fund to commission a commuter rail feasibility study in Hidalgo County to determine whether a commuter rail system is a practical and cost effective transportation alternative.