



FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

BY: Wilson

1 Amend C.S.H.B. No. 2564 (house committee printing) by  
2 striking all below the enacting clause and substituting the  
3 following:

4 SECTION 1. Section 436.205, Government Code, is amended to  
5 read as follows:

6 Sec. 436.205. [~~PANEL.~~] EVALUATION OF APPLICATION. [~~(a)~~  
7 ~~The commission shall establish a defense economic adjustment~~  
8 ~~assistance panel composed of at least three and not more than five~~  
9 ~~professional full-time employees of the office of the governor~~  
10 ~~appointed by the director of the commission.~~

11 [~~(b)~~] The commission [~~panel~~] shall evaluate each grant  
12 application and assign the applicant a score based on:

13 (1) the significance of the adverse or positive effect  
14 within the local governmental entity; and

15 (2) any other criteria established by the commission.

16 SECTION 2. Section 436.206, Government Code, is amended to  
17 read as follows:

18 Sec. 436.206. MAKING OF GRANT. [~~The panel shall submit its~~  
19 ~~scores to the commission.~~] The commission shall use the scores  
20 assigned under Section 436.205 to determine whether to make a grant  
21 to an applicant. The commission may not make a grant unless the  
22 legislature has appropriated the money for the grant.

23 SECTION 3. Section 436.001(6), Government Code, is  
24 repealed.

25 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.