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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. _____

BY: Howard

Amend C.S.S.B. No. 1 (house committee printing) as follows:

- (1) In Article I of the bill, in the appropriations to the Office of the Attorney General (page I-3), decrease the general revenue fund appropriations for Strategy A.1.1, Legal Services, by \$650,000 for state fiscal year 2026.
- (2) In Article III of the bill, in the appropriations to The University of Texas at Austin (page III-85), increase the general revenue fund appropriations by \$650,000 for state fiscal 2026 and by \$0 for state fiscal 2027.
- (3) In Article III of the bill, in The University of Texas at Austin's bill pattern (page III-85), add the new Strategy C.2.9, Institute on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, with \$650,000 in fiscal year 2026 and UB in fiscal year 2027.
- (4) In Article III of the bill, following the appropriations to The University of Texas at Austin, add the following appropriately numbered rider:

____. Institute on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault. Out of funds appropriated above in Strategy C.2.9, Institute on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, \$650,000 in General Revenue in fiscal year 2026 is to be used by the Institute on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault at The University of Texas at Austin to conduct a statewide survey on the prevalence of sexual assault in Texas. The study is to ensure that survivors, policy makers, advocates, law enforcement, and Texans have up-to-date statistics on sexual assault and its impact. The Institute shall release its final report by August 31, 2027. Any unexpended balances of funds remaining as of August 31, 2026, are hereby appropriated to The University of Texas at Austin for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 2026, for the same purpose.