

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. _____

Offered by _____ of _____

Amend SCS/HS/HCS/House Bill No. 2002, Page 8, Section 2.090, Line 24,

2 by inserting immediately after said line the following:
 3 "Section 2.091. To the Department of Elementary and Secondary
 4 Education
 5 For the Division of Learning Services
 6 For funding an early literacy program targeting third grade
 7 reading success in academically struggling school districts which
 8 provides a full continuum of school-based, early literacy
 9 intervention services, for all grades Pre-K through third grade,
 10 consisting of developmentally appropriate components for each
 11 grade delivered each day school is in session by professionally
 12 coached, full-time interventionists who collect data regularly and
 13 use an intervention model that is comprehensive, has been proven
 14 to be effective in one or more empirical studies, and is provided
 15 by a not-for-profit organization to a Local Education Agency or a
 16 community-based early childhood center

17 From General Revenue Fund (0101).....\$350,000";

18 And

19 Further amend said bill, page 11, Section 2.160, line 4, by
 20 inserting immediately after said line the following:"Section
 21 2.161. To the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
 22 For character education initiatives
 23 From General Revenue Fund (0101).....\$1";

24 and

25 Further amend bill totals accordingly.