

Section 5

Special Provisions Relating Only to State Agencies of Higher Education Rider Highlights Article III-227

- Section 3, subsection 1. **Definition of Terms.** Section modified to add three new universities; Texas A&M University – Central Texas, Texas A&M University – San Antonio and University of North Texas - Dallas. (page, III-227)
- Section 5, subsection 7. **Higher Education Institutions Participating in the Employees Retirement System Group Benefit Program.** Funding for SKIP is eliminated. (page, III-229)
- Section 6, subsection 9. **Tuition Revenue Bond and Revenue Bonds.** Revised to reflect tuition revenue bonds adopted by the Eighty-first Legislature. (page, III-232)
- Section 28, subsection 1. **Instruction and Operations Formula.** Revised to reflect the Higher Education Coordinating Board's (HECB) cost based matrix for the different disciplines within general academic institutions. (page, III-236)
- The HECB has updated the matrix based on a cost-based methodology including all costs associated with the appropriate coursework, including: faculty salaries, academic support, institutional support, student services, and departmental operating expenses.
- Section 52. **Appropriations for the Research Development Fund.** Section updated to reflect appropriation decisions. (page, III-244)
- Section 53. **Appropriations for the Texas Competitive Knowledge Fund.** Section updated to reflect appropriation decisions. (page, III-245)
- Section 54. **Special Item Study.** Section Deleted. The study has been completed. (page, III-246)
- Section 56. **Academic Reporting Requirement for Museums.** Section Deleted. (page, III-244)

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Items not Included in Recommendations**

		<u>2012-13 Biennial Total</u>	
		<u>GR & GR- Dedicated</u>	<u>All Funds</u>
Rider Requests Not Recommended			
1. Section 28, General Academic Funding. The Higher Education Coordinating Board would like to modify this section to reflect its general academic formula funding recommendations. (page III-236)	\$	-	\$ -
Total, Items Not Included in the Recommendations	<u>\$</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ -</u>