

## Article IX - General Provisions

Summary of SB1, As Introduced

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### Rider Highlights

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2.01	2.01	<b>Position Classification Plan.</b> At the request of the State Auditor's Office, reclassified and added certain positions within the state's position classification plan.
3.05	3.05	<b>Scheduled Exempt Positions.</b> Amended existing rider to provide clarity when the rider applies to an agency that does not have a governing board.
3.09	3.09	<b>Classification Study on Exempt Positions.</b> Amended existing rider to clarify duties of the State Auditor's Office in regard to the Classification Study on Exempt Positions.
5.06	5.06	<b>Travel Meals and Lodging Expenses.</b> Amended existing rider to change the issuance of the state employee meal and lodging reimbursement rates for all locations from the Comptroller of Public Accounts to the United States General Services Administration.
5.08	5.08	<b>Limitation on Travel Expenditures.</b> Amended existing rider to exclude travel critical to the delivery of services consistent with the mission of the agency from the limitation and to remove the prohibition on international travel.
6.22	6.22	<b>Definition, Appropriation, Reporting and Audit of Earned Federal Funds.</b> At the request of the Comptroller of Public Accounts, amended existing rider to clarify that revenue collected as EFF cover associated employee benefits. Amounts in rider updated to reflect latest estimates.
7.01	7.01	<b>Budgeting and Reporting.</b> At the request of the Comptroller of Public Accounts, amend existing rider to remove the Comptroller from a list of agencies receiving a certain report.
17.05	7.10	<b>Fraud Reporting.</b> Moved the rider from Part 17 of Article IX to Part 7.
8.02	8.02	<b>Federal Funds/Block Grants.</b> Amended existing rider to provide explicit unexpended balance authority between fiscal years and between biennia for federal funds.
10.03		<b>State Agency Communication with Employees Regarding the State Kids Insurance Program (SKIP).</b> Deleted. The rider is no longer needed.
10.08		<b>Payment for Medical Errors.</b> Deleted. The rider is no longer needed as the study has been completed.
10.09		<b>Study on Directly Contracting with Medicare for Prescription Drug Coverage.</b> Deleted. The rider is no longer needed as the study has been completed.
11.03		<b>Efficient Use of State Owned and Leased Space.</b> Deleted. The rider is no longer needed as another rider addresses the topic.
11.09		<b>Name of El Paso State Office Building.</b> Deleted.
13.07		<b>Appropriation of All Specialty License License Plate Receipts and Unexpended Balances.</b> Deleted. The rider is replaced by a similar rider.

17.23	13.07	<b>Appropriation of Specialty License Plate Receipts.</b> Moved the rider from Part 17 to Part 13 of Article IX and limit the appropriation to 50 percent of all revenues accrued to state agencies and institution of higher education during the 2012-13 biennium .
14.01	14.01	<b>Appropriation Transfers.</b> Amended existing rider to allow transfers of a maximum of 20 percent between items of appropriation without LBB/Governor approval and an additional request to exceed approval process for amounts in excess of 20 percent. Additionally amended to prohibit transferring into items of appropriation identified as "Indirect Administration" without prior LBB/Governor approval.
14.03	14.03	<b>Limitations on Expenditures - Capital Budget.</b> Amended existing rider to provide clarity when the rider applies to an agency that does not have a governing board; to change the capital budget item threshold amount from \$25,000 to \$100,000; and to allow the transfer of items of appropriation from capital budget items to non-capital items with LBB/Governor approval.
14.04	14.04	<b>Disaster Related Transfer Authority.</b> Amended existing rider to provide greater clarity.
	17.01	<b>Reductions Related to Data Center Services.</b> New rider to provide reductions to amounts appropriated elsewhere in the Act for the purpose of making payments for data center services provided by the Department of Information Resources.
	17.02	<b>Reduction for Employee Benefits.</b> New rider to provide reductions to amounts appropriated elsewhere in the Act to reflect the elimination of payroll growth for general state employees and employees of institutions of higher education.
17.11	18.01	<b>Informational Listing General Obligation Bond Proceeds.</b> Existing informational rider which will be updated with approved general obligation bond and debt service amounts.
	18.02	<b>Interagency Contract to Coordinate Use of PARIS Data to Assist Veterans and Achieve Savings for State.</b> New rider to provide for coordination between agencies to use and analyze data from the federal Public Assistance and Reporting Information System (PARIS) to generate savings for the state.
	18.03	<b>Pension Plan Changes Study.</b> New rider to require the Employees Retirement System and the Teachers Retirement System to each individually report on the actuarial and fiscal impacts of the potential changes to the state, university, and and school district pension plans.
	18.04	<b>Report on Efforts to Draw Down Discretionary Federal Funds for Transportation.</b> New rider to require the Department of Transportation, the Department of Public Safety and the Department of Motor Vehicles to jointly report to the LBB and Governor efforts to maximize federal funding.
	18.05	<b>Contingency for Development of a System to Measure Commercial Vehicle Traffic.</b> New contingency rider to require the Department of Transportation, the Department of Public Safety, and the Texas Transportation Institute to provide staff and resources necessary to develop a system for measuring commercial vehicle traffic, contingent on the Texas Transportation Institute receiving grant funding.
17.18	18.06	<b>Professional Development Partnerships for Early Childhood Education.</b> Technical correction to include rider previously included in Part 17.
Other		<b>Delete appropriations contingent on the passage of legislation and other miscellaneous one-time provisions.</b>