IMPORTANT CORRECTION

to the

LSG Amendment Report for SB 1 Article III April 6, 2017

The following are corrections to the original document issued earlier in the day. For any further clarifications on these additions, please contact Ana Ramon at 210-382-4295 or info@texaslsg.org

Article II

The Analysis for Rep. Howards amendment #851148 on page 210 of the Amendment Packet has been corrected to read as follows:

This amendment requires the commissioner of education to study and provide a report on the efficiency and effectiveness of electronic instructional materials using funds appropriated to the Texas Education Agency (TEA). The amendment outlines specifics regarding the requirements of the study including a mandate of the study to consider the impact of demographics, geography, home internet access, and campus technical capabilities on the effectiveness and value of electronic instructional materials. The commissioner must also consult with representatives from several stakeholders including the State Board of Education, school technology personnel, and school curriculum departments. The intent is to equip policymakers and school districts with a report that uses metric and qualitative indicators to determine the educational value of electronic instructional materials so that they can distinguish between vendors and the effectiveness of certain products.

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