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## AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL NO. 40, AS AMENDED

(First Reading File Bill - Committee Reprint)

## COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO. 279

On page 223 of the Committee Reprint, in line 3, strike "\$10,000,000" and substitute "\$10,000".

Explanation: The amendment corrects a technical error in contingent budget bill language pertaining to the Department of Assessments and Taxation, reflecting action taken by the committee in the Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2003.

## **COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO. 280**

On pages 201 and 202 of the Committee Reprint, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 29 on page 201 through line 3 on page 202, inclusive.

On pages 202 through 207 of the Committee Reprint, on page 202 in lines 4, 8, 30, and 34, on page 203 in lines 1, 16, 25, and 33, on page 204 in lines 3 and 34, on page 205 in lines 11 and 25, on page 206 in lines 8 and 33, and on page 207 in lines 3, 8, and 15, strike "34.", "35."; "36.", "37."; "38.", "39.", "40.", "41.", "42.", "43.", "44.", "45.", "46.", "47.", "48.", "49.", "50.", respectively, and substitute "33.", "34.", "35.", "36.", "37.", "38.", "39.", "40.", "41.", "42.", "43.", "44.", "45.", "46.", "47.", "48.", and "49.", respectively.

Explanation: The amendment deletes Section 33 from the original budget bill, which pertains to rates for providers of non-public placements. The original text conflicted with action taken by the Appropriations Committee in the Budget Reconciliation and Financing Act of 2003. The amendment also renumbers sections following Section 33 to reflect the deletion of Section 33.