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Bill No. CS/CS/HB 1509

Amendment No. 1 (for drafter's use only)

	<u>Senate</u>	CHAMBER ACTION	<u>House</u>
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Representative(s) Diaz-Balart and Wiles offered the following:

Amendment

On page 11, lines 6-21,
remove from the bill: all of said lines

and insert in lieu thereof:

(7) A minimum of 55 percent of the new awards from funds provided in the General Appropriations Act for fellowships and fee waivers shall be used only to support:

(a) Upper-division students or graduate students formally admitted to a degree program in one of the following disciplines:

1. Computer and information sciences.
2. Engineering.
3. Engineering technology.
4. Biological sciences/life sciences.
5. Mathematics.
6. Physical sciences.
7. Health professions and related sciences.

(b) Upper-division students or master's level students

1 formally admitted to a state-approved teacher preparation
 2 program.
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 4 The State University System shall report annually to the
 5 Legislature the distribution of fellowships and fee waivers
 6 provided, including, but not limited to, the number of awards,
 7 the dollar value of the awards, student level, student
 8 discipline, and the number and percent of award recipients
 9 remaining in the state following graduation who are employed
 10 in the field directly related to the discipline for which the
 11 award was received.

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