House Amendment NO
Offered By
AMEND House Bill No. 1531, Page 1, Section 507.060, Lines 11 and 13, by deleting the word, " <u>includes</u> " and inserting in lieu thereof the word, " <u>means</u> "; and
Further amend said bill, page and section, Lines 15 through 16, by removing all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
" <u>4. If, within ninety days after receiving the first offer of settlement or demand for payment by a claimant, a plaintiff files an action for interpleader under this</u> "; and
Further amend said bill and section, Page 2, Lines 19 through 22, by removing all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following
"insured or defendant for any amount in excess of the insured's contractual limits of coverage in the interpleader or any other action, so long as the plaintiff fully defends its insured from any further claim or lawsuit, even after depositing its limits of coverage into court notwithstanding any policy provision releasing the insurer of its duty to defend"; and
Further amend said bill, page and section, Line 28, by inserting after the word, "section" the words, ", unless the insurer has failed to fully defend its insured"; and
Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Action Taken_____ Date _____