

**HOUSE AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_**  
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**Offered By**

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1 AMEND House Amendment No. \_\_\_\_\_ to Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 1298, Page 5, Line  
2 33, by inserting after all of said line the following:

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4 "Further amend said bill and page, Section 307.010, Line 20, by inserting after all of said section  
5 and line the following:

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7 "442.404. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

8 (1) "Homeowners' association", a nonprofit corporation or unincorporated association of  
9 homeowners created under a declaration to own and operate portions of a planned community or  
10 other residential subdivision that has the power under the declaration to assess association members  
11 to pay the costs and expenses incurred in the performance of the association's obligations under the  
12 declaration or tenants-in-common with respect to the ownership of common ground or amenities of  
13 a planned community or other residential subdivision. This term shall not include a condominium  
14 unit owners' association as defined and provided for in subdivision (3) of section 448.1-103 or a  
15 residential cooperative;

16 (2) "Political signs", any fixed, ground-mounted display in support of or in opposition to a  
17 person seeking elected office or a ballot measure excluding any materials that may be attached;

18 (3) "Solar panel or solar collector", a device used to collect and convert solar energy into  
19 electricity or thermal energy, including but not limited to photovoltaic cells or panels, or solar  
20 thermal systems.

21 2. (1) No deed restrictions, covenants, or similar binding agreements running with the land  
22 shall prohibit or have the effect of prohibiting the display of political signs.

23 (2) A homeowners' association has the authority to adopt reasonable rules, subject to any  
24 applicable statutes or ordinances, regarding the time, size, place, number, and manner of display of  
25 political signs.

26 (3) A homeowners' association may remove a political sign without liability if such sign is  
27 placed within the common ground, threatens the public health or safety, violates an applicable  
28 statute or ordinance, is accompanied by sound or music, or if any other materials are attached to the

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1 political sign. Subject to the foregoing, a homeowners' association shall not remove a political sign  
2 from the property of a homeowner or impose any fine or penalty upon the homeowner unless it has  
3 given such homeowner three days after providing written notice to the homeowner, which notice  
4 shall specifically identify the rule and the nature of the violation.

5 3. (1) No deed restrictions, covenants, or similar binding agreements running with the land  
6 shall limit or prohibit, or have the effect of limiting or prohibiting, the installation of solar panels or  
7 solar collectors on the rooftop of any property or structure.

8 (2) A homeowners' association may adopt reasonable rules, subject to any applicable  
9 statutes or ordinances, regarding the placement of solar panels or solar collectors to the extent that  
10 those rules do not prevent the installation of the device, impair the functioning of the device, restrict  
11 the use of the device, or adversely affect the cost or efficiency of the device.

12 (3) The provisions of this subsection shall apply only with regard to rooftops that are  
13 owned, controlled, and maintained by the owner of the individual property or structure.

14 4. (1) No deed restrictions, covenants, or similar binding agreements running with the land  
15 shall prohibit or have the effect of prohibiting the display of sale signs on the property of a  
16 homeowner or property owner including, but not limited to, any yard on the property, or nearby  
17 street corners.

18 (2) A homeowners' association has the authority to adopt reasonable rules, subject to any  
19 applicable statutes or ordinances, regarding the time, size, place, number, and manner of display of  
20 sale signs.

21 (3) A homeowners' association may remove a sale sign without liability if such sign is  
22 placed within the common ground, threatens the public health or safety, violates an applicable  
23 statute or ordinance, is accompanied by sound or music, or if any other materials are attached to the  
24 sale sign. Subject to the foregoing, a homeowners' association shall not remove a sale sign from the  
25 property of a homeowner or property owner or impose any fine or penalty upon the homeowner or  
26 property owner unless it has given such homeowner or property owner three business days after the  
27 homeowner or property owner receives written notice from the homeowners' association, which  
28 notice shall specifically identify the rule and the nature of the alleged violation.

29 5. (1) No deed restrictions, covenants, or similar binding agreements running with the land  
30 shall prohibit or have the effect of prohibiting ownership or pasturing of up to six chickens per two-  
31 tenths of an acre.

32 (2) A homeowners' association may adopt reasonable rules, subject to applicable statutes or  
33 ordinances, regarding ownership or pasturing of chickens, including a prohibition or restriction on  
34 ownership or pasturing of roosters."; and"; and

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36 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
37 accordingly.

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39 THIS AMENDS 4984S02.14H