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Offered By

AMEND House Amendment No. \_\_\_\_ to House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 916,  
Page 4, Line 13, by inserting after said line the following:

"160.231. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:

(1) "Multiple-occupancy restroom or changing area", an area in a private school building designed or designated to be used by more than one individual at a time and where individuals may be in various stages of undress in the presence of other individuals. The term includes, but is not limited to, a school restroom, locker room, changing room, or shower room;

(2) "Sex", the physical condition of being male or female based on genetics and physiology as identified on the individual's original birth certificate.

2. A private school that serves students in prekindergarten to grade twelve shall not be civilly liable for establishing, to ensure privacy and safety, one or more multiple-occupancy restrooms or changing areas designated as follows:

(1) For the exclusive use of the male sex; or

(2) For the exclusive use of the female sex.

3. The provisions of this section shall not apply to individuals entering a multiple-occupancy restroom or changing area designated for use by the opposite sex when entering:

(1) For custodial, maintenance, or inspection purposes;

(2) To render emergency medical assistance; or

(3) As a parent or guardian accompanying their child, who is eight years of age or younger, with the permission of the school.

4. (1) No political subdivision shall adopt any ordinance, rule, or regulation prohibiting a private school from establishing one or more multiple-occupancy restrooms or changing areas as provided in this section.

(2) If a political subdivision adopts an ordinance, rule, or regulation in violation of subdivision (1) of this subsection, such political subdivision shall pay the attorney's fees and costs incurred by a private school in such private school's legal defense against such ordinance, rule, or regulation."; and

Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

- 1 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 2 accordingly.
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- 4 THIS AMENDMENT AMENDS AMENDMENT 2170H03.23H.