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AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 116

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 12, after "circumstances;" insert "providing that, in a public school that offers instruction involving materials that promote same-sex marriage, a public school teacher may not be required to teach the materials and a parent shall be given an opportunity to have the parent's child excused from the instruction under certain circumstances;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 5, in line 27, after "That" insert ", notwithstanding any other provision of law, if a public school offers instruction that involves the use of materials that promote same-sex marriage:

- (1) a teacher in the public school may not be required to teach the materials if to do so would violate the teacher's sincerely held religious beliefs; and
- (2) a parent of a student in the public school shall be given an opportunity to have the student excused from the instruction if participation would violate the parent's sincerely held religious beliefs.

SECTION 6. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That".