

BY: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

(First Reading File Joint Resolution)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after “America” insert “to encourage abstinence programs for preventing HIV/AIDS in Africa and”; and strike beginning with “Governor” in line 6 down through “AIDS” in line 10 and substitute “President George W. Bush in his 2003 State of the Union address stated that “on the continent of Africa, nearly 30 million people have the AIDS virus, including 3 million children under the age of 15. There are whole countries in Africa where more than one-third of the adult population carries the infection. More than 4 million require immediate drug treatment, yet across that continent, only 50,000 AIDS victims are receiving the medicine they need.””.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, after line 21, insert:

“WHEREAS, Abstinence programs have had a dramatic effect in stemming the increase in the HIV/AIDS incidence in Uganda; and”;

and in line 27, after “America” insert “to encourage the use of abstinence programs whenever feasible and”.