

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 249

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in lines 3 and 4, in each instance, after “a” insert “minor”; and in line 6, after the semicolon insert “prohibiting a minor child from being compelled to testify in a certain divorce proceeding except under certain circumstances;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in lines 27 and 29, in each instance, after “A” insert “MINOR”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, after line 11, insert:

“(F) UNLESS THE COURT AFFIRMATIVELY DETERMINES THAT IT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF A MINOR CHILD, THE CHILD MAY NOT BE COMPELLED TO TESTIFY IN A PROCEEDING FOR ABSOLUTE DIVORCE ON THE GROUNDS OF CRUELTY OF TREATMENT TOWARD THE CHILD OR EXCESSIVELY VICIOUS CONDUCT TOWARD THE CHILD.”.