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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 431

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike "and Brinkley" and substitute ", Brinkley, Glassman, Kelley, Klausmeier, and Middleton"; in line 5, after "unit;" insert "altering the definition of "volunteer company" to include a volunteer fire police unit;"; in line 8, after "purposes;" insert "specifying that certain emergency responders who receive a certain membership benefit may not be considered employees for a certain purpose based on receipt of a certain membership benefit;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 28, strike "and"; and in line 29, after "squad" insert "; AND

(V) A VOLUNTEER FIRE POLICE UNIT".

On page 6, after line 13, insert:

"(AA) A MEMBER OF A VOLUNTEER COMPANY WHO IS NOT A COVERED EMPLOYEE UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT OTHERWISE BE CONSIDERED A COVERED EMPLOYEE FOR RECEIVING AS A MEMBERSHIP BENEFIT A YEARLY STIPEND OF \$5,200 OR LESS TO HELP OFFSET OUT-OF-POCKET EXPENSES.".

On page 7, strike beginning with "ADVANCED" in line 22 down through "SQUAD" in line 24 and substitute "COMPANY, AS DEFINED IN § 9-234 OF THIS TITLE,".