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BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 8

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “engaging” in line 4 down through “harass” in line 5 and substitute “maliciously engaging in a course of conduct, through the use of electronic communication, that alarms or seriously annoys another under certain circumstances”; and strike beginning with “establishing” in line 5 down through “Act;” in line 6.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, in line 21, before “ENGAGE” insert “MALICIOUSLY”; in the same line, after “IN” insert “A COURSE OF CONDUCT, THROUGH THE USE OF”; and in line 22, strike “with the intent to harass:” and substitute “, THAT ALARMS OR SERIOUSLY ANNOYS ANOTHER:”

(1) WITH THE INTENT TO HARASS, ALARM, OR ANNOY THE OTHER;

(2) AFTER RECEIVING A REASONABLE WARNING OR REQUEST TO STOP BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE OTHER; AND

(3) WITHOUT A LEGAL PURPOSE.

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 1 and 2.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, strike beginning with the colon in line 18 down through “OFFENSE,” in line 19; and strike beginning with the semicolon in line 20 down through “BOTH” in line 22.