HB1397/243123/1

BY: Senator King

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1397 (Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the top of the page, insert "<u>EMERGENCY BILL</u>"; strike line 2 in its entirety and substitute "<u>Civil Rights – Discrimination Based on Protected</u> <u>Characteristics and Reproductive Freedom</u>"; in line 6, after "disability;" insert "<u>withdrawing and repealing Chapter 244 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023;</u>"; and in line 7, after "characteristics" insert "<u>and reproductive freedom</u>".

On page 3, after line 22 insert:

"<u>BY withdrawing, recalling, and repealing</u> Chapter 244 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 16, after line 9, insert:

"<u>SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED</u>, That Chapter 244 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023 be and it is hereby withdrawn and recalled for appropriate legislative action.

<u>SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Chapter 244 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2023 be and it is hereby repealed.</u>";

in line 10, strike "2." and substitute "<u>4.</u>"; in the same line, after "That" insert "<u>Section</u> <u>1 of</u>"; and after line 11, insert:

"<u>SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED</u>, That, except as provided in Section 4 of this Act, this Act is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote

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supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.".

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