

COMMITTEE REPORT

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Corrections, Criminal, and Civil Matters, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 19, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Page 1, line 2, delete "[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]" and insert
- 2 "[EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]".
- 3 Page 1, line 2, after "Sec. 1." insert "(a)".
- 4 Page 2, after line 9, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 5 "**(b) The governor, the lieutenant governor, or a member of the**
- 6 **general assembly who solemnizes a marriage under subsection (a)**
- 7 **may not accept any money for solemnizing the marriage.**
- 8 SECTION 2. **An emergency is declared for this act.**
 (Reference is to SB 19 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 4.

Steele

Chairperson