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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Garofalo to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 107 by Senator Mizell

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 In House Committee Amendment No. 1 by the House Committee on Civil Law and
3 Procedure (#3558) on page 1, line 3, change "reporter" to "chairman"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 2, after "on" and before "Incentives" insert "Benefits of Marriage and"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 3, after "study" and before "possible " insert to "the benefits of marriage and
8 the"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 1, line 7, after "rate" and before "contributes" insert "and children born to parents
11 without the benefit of marriage"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 1, between line 15 and 16, insert the following:

14 "WHEREAS, in a joint report in late 2015 from Princeton University and the
15 Brookings Institute's David Ribar from the University of Melbourne, it states "Reams
16 of social science and medical research convincingly show that children who are
17 raised by their married, biological parents enjoy better physical, cognitive and
18 emotional outcomes, on average, than children raised in other circumstances.
19 ...[R]esearchers have been able to make a strong case that marriage has causal
20 impacts on outcomes such as children's schooling, their social and emotional
21 adjustment, and their employment, marriage and mental health as adults."; and"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 6

23 On page 2, line 27, after "incentivizes" and before "premarital" insert "marriage," and after
24 "premarital counseling" and before "and" insert a comma ","
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26 AMENDMENT NO. 7

27 On page 3, line 1, after "on" and before "Incentives" insert "Benefits of Marriage and"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 8

29 On page 4, line 5, after "on" and before "Premarital" insert "Benefits of Marriage and
30 Incentives for"