

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

HB 140

2016 Regular Session

Howard

May 23, 2016

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 140 by Representative Howard, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Committee Amendments by the Committee on Judiciary B (#2334) be rejected.
2. That the following amendment to the Engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the end of line 4, delete "Peace" and delete line 5 in its entirety and insert "Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Frank A. Howard

Senator Gary L. Smith, Jr.

Representative Sherman Mack

Senator John R. Smith

Representative Steven Pylant

Senator Karen Carter Peterson

DIGEST

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Keyword and oneliner of the instrument as it left the House

WEAPONS/FIREARMS: Adds current and retired attorney generals and designated assistant attorneys general to list of officials who can carry concealed weapons

Report rejects Senate amendments which would have:

1. Changed the name of the testing organization from Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Council.

Report amends the bill to:

1. Change "Peace Officer Standards and Training Council" to "Council on Peace Officer Standards and Training" in present law.

Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

Present law provides for the crime of illegal carrying of weapons and identifies certain active and retired public officials who can lawfully carry concealed weapons.

Proposed law retains present law but adds the current attorney general and retired attorney generals and certain assistant attorneys general to the list of those who can lawfully carry concealed weapons.

(Amends R.S. 14:95(H)(1) and (K))