SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Reengrossed House Bill No. 226 by Representative Jimmy Harris

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete lines 18 and 19 and insert the following:

3 "B. This Article shall also govern expert witnesses on the issue of memory and eyewitness identification, In a criminal case, if a party seeks to offer the testimony of a 4 5 memory and eyewitness identification expert under this Article, such expert testimony may 6 only be considered for admission if all provisions of Subparagraph A of this Article are 7 satisfied. A memory and eyewitness identification expert's testimony may not be admitted 8 under this Article if there is physical or scientific evidence that corroborates the eyewitness 9 identification of the defendant. An expert's testimony admitted under this Paragraph shall not offer an opinion as to whether a witness's memory or eyewitness identification is 10 11 accurate."

12 AMENDMENT NO. 2

13 On page 2, delete lines 1 and 2