SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO.

Offered by _____ Of _____

Amend Senate Bill No. 323, Page 1, Section title, Line 3,

by striking "the Bible"; and inserting in lieu thereof the 2 following: "religious texts"; and 3

Further amend said bill and page, Section 170.341, Line 4 1, by striking the colon ":" from said line; and further 5 amend lines 2-7, by striking said lines and inserting in 6 7 lieu thereof the following: "an elective social studies course on religious texts."; and further amend line 9, by 8 striking "biblical"; and further amend lines 15-16, by 9 striking "the Hebrew Scriptures or New Testament" and 10 inserting in lieu thereof the following: "religious texts"; 11 and further amend lines 17-18, by striking "the Hebrew 12 Scriptures or New Testament" and inserting in lieu thereof 13 the following: "religious texts"; and 14

15 Further amend said bill and section, Page 2, Lines 19-20, by striking "the Hebrew Scriptures or New Testament" and 16 inserting in lieu thereof the following: "religious texts"; 17 and further amend lines 21-22, by striking "the Hebrew 18 Scriptures or New Testament" and inserting in lieu thereof 19 the following: "religious texts"; and further amend lines 20 25-26, by striking "the Hebrew Scriptures or New Testament" 21 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "any religious 22 23 texts"; and further amend line 26, by striking "textbook" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "textbooks"; 24 and further amend line 27, by striking "the Hebrew 25 Scriptures or New Testament" and inserting in lieu thereof 26

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27 the following: "<u>religious texts</u>"; and further amend line 28 28, by striking "that" and inserting in lieu thereof the 29 following: "<u>those</u>".