April 10, 2001

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

That the House accede to the Senate amendments as printed on page 1121 of the House Journal and page 952 of the Senate Journal and that Engrossed House Bill No. 1451 be further amended as follows:

Page 1, line 5, after the period insert:

"1."

Page 1, after line 9, insert:

- "2. An agency may amend or repeal a rule without complying with the other requirements of this chapter relating to adoption of administrative rules and may resubmit the change to the legislative council for publication provided:
 - a. The agency initiates the request to the administrative rules committee for consideration of the amendment or repeal;
 - b. The agency provides notice to the regulated community, in a manner reasonably calculated to provide notice to those persons interested in the rule, of the time and place the administrative rules committee will consider the request for amendment or repeal of the rule; and
 - c. The agency and the administrative rules committee agree the rule amendment or repeal eliminates a provision that is obsolete or no longer in compliance with law and that no detriment would result to the substantive rights of the regulated community from the amendment or repeal."

Renumber accordingly