

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2267

That the House recede from its amendments as printed on page 975 of the Senate Journal and page 1011 of the House Journal and that Senate Bill No. 2267 be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 2, after "employees" insert "; and to provide for a legislative council study"

Page 1, line 23, overstrike "dismissed under this subsection" and insert immediately thereafter "claiming reprisal under this section"

Page 1, line 24, overstrike "state personnel board" and insert immediately thereafter "human resource management services division"

Page 2, line 2, overstrike "state personnel"

Page 2, line 3, overstrike "board" and insert immediately thereafter "human resource management services division"

Page 2, after line 11, insert:

- "5. An employee of the state may appeal a claim of reprisal under this section in the manner prescribed for a classified employee under chapter 54-44.3. This subsection does not apply to an employee under the jurisdiction of the state board of higher education or the judicial branch of government.

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY - WHISTLEBLOWER LAWS.

During the 2009-10 interim, the legislative council shall consider studying the state's whistleblower protection laws, including whether the laws adequately address the public policy issues related to whistleblower protection. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-second legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly