**An Act To Require the Inclusion of Racial Impact Statements in the Legislative Process**

L.D. 2

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “      ” to H.P. 5, L.D. 2, “An Act To Require the Inclusion of Racial Impact Statements in the Legislative Process”

Amend the bill in section 1 in c. 7 in §201 in subsection 2 in the 3rd line (page 1, line 18 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "information" the following: 'within the agency's possession'

Amend the bill in section 1 in c. 7 in §201 in subsection 2 in the 4th line (page 1, line 19 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "necessary" the following: 'for the Legislature'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the majority report of the committee, clarifies that state agencies need to provide information, data and analysis in their possession. The amendment limits the request for data, analysis and other information to that necessary for the Legislature to prepare a racial impact statement.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

**(See attached)**