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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2016 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill  
No. 482 by Representative Jefferson

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**1** AMENDMENT NO. 1**2** On page 2, line 3, delete "Kinship Foster Care Program" and insert in lieu thereof "foster  
**3** care program"**4** AMENDMENT NO. 2**5** On page 2, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:**6** "(7) A person who has served as a relative caretaker for a child in foster care  
**7** appointed by the secretary of the Department of Children and Family Services."**8** AMENDMENT NO. 3**9** On page 2, line 27, after "that" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 28 and 29 in  
**10** their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:**11** "can become permanent placements when reunification is not possible, thereby  
**12** reducing the number of children who are moved repeatedly among different homes."**13** AMENDMENT NO. 4**14** On page 3, line 1, after "by which to" delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu  
**15** thereof "assess persons"**16** AMENDMENT NO. 5**17** On page 3, line 2, after "parents" insert a comma "," and delete the remainder of the line**18** AMENDMENT NO. 6**19** On page 3, delete line 3 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "adoptive parents, and  
**20** relative caretakers."**21** AMENDMENT NO. 7**22** On page 3, line 5, after "parents" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 6 in its  
**23** entirety and insert in lieu thereof "and relative caretakers."**24** AMENDMENT NO. 8**25** On page 3, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:**26** "(8) Identification of laws and agency policies that unduly serve as barriers  
**27** to permanency.**28** (9) Identification of barriers with respect to recruitment of a competent  
**29** workforce and substitute caretaker network.**30** (10) Examination of barriers with respect to placement resources."