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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2016 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Gregory Miller to Engrossed House Bill No. 350
by Representative Hilferty

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 3, after "enact" and before "Code" insert "Civil Code Article 2997(7) and"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 9, after "reenacted" and before "to" insert "and Civil Code Article 2997(7)
5 is hereby enacted"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 19, after "mandatary" change the period "." to a comma "," and add the
8 following "unless express authority has been provided pursuant to Civil Code Article
9 2997(7)."

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

12 " * * *

13 Art. 2997. Express authority required

14 Authority also must be given expressly to:

15 (1) Make an inter vivos donation, either outright or to a new or existing trust or other

16 custodial arrangement, and, when also expressly so provided, to impose such conditions on

17 the donation, including, without limitation, the power to revoke, that are not contrary to the

18 other express terms of the mandate.

19 (2) Accept or renounce a succession.

20 (3) Contract a loan, acknowledge or make remission of a debt, or become a surety.

21 (4) Draw or endorse promissory notes and negotiable instruments.

22 (5) Enter into a compromise or refer a matter to arbitration.

23 (6) Make health care decisions, such as surgery, medical expenses, nursing home

24 residency, and medication.

25 (7) Prevent or limit reasonable communication, visitation, or interaction between the

26 principal and a relative by blood, adoption, or affinity within the third degree, or another

27 individual who has a relationship based on or productive of strong affection."