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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Ways and Means to Original House Bill No. 599 by Representative Beaulieu

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 8, delete "require" and delete line 9 in its entirety and insert "provide for submission"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, after "(K)(1)" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and delete lines 2 through 28 in their entirety and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 16 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 17 delete "(2)(a)" and insert "(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, at the end of line 19 delete "a portion", delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety, at the beginning of line 23 delete "(i) The", and insert "the"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 4, line 3, after "this" and before "has" delete "Item" and insert "Subsubparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 4, at the beginning of line 6 delete "(ii) The" and insert the following:

"(b) In addition to the homestead exemption authorized pursuant to the provisions of Article VII, Section 20 of this constitution, which applies to the first seven thousand five hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of property, the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 4, line 15, after "this" and before "has" delete "Item" and insert "Subsubparagraph"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 4, at the beginning of line 18 delete "(b)" and insert the following:

"(c) In addition to the homestead exemption authorized pursuant to the provisions of Article VII, Section 20 of this constitution, which applies to the first seven thousand five hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of property, the remaining assessed valuation of property receiving the homestead exemption that is owned and occupied by a veteran with a service-connected disability rating of one hundred percent unemployability or totally disabled by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs shall be exempt from ad valorem taxation. The surviving spouse of a deceased veteran with a service-connected disability rating of one hundred percent unemployability or totally disabled by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs shall be eligible for this exemption if the surviving spouse occupies and remains the owner of the property, whether or not the exemption was in effect on the property prior to the death of the veteran.

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 8

2 On page 4, at the beginning of line 20 after "this" delete "Subparagraph" and insert  
3 "Paragraph"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 9

5 On page 4, line 27, after "this" and before "shall" delete "Subparagraph" and insert  
6 "Paragraph"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 10

8 On page 5, delete lines 1 through 9 in their entirety

9 AMENDMENT NO. 11

10 On page 5, line 20, after "to" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert the  
11 following:

12 "expand certain property tax exemptions on property in which the homestead  
13 exemption is claimed for"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 12

15 On page 5, line 21, after "disabilities" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and on  
16 line 22, delete "voters in an election held for that purpose"