
SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Peterson to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 232 by Senator Cheek

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 6, between lines 12 and 13, insert:

3 **"(j) Given the unusual position of trust and authority that members of**
4 **the clergy of all religions enjoy from their congregation and the opportunity**
5 **that such an esteemed position gives those few individuals the task force shall**
6 **examine and report on the number of allegations of sexual abuse or assault**
7 **reported, investigated, and the number of those which were validated or not**
8 **validated and shall propose specific standards to be followed in the**
9 **investigation of such cases and shall issue recommendations of enhanced**
10 **penalties applicable to those who abuse that trust to perpetrate sexual offenses."**