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## MEMORANDUM

February 4, 2009

**SUBJECT:** Introduction of measures and fiscal notes; sectional summary  
(Work Order No. 26-LS0401\R)

**TO:** Representative Max Gruenberg  
Attn: Allison Laffen

**FROM:** Tamara Brandt Cook   
Director

**Sec. 1.** Permits prime sponsors and joint prime sponsors acting together to submit fiscal notes.

**Sec. 2.** Adds to the requirement that the prime sponsors name appear on a fiscal note, the requirement that the names of the joint prime sponsors appear.

**Sec. 4.** Permits a group of the members of a house or members-elect to request a measure to prefile as joint prime sponsors. Joint prime sponsors are permitted now for prefiled bills under the Manual of Legislative Drafting.

**Sec. 5.** Permits a group of members to introduce a measure. References to "bills" are changed to "measures" to include both bills and resolutions.

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