

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE

BY SENATOR MYERS

TO: SCS CSHB 62(HSS)

Page 5, lines 3 - 4:

Delete "[AND IN THE PRESENCE OF AT LEAST TWO COMPETENT"

Insert "and in the presence of at least **one** [TWO] competent **witness** ["

Page 5, lines 5 - 6:

Delete "**The person solemnizing the marriage must be** [A COMPETENT
WITNESS FOR THIS PURPOSE IS] a person"

Insert "A **person is competent to solemnize or witness a marriage if the person is**
[COMPETENT WITNESS FOR THIS PURPOSE IS A PERSON]"

Page 5, lines 9 - 10:

Delete "**person verifying the marriage** [TWO ATTENDING WITNESSES]"

Insert "[TWO] attending **witness** [WITNESSES]"

Page 5, line 11:

Delete "**person verifying the marriage**"

Insert "**witness**"

Page 5, line 12:

Delete "**person verifying the marriage**"

Insert "**witness**"

Page 5, lines 15 - 16:

1 Delete "The person verifying the marriage is not required to witness the
2 ceremony."

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4 Page 5, line 20:

5 Delete "person verifying the marriage"

6 Insert "witness"

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8 Page 5, line 29:

9 Delete "person verifying"

10 Insert "witness"

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12 Page 6, lines 6 - 7:

13 Delete "[, OR WITHOUT REQUIRING THE PRESENCE OF TWO COMPETENT
14 WITNESSES]"

15 Insert ", or without requiring the presence of one [TWO] competent witness
16 [WITNESSES]"