

H.B. 232

DRUG PARAPHERNALIA DEFINITION AMENDMENTS

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Representative **Evan J. Vickers** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 5, Lines 129 through 138:*

129 (5) A person may not be charged with ~~{possession or}~~ distribution of hypodermic
130 syringes as drug paraphernalia if:

131 (a) at the time of sale or distribution the syringes are in a sealed sterile package and are
132 for a legitimate medical purpose, including:

133 (i) injection of prescription medications as prescribed by a practitioner; or

134 (ii) the prevention of disease transmission ~~{;or}~~ .

(6) A person may not be charged with possession of hypodermic syringes as drug paraphernalia

if

135 ~~{(b)}~~ the syringe ~~{;~~

136 ~~(i) was previously used but is in a puncture resistant container; or~~

137 ~~(ii)}~~ is unused and is in a sealed sterile package.

138 [(5)] ~~{(6)}~~ **(7)** A person may be charged and sentenced for a violation of this section,