## H.B. 452 FAMILY EXPENSES AMENDMENTS

Representative Stephen E. Sandstrom proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Lines 28 through 36:
  - In addition to the expenses of the family and education of the children, a creditor 28 (2)  $\{\mathbf{A}\}$ shall be entitled to recover from  $\{-either\}$  the husband  $\{-or\}$ and wife, { or both, for the payment of a family expense when there is a written contract signed by either spouse that 29 30 **allows for the recovery of }** jointly and severally, the following additional amounts if the amounts are provided for in a written contract signed by either the husband or wife : 31 (a) <u>a</u> collection {<u>costs</u>} fee as provided in Section 12-1-11 : 32 (b) interest at the rate specified in the contract ; 33 (c) court costs;  $\{ and \} \}$
  - 34 (d) attorney fees <u>; and</u> (e) any other amounts provided for in the contract .
  - 35 (3) This section shall be applied to all contracts that were entered into by either spouse
  - 36 <u>during the marriage.</u>