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Mr. Speaker,

The Education Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 250**, PUBLIC EMPLOYEE GENDER-SPECIFIC LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS, by Representative N. P. Peck, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page Line 88 through 91:
  - 88 referred to the student by:
  - 89 (i)in good faith, the student's birth name, biological { gender } sex , or a pronoun or other
  - 90 gender-specific language related to the student's biological { gender } sex ; or
  - 91 (ii)the name, pronoun, or gender-specific language the student's parent prefers.
- 2. Page Line 97 through 105:
  - 97 (1)An employer may not pursue disciplinary action against an employee solely because the
  - 98 <u>employee</u> { : }
  - 99 {-(a)} in good faith, uses a pronoun or other gender-specific language in relation to another
  - individual that conflicts with the individual's personal gender-specific language
  - 101 <u>preference</u> { or }
  - 102 {<u>(b)because of the employee's sincerely held religious or moral belief, uses a pronoun or</u>
  - 103 other gender-specific language in relation to another individual that conflicts with the
  - 104 individual's personal gender-specific language preference.







(2) If an employer implements a rule or policy that requires an employee to use 105

Respectfully,

Candice B. Pierucci Chair

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