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Mr. Speaker,

The Government Operations Committee recommends **H.B. 21**, OPEN AND PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT AMENDMENTS, by Representative J. K. Briscoe, be replaced and reports a favorable recommendation on **2nd Sub. H.B. 21**, OPEN AND PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT AMENDMENTS with the following amendments:

1. *Page 10, Lines 290 through 292:*

290 (3) (a) (i) A public body holding a meeting that is open to the public shall allow a
291 reasonable opportunity for the public to provide verbal comment that is germane to the
 ~~{ topics~~
292 to be considered during the meeting} authority of the public body .

2. *Page 10, Line 303 through Page 11, Line 306:*

303 (c) The resolution, rule, or ordinance described in Subsection (3)(b) may limit
 public
304 verbal and written comments to topics that are germane to the ~~{ topics to be~~
 considered during
 ~~305 the meeting~~} authority of the public body .
306 (4) Subsection (3) does not apply to the Legislature, a legislative committee, or
 another

Respectfully,

Calvin R. Musselman
Chair

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