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Mr. President,

The Government Operations and Political Subdivisions Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **S.B. 262**, GOVERNMENT RECORDS AMENDMENTS, by Senator M. K. McKell, with the following amendments:

1. Page 9, Lines 249 through 251:

249 ~~{(c) If a respondent fails to submit a written statement under this~~
 ~~Subsection (4), the~~
250 ~~respondent may not testify, present evidence, or comment on the issues at a hearing~~
 ~~held under~~
251 ~~this section.}~~

2. Page 9, Lines 255 through 261:

255 ~~(6) If a respondent fails to submit a written statement under Subsection (4) {~~
 ~~whether or~~
256 ~~not the respondent appears at a hearing scheduled under Subsection (3), or if the~~
 ~~respondent~~
257 ~~submits a written statement under Subsection (4) but}~~ ~~or~~ ~~fails to appear at the~~
 ~~hearing, the~~
258 ~~committee shall:~~
259 ~~(a) cancel the hearing; or~~
260 ~~(b) hold the hearing {without the respondent testifying, presenting evidence;~~
 ~~or~~
261 ~~commenting on the issues considered at the hearing} in accordance with~~

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Subsection (7) :

3. *Page 9, Lines 266 through 267:*

266 (ii) allow the respondent to testify, present evidence, and comment on the issues if
the
267 respondent {~~has submitted a written statement under Subsection (4) and~~}
appears at the hearing.

Respectfully,

Ronald M. Winterton
Co-Chair

Voting: 5-0-3

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