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Mr. Speaker,

The Judiciary Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 134**, MARRIAGE MODIFICATIONS, by Representative A. E. Loubet, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Lines 38 through 43:
 - 38 (3) (a) A county clerk may not refuse to issue a marriage license on the basis of the
 - 39 race, ethnicity, or national origin of the individuals applying for the marriage license.
 - 40 (b) If an employee { or public official } , a public official, or a designee, of a governmental entity is authorized to
 - 41 <u>solemnize a marriage under Section 30-1-6, the employee</u> { <u>or public official</u> } <u>public official, or designee</u> may not refuse to
 - 42 <u>solemnize a marriage on the basis of the race, ethnicity, or national origin of the parties to</u> the
 - 43 <u>marriage.</u>

Respectfully,

Jon Hawkins Chair

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