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Mr. President,

The Economic Development and Workforce Services Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 245**, UTAH NATIONAL GUARD AMENDMENTS, by Representative J. S. Burton, with the following amendments:

1. *Page 6, Lines 166 through 171:*

166 39A-4-101. Utah State Defense Force -- How constituted.
167 (1) Unless exempt under Subsection [(2)] (3), **in accordance with the Utah**
Constitution, Article XV, Section 1, all able-bodied [~~citizens, and all~~
168 able-bodied individuals of foreign birth who have declared their intention to become
~~citizens,~~
169 are 18 years old or older and younger than 64 years old, and are residents of this state]
male
170 inhabitants of the state, between the ages of 18 and 45 years old, except such as are
exempted
171 by law, constitute the Utah State Defense Force.

Respectfully,

David P. Hinkins
Chair

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