2nd Sub. H.B. 55 EMPLOYMENT CONFIDENTIALITY AMENDMENTS

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

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Senator **Kirk A. Cullimore** proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 2, Line 55:
 - (g) "Retaliate" means taking an adverse action against an employee because the employee made an allegation of sexual harassment or assault , including:
- 2. Page 3, Lines 73 through 80c:
 - 73 (b) After an employee makes an allegation of sexual harassment or sexual assault, an
 - 74 employer of any sized-business, regardless of Subsection $\hat{S} \rightarrow [34-A-102] 34A-5-102 \leftarrow \hat{S} (1)(i)(D) \{$
 - 74a <u>may not retaliate</u>} :
 - (i) may not retaliate against the employee because the employee made an allegation of sexual harassment or assault; or
 - 76 {(ii) after a settlement agreement is reached, but may discipline or terminate an
 - 77 <u>employee in accordance with written company policy, and based on documentation detailing an</u>
 - 78 employee's violation of company policy or poor performance; or
 - 79 (ii) may not retaliate based on an employee's refusal to enter into a confidentiality clause or an
 - 80 employment contract that, as a condition of employment, contains a confidentiality clause.
 - 80a $\hat{S} \rightarrow (c)$ An employee may, within three business days after the day on which the employee
 - 80b <u>agrees to a settlement agreement that includes a {confidentiality} clause regarding sexual</u>
 - 80c misconduct, withdraw from the settlement agreement. $\leftarrow \hat{S}$
- 3. Page 4, Lines 109 through 110:
 - 109 Section 2. Effective date.
 - 110 { This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024. } If approved by two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, this bill takes effect upon approval by the governor, or the day following the constitutional time limit of Utah Constitution, Article VII, Section 8, without the governor's signature, or in the case of a veto, the date of veto override.