

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative Weatherford offered the following:

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3 **Amendment**

4 Remove lines 3356-3366 and insert:

5 (1) Any business that evaluates, ranks, or rates another
6 business on the basis of a consumer complaint shall not be
7 liable for any damages caused to the business being evaluated,
8 ranked, or rated for any defamatory statement published or
9 uttered in or as a part of an evaluation, ranking, or rating of
10 a business unless it shall be alleged and proved by a
11 preponderance of the evidence by the complaining party that the
12 business that evaluated, ranked, or rated a business failed to
13 exercise due care to prevent the publication or utterance of
14 such statement.

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15 (2) A business that evaluates, ranks, or rates another
16 business on the basis of a consumer complaint shall be entitled
17 to a presumption that due care was