

**Adopted  
COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO**

**House Concurrent Resolution No. 43**

**BY: Committee**

1           **AMEND by striking lines 200 through 222 and substituting in**  
2 **lieu thereof the following:**

3           (3) Proper decorum during any official meeting of a  
4 conference committee requires that the committee's deliberation be  
5 directly related to the committee's primary purpose of resolving  
6 the differences between the two (2) houses that pertain to a  
7 specific measure. Therefore, the following shall not be allowed  
8 during any official meeting of a conference committee:

9           (a) The use of a cell phone by a conferee or other  
10 person in the room in which the conference committee meeting is  
11 being conducted;

12           (b) Any oral, written or electronic communication  
13 between a conferee and another person who is not a legislator or  
14 legislative staff member, except that a conferee may request that  
15 any person at the meeting meet with the conferee outside the room,  
16 and any conferee may request any person who is not a member of the  
17 conference committee to address the committee in the room.

18           Any person who violates the provisions of this subsection  
19 shall be subject to expulsion from the committee meeting. Two (2)  
20 conferees may ask the Sergeant-at-Arms of either the Senate or the  
21 House of Representatives to enforce the provisions of this  
22 subsection.