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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 835

1 Delete lines 14 through 20 of the printed bill and insert:

<u>SECTION 2.</u> (1) As used in this section, 'equine' means any member of the family Equidae.

"(2) Subject to subsection (3) of this section, a person commits the
offense of equine tripping if, for purposes of a rodeo, contest, exhibition, entertainment or sport, the person intentionally causes an equine
to trip or fall.

8 "(3) Participation in an activity governed by rules or regulations 9 officially adopted by an organization conducting a rodeo, contest, ex-10 hibition, entertainment or sporting event does not violate subsection 11 (2) of this section if the rules or regulations require the disqualifica-12 tion of, or impose other mandatory sanctions on, a person who:

13 "(a) Intentionally causes an equine to trip or fall;

14 "(b) Intentionally ropes the back legs of an equine; or

"(c) Intentionally fails to rope an equine around the neck prior to
 roping the front legs of the equine.

17 "(4) The offense of equine tripping is a Class B misdemeanor.".

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