

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 26

Reps. Hope, Neeley, Scott, Tyrone Carter, Hood, Stone, Brixie, Puri, Camilleri and Hammoud offered the following resolution:

1 A resolution to amend the Standing Rules of the House of
2 Representatives.

3 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That Rule 2 of the
4 Standing Rules of the House of Representatives is hereby amended to
5 read as follows:

6 **"Bar of the House.**

7 Rule 3. (1) Any Member, having answered attendance roll call
8 at the opening of any session, or who enters after attendance roll
9 call, shall be considered present until leave of absence is
10 obtained from the House. Any Member having entered upon the floor
11 of the House after the House has been called to order, shall be
12 considered present if within the bar of the House.

1 (2) The words "within the bar of the House", when used in
2 these rules, shall mean the space occupied and used by the House or
3 any legislative room or office under the jurisdiction of the Clerk.

4 (3) Cell phones on the floor shall not ring audibly.

5 (4) All persons within the bar of the House shall be in
6 acceptable business attire.

7 **(5) All persons within the bar of the House shall wear a non-**
8 **medical, protective face covering over his or her nose and mouth at**
9 **all times. Any person, including Members, not wearing a protective**
10 **face covering over his or her nose or mouth shall be removed from**
11 **or denied admittance to the bar of the House. This subsection does**
12 **not apply to individuals who are not able to medically tolerate**
13 **wearing a face covering."**