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3 HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT TO HB238
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8 Beginning on page 10, line 26, and continuing
9 through page 11, line 2, delete the language in its entirety
10 and insert in lieu thereof the following.

11 "(4) Nothing in this subsection shall apply to any
12 U.S. Coast Guard regulated commercial vessel, vessel operator,
13 or pilot transiting any inland or offshore waters of the
14 state. The exemption provided in this subdivision includes,
15 but is not limited to, any operator or pilot of a vessel that
16 is a holder of a current valid United States Coast Guard
17 license issued under Section 46, Code of Federal Regulations,
18 Part 10, while performing the duties of the operator or pilot,
19 including: Carrying passengers for hire on federally
20 maintained navigable waters; on all towboats greater than 26
21 feet engaged in towing; on any steam propelled vessel; on any
22 sea-going vessel greater than 200 gross tons; on any vessel
23 engaged in off-shore oil or mineral production; and on all
24 boats or vessels over 200 gross tons.