

**2SSB 5062** - H AMD TO CRJ COMM AMD (H-1373.1/21) **648**

By Representative Orwall

1 On page 5, line 34 of the striking amendment, after "(23)" insert  
2 ""News organization" means a newspaper, including a digital edition  
3 published by a newspaper, a television or radio broadcast station, a  
4 public broadcasting entity, or a news or periodical publisher whose  
5 primary business: (a) publishes or airs information or stories that  
6 record, research, investigate, or explain issues, events, and facts  
7 about the community or state served by the news organization; (b) pays  
8 market-rate compensation, based on the market in which the news  
9 organization is located, to journalists employed by the news  
10 organization; and (c) maintains active and current media liability  
11 insurance coverage for the journalistic content of the news  
12 organization.

13 (24)"

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15 Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any  
16 internal references accordingly.

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18 On page 10, line 14 of the striking amendment, after "by" insert  
19 "a news organization or"

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EFFECT: Defines "news organization" and exempts from the bill  
personal data collected, disclosed, or used in connection with the  
gathering, dissemination or reporting of news or information to the  
public by a news organization.

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