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Heh heh heh...that's what I get for looking at this stuff in the middle of the night. Thanks...yeah, in a lot of last session's drafts, we were just silent on citing a reference in order to effectuate the at-will bit. I just saw 1-3-240 and went "uh oh." You're right...thanks.

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On the first note – firing for cause...

The language references 1-3-240(B) which I read to be the 'at will' statute while 1-3-240(C) is the 'for cause' statute.

1-3-240(B) reads: (B) A person appointed to a state office by the Governor, either with or without the advice and consent of the Senate, other than those officers enumerated in subsection (C), may be removed from office by the Governor at his discretion by an Executive Order removing the officer.

I think that underlined language is the operative "at will" language. It is also what is in the Jud Committee Amendment.

Also, the Strategic Sourcing is fixed.

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Sounds good - thanks.

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I just took a quick look at it. I will be available to discuss further this morning. It will be a busy morning but I am sure we can touch base on some of these issues.

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Ken,

I've done a first read-through on the Finance Committee amendment and have compiled the attached list of issues/concerns. A few of these are technical matters that I mentioned earlier, while others are more substantive than technical. I don't expect anything from you on most of those, naturally, but it's late, and frankly, I don't feel like making multiple lists of issues with this amendment at this point (substantive vs. technical)...so it's all in one document.

Please feel free to share with whoever's appropriate on your side. I'm tied up from 8-9 in the morning, but am otherwise available to discuss, if you like. I appreciate that several of these are kinda out there. Thanks.

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