

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-

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OFFERED BY MR. CURTIS OF UTAH

Page 21, insert after line 14 the following:

1 “(q) ‘Operates’ includes the rental or occupancy of
2 dwellings through a lease or contract with the dwelling’s
3 actual owner or primary operator.

4 “(r) ‘Religion’ has the meaning given that term in
5 section 701 of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C.
6 2000e).

7 “(s) ‘Religious educational institution’ means any
8 preschool, primary, secondary, or post-secondary edu-
9 cational institution that is—

10 “(1) in whole or in substantial part, owned,
11 supported, controlled, or managed by a particular
12 church, denomination, convention, or association of
13 churches or other houses of worship; or

14 “(2) a nonprofit corporation organized for edu-
15 cational purposes that holds itself out to the public
16 as substantially religious and is substantially reli-
17 gious in its current operations.”.

Page 21, line 15, strike “(q)” and insert “(t)”.

Page 22, insert after line 10 the following (and redesignate succeeding provisions accordingly):

1 (5) in section 807(a), by adding at the end the
2 following: “Nothing in this title shall prohibit a reli-
3 gious educational institution from limiting the sale,
4 rental, or occupancy, for other than a commercial
5 purpose, of dwellings which it owns or operates to
6 persons of the same religion or to persons who ad-
7 here to its religious beliefs, observances, tenets, or
8 practices, or from giving preference to such persons,
9 unless membership in such religion or adherence to
10 such beliefs, observances, tenets, or practices is re-
11 stricted on account of race, color, or national ori-
12 gin.”.

