

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

State of Oklahoma

SPEAKER:

CHAIR:

I move to amend HR1001

			Of the printed Bill
Page	<u>84</u>	Section	<u>24 1/2</u>
		Lines	<u>Of the Engrossed Bill</u>

By inserting the following language:

"EMERGENCY CONTINGENCY PROCEDURES15.1 - Rule Effective

(a) Upon adoption of a simple resolution declaring an emergency, this Rule shall become effective and shall take precedence over any other Rule that conflicts with this Rule.

(b) This Rule shall remain effective until the House adopts a simple resolution declaring the emergency has ceased or upon sine die adjournment of the House.

(c) The simple resolution authorizing the use of emergency contingency procedures shall require a constitutional majority. The simple resolution rescinding the use of emergency contingent procedures shall require a constitutional majority of votes cast.

15.2 - Limited-Directed Proxy

(a) Any Member of the House of Representatives may authorize a designee chosen by the respective caucus leader to proxy vote.

(b) Any Member that assigns their vote with a designee chosen by the respective caucus leader shall direct their voting preference.

(c) Any Member that assigns their vote shall notify the Parliamentarian of the House and the Chief Clerk of the House of his or her assignment and the voting preference.

(d) A designee chosen by the respective caucus leader shall not cast proxy votes on questions relating to procedure, including, but not limited to, suspension of the Rules, as governed by Rule 14.1.

15.3 - Quorum Proxy

(a) Any Member of the House of Representatives that assigns his or her proxy to the designee chosen by the respective caucus leader shall be counted as present for the purposes of quorum; however, the Member will not be counted as present for the purposes of per diem.

(b) A quorum that is established through the use of proxies shall satisfy the requirements of Article 5 §30 of the Oklahoma Constitution."

**AMEND TITLE TO CONFORM TO AMENDMENTS**

Amendment submitted by: Emily Virgin

Adopted: \_\_\_\_\_

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Reading Clerk

