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L.D. 585

(Filing No. S-114)

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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 218, L.D. 585,
Bill, "AN ACT to Require Registration of Persons Pro-
posing to Distribute Free Tobacco Products."

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Amend the Bill in section 1, in paragraph E, in
the last line (page 1, line 12 in L.D.) by inserting
after the following: "public" the following: 'and
coupons, certificates or any other documents which
may be redeemed for cigarettes, cigars, snuff,
smokeless tobacco and any other tobacco product de-
termined by the Bureau of Health to be harmful to the
public'

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Further amend the Bill by inserting before the
statement of fact the following:

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'5. Exemption. Nothing in this section may re-
strict the free distribution of tobacco products by
mail or by distribution of coupons which are redeem-
able for tobacco products and are furnished by mail,
by newspaper advertising or furnished within a retail
store which sells tobacco products.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment does 2 things.

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1. It clarifies the definition of tobacco
products to include coupons which may be redeemed for
cigarettes, thus requiring registration of persons
proposing to distribute coupons for tobacco products.

