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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 790, L.D. 2045, Bill, "An Act
To Implement the Recommendations of the Commission To Reform the
State Budget Process"

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Amend the bill in section 1 in §1664 in subsection 1 in
paragraph F in the last line (page 2, line 18 in L.D.) by
striking out the following: "and"

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Further amend the bill in section 1 in §1664 in subsection 1
in paragraph G in the last line (page 2, line 22 in L.D.) by
striking out the following: "Legislature." and inserting in its
place the following: 'Legislature;'

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Further amend the bill in section 1 in §1664 in subsection 1
by inserting after paragraph G the following:

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'H. Include a long-range plan for State Government. The
long-range plan should describe the vision of the
Governor-elect or the Governor for State Government for the
next decade and how the proposed biennial budget fits into
and moves State Government toward this long-range vision; and

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I. Describe any imbalance between projected revenues and
projected expenditures in future budget periods, including a
statement of how any projected surpluses might be used and
how any projected deficits might be eliminated.'

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 790, L.D. 2045

SUMMARY

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This amendment requires that the budget document include a long-range plan for State Government and describe any imbalance between projected revenues and projected expenditures.

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