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12 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 189, L.D. 483, "An Act To Clarify
13 Funding for Civil Legal Services"

14 Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency preamble.

15 Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph C in the 3rd line (page 1, line 20 in L.D.) by
16 inserting after the following: "~~who is~~" the following: 'a debt buyer, as defined by Title 32,
17 section 11002, subsection 5-A, or'

18 Amend the bill by striking out all of the emergency clause.

19 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
20 number to read consecutively.

21 **SUMMARY**

This amendment clarifies that a debt buyer must pay a surcharge on the fee for commencement of a debt collection action or money judgment disclosure action. The amendment removes the emergency preamble and emergency clause from the bill.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT