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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 445, L.D. 1027, “An Act to Strengthen the Law Regarding Relief for Improvident Transfers of Title”

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 2 in the 6th line (page 1, line 9 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "shall" and inserting the following: 'may'

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

SUMMARY

This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, authorizes, instead of requires as in the bill, a court to award attorney's fees in a case where it has been demonstrated that a person exerted undue influence over an elderly dependent person with respect to a property transfer.

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED

(See attached)