

# COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. PRESIDENT:

**The Senate Committee on Governmental and Regulatory Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 1606, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:**

- 1           Page 4, after line 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:  
2           "SECTION 2. IC 36-7-4-1103 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
3           FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 1103. (a) This  
4           section does not apply to a plan commission exercising jurisdiction in  
5           a county having a population of more than nineteen thousand three  
6           hundred (19,300) but less than nineteen thousand five hundred  
7           (19,500).  
8           (b) ~~ADVISORY. ADVISORY—AREA~~ For purposes of this  
9           section, urban areas include all lands and lots within the corporate  
10          boundaries of a municipality, any other lands or lots used for  
11          residential purposes where there are at least eight (8) residences within  
12          any quarter mile square area, and other lands or lots that have been or  
13          are planned for residential areas contiguous to the municipality.  
14          (c) ~~ADVISORY. ADVISORY—AREA~~ The advisory planning law  
15          **and area planning law** does not authorize an ordinance **or action of**  
16          **an area planning department or commission** that would prevent,

1 outside of urban areas, the complete use and alienation of any mineral  
2 resources or forests by the owner or alienee of them.

3 **SECTION 3. An emergency is declared for this act."**  
(Reference is to HB 1606 as printed February 25, 1999.)

**and when so amended that said bill do pass.**

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

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**Merritt**

**Chairperson**