

House File 2527

H-8070

1 Amend House File 2527 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:

3 <Section 1. Section 549.3, subsection 1, Code 2020, is
4 amended to read as follows:

5 1. A performing rights society shall not enter onto the
6 business premises of a proprietor for the purpose of discussing
7 a contract for the payment of royalties by the proprietor,
8 unless the ~~performing rights society identifies itself to~~
9 ~~the proprietor and describes to the proprietor the purpose~~
10 ~~for entering onto the proprietor's business premises the~~
11 performing rights society first makes an appointment to meet
12 with the proprietor at the business premises during normal
13 business hours. Upon entering onto the business premises, the
14 performing rights society shall clearly identify itself to
15 the proprietor and describe to the proprietor the purpose for
16 entering onto the business premises.

17 Sec. _____. Section 549.5, Code 2020, is amended to read as
18 follows:

19 **549.5 Improper licensing practices.**

20 A performing rights society shall not do any of the
21 following:

22 1. A performing rights society shall not collect, Collect
23 or attempt to collect, from a proprietor licensed by that
24 performing rights society, a royalty payment except as provided
25 in a contract executed pursuant to the provisions of this
26 chapter.

27 2. Make a misleading or threatening verbal or written
28 communication to a proprietor in connection with a contract for
29 the payment of royalties or an attempt to collect royalties.

30 3. State or imply in a verbal or written communication with
31 a proprietor that the performing rights society is an agent
32 or representative of a public body, regulatory agency, or law
33 enforcement agency.>

34 2. Title page, by striking lines 1 through 3 and inserting
35 <An Act relating to the exhibition of music, including the

1 practices of performing rights societies and the advertising,
2 promoting, and conducting of certain live musical performances,
3 and making penalties applicable.>
4 3. By renumbering as necessary.

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