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**House of Representatives**  
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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** All House Members  
**FROM:** Representative Robert L. Freeman  
**DATE:** December 8, 2010  
**SUBJECT:** Proposed legislation – Housing Authority Police

I will be reintroducing former House Bill 422, which would amend the Housing Authorities Law to allow Housing Authorities to establish a police force in counties and cities (other than cities of the first class, which already have that authority). These police officers would be required to complete the same courses of instruction as is required for all other municipal police officers under state law.

This legislation was approved by the House in July of 2009 and was reported from the Senate Urban Affairs Committee in March 2010.

If you would like to cosponsor this legislation, please contact Danielle in my office by e-mail at [dbrown@pahouse.net](mailto:dbrown@pahouse.net) or by telephone at 783-3815.

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