

ROLE PLAY SCRIPT

WHO: Reporter of the Bill

The reporter is a legislator, the member of the committee who reports the bill to the Chamber before the vote.

WHAT:

- **read the statement of purpose of S.238 to House or Senate**

You say:

"This bill would increase the minimum age for possession of tobacco products to 21 years of age."

- **report how the bill was passed out of committee (favorably, unfavorably, or without any recommendations)**
- **specify Committee vote (how many for, how many against)**
- **specify the amendments that may have been made by the committee**
- **answer legislators' questions**

WHERE: in the House or Senate

- **reporter stand to report the bill and remains standing as long as there are questions from the other legislators.**

Note: Make sure you take notes in committee about the committee discussion and changes that were made to the bill so you can answer questions during debate. Your tour guide will help you.