

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

May 6, 2022

Chair of Committee

Date

Committee on Appropriations.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB22-201 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Strike the Judiciary Committee Report, dated May 3, 2022, and substitute:

2 "Amend reengrossed bill, page 21, strike lines 22 through 25 and
3 substitute:

4 "(5) (a) THE INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL SOLICIT INPUT, VIA
5 WRITTEN COMMENTS AND VIA TESTIMONY AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS HELD
6 PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION FROM, AT A MINIMUM:

7 (I) COMMISSIONERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE OFFICE;
8 (II) CURRENT AND FORMER JUDGES AND JUSTICES;
9 (III) BAR ASSOCIATIONS AND LEGAL SOCIETIES REPRESENTING
10 COLORADO ATTORNEYS. IN SOLICITING INPUT FROM BAR ASSOCIATIONS
11 AND LEGAL SOCIETIES, THE INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL INVITE RESPONSES
12 FROM THE FULLEST RANGE OF PHILOSOPHICAL PERSPECTIVES POSSIBLE
13 AND SHALL SPECIFICALLY INVITE INPUT FROM ORGANIZATIONS
14 REPRESENTING INDIVIDUALS HISTORICALLY UNDERREPRESENTED IN THE
15 LEGAL PROFESSION.

16 (IV) ATTORNEYS LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN COLORADO;
17 (V) INDEPENDENT EXPERTS IN SYSTEMS OF JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE;

18 AND

19 (VI) ANY OTHER RESIDENTS OF COLORADO.

20 (b) THE INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL SPECIFICALLY SOLICIT INPUT
21 FROM THE PARTIES IDENTIFIED IN SUBSECTION (5)(a) OF THIS SECTION AS
22 TO THE ISSUES IDENTIFIED IN SUBSECTION (7) OF THIS SECTION.
23 TESTIMONY AND WRITTEN COMMENTS FROM ANY OF THE PARTIES
24 IDENTIFIED IN SUBSECTION (5)(a) OF THIS SECTION MAY BE IN ADDITION
25 TO WRITTEN COMMENTS AND TESTIMONY ABOUT OTHER ASPECTS OF
26 COLORADO'S JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE PROCESS NOT IDENTIFIED IN SUBSECTION
27 (7) OF THIS SECTION."

1 Page 24, line 2, strike "ILLINOIS" and substitute "OTHER STATES".

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