

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

March 27, 2024

Chair of Committee

Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

HB24-1428 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 5, line 24, strike "CAUSES" and substitute "IS
2 ASSOCIATED WITH".
- 3 Page 5, lines 25 and 26, strike "WITH OR WITHOUT A STRONG COMPARISON
4 GROUP;" and substitute "THAT SHOWS HARM OVER TIME;".
- 5 Page 5, strike line 27.
- 6 Page 6, strike lines 1 through 13 and substitute:
7 "(III) "INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE" MEANS THAT THE BEST AVAILABLE
8 RESEARCH EVIDENCE IS NOT YET ROBUST ENOUGH TO ACHIEVE THE
9 HARMFUL, EVIDENCE-INFORMED, PROMISING, OR PROVEN EVIDENCE
10 DESIGNATIONS OUTLINED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3)(a).".
- 11 Renumber succeeding subparagraphs accordingly.
- 12 Page 6, line 23, after "(a.5)" insert "(I)".
- 13 Page 7, after line 1 insert:
14 "(II) IF THE BEST AVAILABLE RESEARCH EVIDENCE REGARDING A
15 PROGRAM OR PRACTICE IN A BUDGET REQUEST, REQUEST FOR A
16 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION, OR BUDGET REQUEST AMENDMENT DOES
17 NOT INCLUDE AN EVALUATION MEASURING RELEVANT OUTCOMES THAT
18 MEETS THE METHODOLOGICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR AN EVIDENCE
19 DESIGNATION SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION (3)(a) OF THIS SECTION, THE
20 STATE AGENCY OR THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING MAY
21 INCLUDE THAT THE REQUEST IS INELIGIBLE FOR AN EVIDENCE
22 DESIGNATION.".

1 Page 8, line 1, after "APPLICABLE" insert "OR THAT THE REQUEST IS
2 INELIGIBLE".

3 Page 8, line 13, strike "EVIDENCE" and substitute "EVIDENCE, AS
4 APPLICABLE,".

5 Strike "(V)" and substitute "(IV)" on: **Page 8**, line 25; and **Page 9**, line
6 11.

7 Strike "(VI)" and substitute "(V)" on: **Page 8**, line 22; and **Page 9**, line
8 11.

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