## SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

May 1 2025
Chair of Committee May 1, 2025  Date
Committee on <u>Health &amp; Human Services</u> .
After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:
HB25-1259 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:
Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, strike lines 9 through 11.
Page 3, strike lines 1 and 2.
Reletter succeeding paragraphs.
Page 3, line 5, strike "Many legal and".
Page 3, strike lines 6 through 12.
Page 4, lines 23 through 25, strike "Recent legislation in Colorado has been challenging to implement and has had a chilling effect on donations, as individuals are daunted by the invasive reporting requirements.".
Page 5, line 22, after "GAMETES;" insert "AND".
Page 5, strike line 23.
Renumber succeeding subparagraph accordingly.
Page 5, strike lines 25 through 27 and substitute:
"(b) "Reproductive health care" has the same meaning set forth in section 25-6-402.".

Page 6, line 14, strike "HEALTHCARE," and substitute "HEALTH CARE,".

Page 6, strike lines 1 through 11.

- Page 6, line 17, after the period add "THIS SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT
- 2 PREVENT OR LIMIT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF OTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS
- 3 ARTICLE 57.".
- 4 Page 7, line 20, strike "UPDATES." and substitute "UPDATES AFTER
- 5 DONATION.".
- 6 Page 7, line 27, strike "DONOR" and substitute "DONOR'S".
- 7 Page 8, line 1, strike "UPDATES." and substitute "UPDATES AFTER
- 8 DONATION.".
- 9 Page 8, strike lines 2 through 6.
- Page 9, strike line 5 and substitute "(3), (6), and (7)(b) as".
- Page 9, strike lines 7 through 27.
- 12 Strike page 10.

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- Page 11, strike lines 1 through 13 and substitute:
- 14 "25-57-107. Record keeping - successor record keeper -15 applicability. (3) Except as provided in subsection (6) of this section, in its application for a license pursuant to section 25-57-110, a gamete 16 17 agency, gamete bank, or fertility clinic shall submit a proposed plan to 18 permanently maintain the records described in subsections (1) and (2) of 19 this section in the event of dissolution, insolvency, or bankruptcy. The 20 plan may include identification of a named entity to receive or maintain 21 the records, obtaining a surety bond in favor of a third party in an amount 22 sufficient to cover the costs of permanent record keeping, an obligation 23 to condition any sale on the acquiring entity's obligation to maintain 24 records consistent with this section, or similar methods. The department 25 shall not issue a license pursuant to section 25-57-110 until it approves a 26 plan that it finds sufficient to ensure that the records will be permanently 27 maintained by a viable entity. A GAMETE AGENCY, GAMETE BANK, OR 28 FERTILITY CLINIC SHALL CREATE A PLAN TO PERMANENTLY MAINTAIN THE 29 INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION, INCLUDING IN THE CASE OF 30 DISSOLUTION, INSOLVENCY, OR BANKRUPTCY, AND SHALL MAKE THE PLAN 31 AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION UPON REQUEST BY THE DEPARTMENT. 32
  - (6) A gamete bank or fertility clinic that collects gametes from a donor who was matched with a recipient by a gamete agency that is a

- separate entity is not subject to the requirements of subsection (1), (3), or (4) SUBSECTION (1) OR (3) of this section.
- 3 (7) (b) Subsections (1), (3), and (4) SUBSECTIONS (1) AND (3) of
- 4 this section apply only to gametes matched or collected on or after
- 5 January 1, 2025, for use by a recipient parent or parents who are unknown
- 6 to the donor at the time of the donation.".
- 7 Page 13, strike line 2 and substitute "(1)(a) as follows:".
- 8 Page 13, line 10, strike "donor by" and substitute "donor. by METHODS OF
- 9 GOOD FAITH EFFORTS MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO," and strike
- 10 "recipients" and substitute "recipients,".
- Page 14, strike lines 2 through 6.
- 12 Page 14, line 8, strike "(2)(a) and".
- Page 14, strike lines 11 through 16 and substitute:
- 14 "rules.".
- 15 Strike "OR RECIPIENT PARENT'S" on: **Page 7**, lines 22 and 27.

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