

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

	April 4, 2025
Chair of Committee	Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

HB25-1163 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 1, strike "**declaration.**" and substitute  
2 "**declaration - repeal.**".

3 Page 4, after line 26 insert:

4       "(4) (a) BY JUNE 1, 2026, THE DIVISION SHALL BUILD ON EXISTING  
5 EFFORTS TO CONDUCT OUTREACH TO AND ENGAGEMENT WITH THE  
6 SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE, THE UTE MOUNTAIN UTE TRIBE, AND  
7 OTHER TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS, AMERICAN INDIAN COMMUNITIES, AND  
8 INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES ON OPPORTUNITIES RELATED TO STATE PARKS  
9 THAT ARE MANAGED BY THE DIVISION.

10       (b) IN JANUARY 2026 AND IN JANUARY 2027, THE DEPARTMENT  
11 SHALL INCLUDE, AS PART OF ITS PRESENTATION DURING ITS "SMART  
12 ACT" HEARING REQUIRED BY SECTION 2-7-203, INFORMATION  
13 CONCERNING THE DIVISION'S OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT ON  
14 OPPORTUNITIES RELATED TO STATE PARKS SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION  
15 (4)(a) OF THIS SECTION.

16       (c) THIS SUBSECTION (4) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2027."

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