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HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT Committee on Legislative Council.

SB14-153 be amended as follows:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 14, after line 21 insert:

"SECTION 30. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-303.3, amend (1) introductory portion, (2), and (3) (a) as follows:

2-3-303.3. Interim committees. (1) Commencing on and after the effective date of this section, interim committees may not be requested by a legislative member by bill or resolution. No later than the ninety-fourth A day CERTAIN of a regular legislative session AS ESTABLISHED IN THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, a legislative member may submit a request in writing to the legislative council created in section 2-3-301 (1) regarding an issue that he or she wishes to study during the next interim between sessions. At minimum, the request must specify:

- (2) No later than the one hundredth A day CERTAIN of a regular legislative session AS ESTABLISHED IN THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, the director of research of the legislative council shall determine the number of interim committee meetings that may be held within the legislative budget and shall provide that information to the executive committee of the legislative council.
- (3) (a) No later than the one hundred eighth A day CERTAIN of a regular legislative session AS ESTABLISHED IN THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, the legislative council shall meet to review and prioritize requests made by legislative members pursuant to subsection (1) of this section. Such review and prioritization must take into account the information provided by the director of research of the legislative council as specified in subsection (2) of this section. The legislative council shall also determine if any of the prioritized interim committees may create a task force. If a task force is approved, such task force shall include no more than two legislative members, one from the majority party and one from the minority party of the interim committee. Legislative members on a task force are only entitled to receive necessary travel costs and are not entitled to per diem pursuant to section 2-2-307. For purposes of carrying out the task force's duties, the legislative council may accept and expend money, gifts, grants, donations, services, and in-kind donations from any public or private entity for any direct or indirect costs associated with the duties of the task force; except that the legislative council may not accept money, gifts, grants, donations, services, or in-kind donations if acceptance is subject



- 1 to conditions that are inconsistent with state law or requires a
- 2 predetermined conclusion or result from the task force. The legislative
- 3 council shall request that the entity offering the money, gift, grant,
- 4 donation, services, or in-kind donation submit a letter prior to the offer
- 5 specifying the amount of money, gift, grant, or donation offered, or the
- 6 estimated value of the services or in-kind donation offered, the period for
- 7 which the money, gift, grant, donation, services, or in-kind donation is
- 8 available, and the specific purposes for which the money, gift, grant,
- 9 donation, services, or in-kind donation is to be used.".
- 10 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.
- 11 Page 15, line 25, strike "This act applies" and substitute "Sections 1
- through 29 of this act apply".

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