

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

February 3, 2015
Date

Committee on Public Health Care & Human Services.

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

HB15-1111 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, lines 3 and 4, strike "THE DEATH OF A
2 PREGNANT WOMAN OR OF A WOMAN" and substitute "A WOMAN WHO WAS
3 PREGNANT AT THE TIME OF HER DEATH OR".

4 Page 4, line 10, after "NURSE," insert "DIRECT-ENTRY MIDWIFE,".

5 Page 5, line 11, after "COMMITTEE" insert "WHO RESIDE MORE THAN FIFTY
6 MILES FROM THE LOCATION OF THE COMMITTEE HEARING".

7 Page 7, strike lines 7 through 19 and substitute:

8 "(2) (a) THE DISCUSSIONS IN COMMITTEE MEETINGS OR MEETINGS
9 OF AN AD HOC PANEL FORMED PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-47-104 (2),
10 CONCERNING DETAILS OF A MATERNAL MORTALITY THAT WOULD IDENTIFY
11 AN INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED ARE CONFIDENTIAL AND ARE NOT SUBJECT TO
12 SECTION 24-6-402, C.R.S., UNLESS THE IDENTITY OF AN INDIVIDUAL IS NOT
13 DISCUSSED.

14 (b) THE COMMITTEE MEETING NOTES AND STATEMENTS, HEALTH
15 INFORMATION, MEDICAL RECORDS, REPORTS, AND MEMORANDA OBTAINED
16 BY THE COMMITTEE THAT CONTAIN INFORMATION THAT WOULD IDENTIFY
17 AN INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN A MATERNAL MORTALITY ARE CONFIDENTIAL
18 AND SHALL NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE "COLORADO OPEN RECORDS ACT",
19 PART 2 OF ARTICLE 72 OF TITLE 24, C.R.S.

20 (c) INFORMATION, RECORDS, REPORTS, COMMUNICATIONS, NOTES,

1 AND MEMORANDA THAT ARE CONFIDENTIAL PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPHS
2 (a) AND (b) OF THIS SUBSECTION (2) ARE NOT SUBJECT TO SUBPOENA,
3 DISCOVERY, OR INTRODUCTION INTO EVIDENCE IN ANY CIVIL OR CRIMINAL
4 PROCEEDING, UNLESS THE SUBPOENA IS DIRECTED TO A SOURCE THAT IS
5 SEPARATE AND APART FROM THE COMMITTEE. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION
6 IS CONSTRUED TO LIMIT OR RESTRICT THE RIGHT TO DISCOVER OR USE IN
7 A CIVIL OR CRIMINAL PROCEEDING INFORMATION, RECORDS, REPORTS,
8 COMMUNICATIONS, NOTES, OR MEMORANDA THAT ARE AVAILABLE FROM
9 ANOTHER SOURCE SEPARATE AND APART FROM THE COMMITTEE AND THAT
10 ARISE ENTIRELY INDEPENDENTLY OF THE COMMITTEE'S ACTIVITIES."

11 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

12 Page 7, lines 25 and 26, strike "MEMORANDA, OR OTHER DATA COLLECTED
13 PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE" and substitute "OR MEMORANDA THAT ARE
14 CONFIDENTIAL PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPHS (a) AND (b) OF THIS
15 SUBSECTION (2)".

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