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STATE OF COLORADO
 First Regular Session

97th Legislative Day Monday, April 13, 2015

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MEMBER OF THE
COLORADO EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL
 FACILITIES AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

for a term expiring June 30, 2018: 44
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 Patrick M. Brady of Fort Collins, Colorado, a Republican, reappointed. 46
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The Committee on Business, Labor, & Technology has had under consideration and has had a hearing on the following appointments and recommends that the appointments be placed on the consent calendar and confirmed: 51
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MEMBERS OF THE
STATE ELECTRICAL BOARD

for terms expiring July 1, 2017: 55
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 Nancy Kay White of Lakewood, Colorado, to serve as a representative of the public at large, reappointed; 60
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John Thomas McCord III of Sedalia, Colorado, to serve as master electrician who is not an electrical contractor, reappointed;

Carol Pafford of Highlands Ranch, Colorado, to serve as a building official from a political subdivision of the state performing electrical inspections, appointed;

Gary Nelson Lakey of Highlands Ranch, Colorado, to serve as a representative of private, municipal, or cooperative electric utilities rendering electric service to the ultimate public, appointed;

Scott R. Pandy of Fort Collins, Colorado, to serve as a general contractor actively engaged in the building industry, appointed;

Joseph Badaracco of Lakewood, Colorado, to serve as a journeyman electrician who is not an electrical contractor, appointed.

Business,
Labor, &
Technology

The Committee on Business, Labor, & Technology has had under consideration and has had a hearing on the following appointment and recommends that the appointment be placed on the consent calendar and confirmed:

MEMBER OF THE
STATE PLUMBING BOARD

for a term expiring July 1, 2018:

John D. Craco of Arvada, Colorado, a person engaged in the construction of residential or commercial buildings as a plumbing contractor, appointed.

Education

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB15-257** be **amended** as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation.

Amend printed bill, page 4, lines 14 and 15, strike "22-7-1006.3 and 22-7-1006.5" and substitute "22-7-1006.3, 22-7-1006.5, and 22-7-1006.7".

Page 8, line 6, after the period insert "THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER SHALL ADMINISTER THE WRITING PORTION OF THE CURRICULUM-BASED, ACHIEVEMENT COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAM TO EACH STUDENT WHO REQUESTS THE OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE THE WRITING PORTION."

Page 8, line 8, strike "EXAM." and substitute "EXAM, INCLUDING THE COSTS OF ADMINISTERING THE WRITING PORTION OF THE EXAM."

Page 9, line 17, strike "WHO IS ELIGIBLE," and substitute "WHOSE INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM SPECIFIES THAT THE STUDENT TAKES".

Page 9, strike line 18.

Page 9, line 19, strike "EDUCATION PROGRAM, FOR".

Page 10, line 4, strike "BUT IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE" and substitute "THAT SPECIFIES THAT THE STUDENT TAKES THE STATE ASSESSMENT, THE".

Page 10, strike line 5.

Page 10, line 20, after the period add "IF A STUDENT WHO HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM ATTENDS SCHOOL IN AN ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT OTHER THAN THE STUDENT'S ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT OF RESIDENCE, AND THERE IS A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE TWO ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS, THE ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS MUST SPECIFY IN THE CONTRACT THE PUBLIC SCHOOL TO WHICH THE DEPARTMENT SHALL

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ASSIGN THE STUDENT'S SCORES FOR PURPOSES OF MEASURING THE LEVELS OF ATTAINMENT ON THE PERFORMANCE INDICATORS, DETERMINING ACCREDITATION CATEGORIES, AND MEASURING PUBLIC SCHOOL PERFORMANCE."

Page 14, strike line 17 and substitute:

"22-7-1006.5. Pilot alternative accountability and assessment systems - local education providers - federal waiver."

Page 14, line 18, strike "plan."

Page 15, after line 8 insert:

"(2) EACH LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER THAT CHOOSES TO DESIGN AND IMPLEMENT A PILOT ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEM AS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION MAY APPLY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF THE COSTS INCURRED IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING THE PILOT SYSTEM. SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE APPROPRIATIONS, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PAY THE REASONABLE, DOCUMENTED EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDERS IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING THE PILOT SYSTEMS."

Re-number succeeding subsection accordingly.

Page 15, after line 15 insert:

"22-7-1006.7. Alternative accountability and assessment systems fund - creation - transfer to fund - reimbursements - legislative declaration - repeal. (1) THERE IS CREATED IN THE STATE TREASURY THE ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS FUND, REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "FUND", CONSISTING OF MONEYS TRANSFERRED TO THE FUND PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION, AND ANY ADDITIONAL MONEYS THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY APPROPRIATE TO THE FUND. THE MONEYS IN THE FUND ARE CONTINUOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF REIMBURSING LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDERS FOR THE COSTS INCURRED IN IMPLEMENTING PILOT ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-1006.5.

(2) A LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER THAT DESIGNS AND IMPLEMENTS A PILOT ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEM PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-1006.5 MAY APPLY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF THE COSTS INCURRED IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING THE PILOT SYSTEM. SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE APPROPRIATIONS, THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SHALL PAY THE REASONABLE, DOCUMENTED EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING THE PILOT SYSTEM.

(3) ON JULY 1, 2015, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL TRANSFER EIGHTEEN MILLION DOLLARS TO THE FUND FROM THE STATE EDUCATION FUND CREATED IN SECTION 17(4) OF ARTICLE IX OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION.

(4) THE STATE TREASURER MAY INVEST ANY MONEYS IN THE FUND NOT EXPENDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION AS PROVIDED BY LAW. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT ALL INTEREST AND INCOME DERIVED FROM THE INVESTMENT AND DEPOSIT OF MONEYS IN THE FUND TO THE FUND.

(5) ANY UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND AT THE END OF A FISCAL YEAR REMAIN IN THE FUND AND SHALL NOT BE CREDITED OR TRANSFERRED TO THE GENERAL FUND OR ANOTHER FUND. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL TRANSFER ALL UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND AS OF JULY 1, 2020, TO THE STATE EDUCATION FUND.

(6) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DECLARES THAT, FOR PURPOSES OF SECTION 17 OF ARTICLE IX OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION, PAYMENT OF EXPENSES INCURRED IN DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING PILOT ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY AND ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS IS AN

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IMPORTANT ELEMENT IN IMPLEMENTING ACCOUNTABLE PROGRAMS TO MEET ACADEMIC STANDARDS AND MAY THEREFORE RECEIVE FUNDING FROM THE STATE EDUCATION FUND CREATED IN SECTION 17 (4) OF ARTICLE IX OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION.

(7) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020.

SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-7-1013, add (6) and (7) as follows:

22-7-1013. Local education provider - preschool through elementary and secondary education standards - adoption - academic acceleration. (6) (a) EACH LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER SHALL PROVIDE WRITTEN INFORMATION TO THE PARENTS OF STUDENTS ENROLLED BY THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER THAT DESCRIBES:

(I) THE STATE AND LOCAL ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER WILL ADMINISTER DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR, IDENTIFYING THE ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER IS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW TO ADMINISTER, ANY ADDITIONAL STATE ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER IS REQUIRED BY SECTION 22-7-1006.3 TO ADMINISTER, THE ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER IS REQUIRED BY OTHER STATE LAW TO ADMINISTER, AND THE ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER CHOOSES TO ADMINISTER;

(II) THE ANTICIPATED CALENDAR FOR ADMINISTERING THE STATE AND LOCAL ASSESSMENTS, CLEARLY SPECIFYING THE EXPECTED SPECIFIC HOURS THAT SPECIFIC CLASSES OR GRADES WILL TAKE EACH SPECIFIC ASSESSMENT AND IDENTIFYING ON THE CALENDAR WHETHER THE SPECIFIC ASSESSMENT IS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW OR STATE LAW OR SELECTED BY THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER; AND

(III) THE PURPOSES OF THE STATE ASSESSMENTS ADMINISTERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-1006.3 AND ANY ADDITIONAL LOCAL ASSESSMENTS THAT THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER ADMINISTERS AND THE MANNER IN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER USES THE ASSESSMENT RESULTS.

(b) EACH LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER SHALL ANNUALLY DISTRIBUTE THE WRITTEN INFORMATION TO PARENTS AS EARLY IN THE SCHOOL YEAR AS POSSIBLE AND SHALL POST THE WRITTEN INFORMATION ON THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER'S WEB SITE.

(c) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION (6) DO NOT APPLY TO COURSE-SPECIFIC ASSESSMENTS THAT ARE NOT ADOPTED BY THE STATE BOARD PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-1006 OR TO NONSTANDARDIZED, CLASSROOM-BASED ASSESSMENTS THAT INDIVIDUAL EDUCATORS CHOOSE TO ADMINISTER TO STUDENTS.

(7) EACH LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER SHALL ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT A WRITTEN POLICY TO ALLOW A PARENT TO CHOOSE TO HAVE HIS OR HER CHILD USE PENCIL AND PAPER TO COMPLETE ANY PORTION OF A STATE ASSESSMENT ADMINISTERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-1006.3 THAT THE STUDENT WOULD OTHERWISE COMPLETE USING A COMPUTER. AT A MINIMUM, THE POLICY MUST REQUIRE THE PARENT TO NOTIFY THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER IN WRITING OF THE PARENT'S CHOICE CONCERNING THE USE OF PENCIL-AND-PAPER STATE ASSESSMENTS AND SPECIFY THE DEADLINES AND PROCEDURE BY WHICH A PARENT MUST SUBMIT THE NOTICE. EACH YEAR BEFORE THE START OF FALL SEMESTER CLASSES, THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER SHALL DISTRIBUTE COPIES OF THE POLICY TO THE PARENTS OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER AND POST A COPY OF THE POLICY ON THE LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDER'S WEB SITE."

Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

Education

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB15-233** be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation.

Amend printed bill, page 4, after line 1 insert:

"SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 22-7-1001 as follows:

22-7-1001. Short title. This part 10 shall be known and may be

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cited as the "~~Preschool~~ "ELEMENTARY to Postsecondary Education Alignment Act".

Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

Page 4, line 4, strike "**Preschool through elementary**" and substitute "**Elementary**".

Page 4, line 8, strike "from preschool" and substitute "~~from preschool~~".

Page 5, line 11, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 5, line 20, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 5, line 25, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 6, line 1, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 6, line 6, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 6, line 9, strike "from preschool" and substitute "~~from preschool~~".

Page 6, strike lines 13 through 15 and substitute:

~~"(b) Collaborate with the commission to ensure that the standards are aligned with the description of postsecondary and workforce readiness adopted pursuant to section 22-7-1008;"~~.

Page 6, line 17, strike "from preschool" and substitute "~~from preschool~~".

Page 7, line 22, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

Page 8, line 6, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 8, line 15, strike "**Preschool through elementary**" and substitute "**Elementary**".

Page 9, line 10, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 9, line 13, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 9, line 20, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 11, line 27, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 13, line 15, strike "PRESCHOOL".

Page 13, line 16, strike "THROUGH".

Page 14, line 6, strike "PRESCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN," and substitute "KINDERGARTEN".

Page 15, line 3, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 15, line 21, strike "PRESCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN," and substitute "KINDERGARTEN".

Page 16, line 24, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 17, line 14, strike "PRESCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN," and substitute "KINDERGARTEN".

Page 18, line 12, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 19, line 4, strike "PRESCHOOL, KINDERGARTEN," and substitute "KINDERGARTEN".

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Page 20, line 8, strike "2001 OR AS REVISED IN 2013." and substitute "2001."

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Page 22, line 16, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 22, line 27, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 23, line 11, strike "**Preschool through elementary**" and substitute "**Elementary**".

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Page 23, line 16, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 24, line 9, strike "from preschool" and substitute "~~from preschool~~".

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Page 24, line 23, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 25, line 24, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 34, line 26, strike "AND DIAGNOSTIC REPORTING".

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Page 35, line 11, strike "ADMINISTERED, INCLUDING" and substitute "ADMINISTERED."

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Page 35, strike line 12.

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Page 35, line 13, strike "ASSESSMENT."

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Page 35, strike lines 21 and 22 and substitute "ASSESSMENTS ADMINISTERED. THE PARENT OR LEGAL".

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Page 38, line 1, strike "preschool" and substitute "~~preschool~~ ELEMENTARY".

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Page 38, line 11, strike "**preschool through**".

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Page 38, line 16, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 40, line 22, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 41, line 14, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 46, line 7, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 50, line 3, strike "**Preschool through elementary**" and substitute "**Elementary**".

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Page 50, line 5, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 51, line 22, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 53, line 9, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 55, line 4, strike "preschool," and substitute "~~preschool,~~".

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Page 55, line 13, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 55, line 24, strike "preschool through" and substitute "~~preschool through~~".

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Page 66, line 13, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

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Page 68, line 8, strike "PRESCHOOL THROUGH".

Page 70, line 23, strike "preschool" and substitute "preschool KINDERGARTEN".

Page 73, line 27, strike "preschool through" and substitute "preschool through".

SENATE SERVICES REPORT

- Correctly Printed:** SJR15-023 and 024.
- Correctly Engrossed:** SB15-177.
- Correctly Reengrossed:** SB15-091.
- Correctly Revised:** HB15-1173 and 1198.
- Correctly Rerevised:** HB15-1042 and 1212.
- Correctly Enrolled:** SB15-110, 138, 178, 193, 194, 211, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251 and 255.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

April 10, 2015

Mr. President:

The House has adopted and returns herewith SJR15-022.

The House has adopted the First Report of the First Conference Committees on HB15-1072 and HB15-1204, as printed in House Journal, and has repassed the bills as so amended. The bills are returned herewith.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were read by title:

SJR15-025 by Senator(s) Lambert; also Representative(s) Carver--Concerning the recognition of the 31st Space Symposium and celebrating the premier U.S. space policy and program forum.

Laid over one day under Senate Rule 30(b).

SR15-003 by Senator(s) Lundberg--Concerning pregnancy resource centers.

Laid over until Tuesday, April 21, retaining its place on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -- FIRST READING

The following bill was read by title and referred to the committee indicated:

SB15-266 by Senator(s) Sonnenberg, Crowder, Balmer, Holbert, Jahn, Todd; also Representative(s) Kraft-Tharp, Becker J., Landgraf, Primavera, Roupe--Concerning the requirement that a motor vehicle dealer deliver a certificate of title on a vehicle within thirty days after it is sold.

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On motion of Majority Leader Scheffel, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the Senate proceeded out of order for expressions of personal privilege.

Senate in recess. Senate reconvened.

THIRD READING OF BILLS -- FINAL PASSAGE

On third reading, the titles of the following bills were publicly read, the reading at length having been dispensed with by unanimous consent:

SB15-177 by Senator(s) Scheffel and Ulibarri; also Representative(s) DelGrosso and Singer-- Concerning prerequisites to the authority of a unit owners' association to pursue resolution of disputes involving construction defects.

Laid over until Tuesday, April 14, retaining its place on the calendar.

HB15-1173 by Representative(s) Mitsch Bush and Rankin; also Senator(s) Todd--Concerning a requirement that motor vehicles have certain traction equipment when driving on the interstate 70 mountain corridor.

Laid over until Tuesday, April 14, retaining its place on the calendar.

HB15-1198 by Representative(s) Foote; also Senator(s) Steadman--Concerning enactment of the 2008 amendments to the "Uniform Interstate Family Support Act".

The question being "Shall the bill pass?", the roll call was taken with the following result:

YES	28	NO	5	EXCUSED	2	ABSENT	0
Aguilar	Y	Guzman	Y	Kerr	Y	Scheffel	Y
Balmer	Y	Heath	Y	Lambert	N	Scott	Y
Baumgardner	Y	Hill	N	Lundberg	Y	Sonnenberg	E
Carroll	Y	Hodge	Y	Marble	N	Steadman	Y
Cooke	Y	Holbert	Y	Martinez Humenik	E	Todd	Y
Crowder	Y	Jahn	Y	Merrifield	Y	Ulibarri	Y
Donovan	Y	Johnston	Y	Neville T.	N	Woods	N
Garcia	Y	Jones	Y	Newell	Y	President	Y
Grantham	Y	Kefalas	Y	Roberts	Y		

A majority of all members elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the bill was **passed**.

Co-sponsor(s) added: Crowder.

Upon request of Majority Leader Scheffel, **HB15-1255** was removed from the General Orders--Second Reading of Bills Consent Calendar of Monday, April 13 and was placed at the end of the General Orders--Second Reading of Bills Calendar of Monday, April 13.

On motion of Majority Leader Scheffel, and with a two-thirds majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, HB15-1294, HB15-1295, HB15-1269, SB15-207, SB15-205, SB15-203, HB15-1149, HB15-1266, and HB15-1280 were made Special Orders--Consent Calendar at 10:33 a.m.

Senate in recess. Senate reconvened.

Upon request of Majority Leader Scheffel, SB15-203 and HB15-1280 were removed from the Special Orders--Second Reading of Bills--Consent Calendar of Monday, April 13 and were placed at the end of the General Orders--Second Reading of Bills Calendar of Monday, April 13.

Committee of the Whole The hour of 10:33 a.m. having arrived, Senator Roberts moved that the Senate resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole for consideration of Special Orders -- Second Reading of Bills -- Consent Calendar, and Senator Roberts was called to the chair to act as Chairman.

SPECIAL ORDERS -- SECOND READING OF BILLS -- CONSENT CALENDAR

The Committee of the Whole having risen, the Chairman reported that the following bills, reading at length having been dispensed with by unanimous consent, had been considered and action taken thereon as follows:

HB15-1294 by Representative(s) Lee and Keyser, Esgar, Lebsock, Carver, Lontine, Primavera, Ryden, Salazar, Sias, Tate, Thurlow, Tyler, Williams, Young; also Senator(s) Todd and Hill-- Concerning alignment of state law regarding in-state tuition classification with the federal "Veterans Access, Choice, and Accountability Act of 2014".

Ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

HB15-1295 by Representative(s) Melton and Priola, Arndt, Joshi, Nordberg, Ransom, Tate, Van Winkle, Windholz; also Senator(s) Holbert, Balmer, Hodge, Newell--Concerning inspections conducted by institutions of higher education.

Ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

HB15-1269 by Representative(s) McCann and Ginal, Landgraf; also Senator(s) Grantham--Concerning the transfer of persons who cannot be safely confined in their current facility between a department of corrections facility and a facility operated by the department of human services.

Ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

SB15-207 by Senator(s) Baumgardner and Scott, Kefalas, Sonnenberg; also Representative(s) Brown, Becker K., Vigil--Concerning the authority of the state to enter into lease-purchase agreements for the refinancing of the Colorado bureau of investigation's Grand Junction regional office and forensic laboratory.

Ordered engrossed and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

SB15-205 by Senator(s) Roberts and Garcia; also Representative(s) Keyser and Hamner--Concerning the utilization of veterans' fire corps programs by the division of fire prevention and control in the department of public safety.

Ordered engrossed and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

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HB15-1149 by Representative(s) Hamner, Young, Rankin; also Senator(s) Lambert, Grantham, Steadman--Concerning the respondent parents' counsel, and, in connection therewith, making and reducing appropriations.

Ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

HB15-1266 by Representative(s) Rankin, Hamner, Young, Singer, Tate, Tyler; also Senator(s) Lambert, Grantham, Steadman, Martinez Humenik, Neville T., Newell--Concerning the information technology budget request process.

Ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

**ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE --
CONSENT CALENDAR**

On motion of Senator Roberts, the report of the Committee of the Whole was **adopted** on the following roll call vote:

YES	33	NO	0	EXCUSED	2	ABSENT	0
Aguilar	Y	Guzman	Y	Kerr	Y	Scheffel	Y
Balmer	Y	Heath	Y	Lambert	Y	Scott	Y
Baumgardner	Y	Hill	Y	Lundberg	Y	Sonnenberg	E
Carroll	Y	Hodge	Y	Marble	Y	Steadman	Y
Cooke	Y	Holbert	Y	Martinez Humenik	E	Todd	Y
Crowder	Y	Jahn	Y	Merrifield	Y	Ulibarri	Y
Donovan	Y	Johnston	Y	Neville T.	Y	Woods	Y
Garcia	Y	Jones	Y	Newell	Y	President	Y
Grantham	Y	Kefalas	Y	Roberts	Y		

The Committee of the Whole took the following action:

Passed on second reading: SB15-207, SB15-205, HB15-1294, HB15-1295, HB15-1269, HB15-1149, HB15-1266.

Committee of the Whole On motion of Senator Roberts, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for consideration of General Orders--Second Reading of Bills, and Senator Roberts was called to the chair to act as Chairman.

GENERAL ORDERS -- SECOND READING OF BILLS

The Committee of the Whole having risen, the Chairman reported that the following bills, reading at length having been dispensed with by unanimous consent, had been considered and action taken thereon as follows:

SB15-209 by Senator(s) Balmer, Todd; also Representative(s) Williams--Concerning an amendment to specified statutes governing the management of the financial affairs of a unit owners' association under the "Colorado Common Interest Ownership Act" so as to exempt communities in which a majority of units designated for residential use are time share units.

Laid over until Tuesday, April 14, retaining its place on the calendar.

HB15-1218 by Representative(s) Fields; also Senator(s) Johnston--Concerning requiring certain disclosures by defense-initiated victim outreach specialists.

Amendment No. 1(L.014), by Senator Johnston.

Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, line 5, strike "**required.**" and substitute

"**required - definition.**" and strike "AGENT OF A" and substitute "PERSON ATTEMPTING".

Page 2, line 6, strike "A CLASS 1 FELONY," and substitute "ANY CRIME,".

Page 2, line 7, strike "AGENT" and substitute "PERSON".

Page 2, line 9, strike "AGENT'S" and substitute "PERSON'S".

Page 2, line 10, strike the first instance of "AGENT" and substitute "PERSON".

Page 2, line 11, strike "CLASS 1 FELONY" and substitute "CRIME".

Page 2, after line 12 insert:

"(2) (a) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, UNLESS THE CONTEXT REQUIRES OTHERWISE, "DEFENSE-INITIATED VICTIM OUTREACH" MEANS ANY EFFORT BY THE DEFENSE TEAM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO A VICTIM LIAISON, VICTIM OUTREACH SPECIALIST, SOCIAL WORKER, INVESTIGATOR, OR OTHER INDIVIDUAL, TO DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY CONTACT A VICTIM OR A VICTIM'S FAMILY MEMBER ON BEHALF OF THE DEFENDANT OR DEFENSE COUNSEL.

(b) THE DEFINITION IN PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT REQUIRE THE IDENTIFIED MEMBERS OF A DEFENSE TEAM TO COMPLY WITH ANY GUIDELINES OR STANDARDS PROMULGATED BY ANY PROFESSIONAL DEFENSE-INITIATED VICTIM OUTREACH ORGANIZATION."

As amended, ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

HB15-1242 by Representative(s) Danielson, Roupe, Windholz; also Senator(s) Aguilar--Concerning the right of a medical patient to designate a caregiver to assist the patient with basic tasks following release from a medical facility.

Laid over until Tuesday, April 14, retaining its place on the calendar.

HB15-1255 by Representative(s) Dore and Pabon; also Senator(s) Grantham and Jahn--Concerning the enforcement of the prohibited use of electronic benefits transfer cards at certain locations.

Laid over until Wednesday, April 15, retaining its place on the calendar.

SB15-203 by Senator(s) Cooke; also Representative(s) Pabon--Concerning continuation of the regulation of debt-management service providers by the attorney general, and, in connection therewith, implementing the recommendations of the 2014 sunset report by the department of regulatory agencies.

Amendment No. 1, Judiciary Committee Amendment.
(Printed in Senate Journal, March 26, page(s) 584 and placed in members' bill files.)

As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

HB15-1280 by Representative(s) Young, Hamner, Rankin, Becker K., Brown, Vigil; also Senator(s) Grantham, Lambert, Steadman, Baumgardner, Kefalas, Sonnenberg--Concerning the creation of a capital reserve in certain cash funds.

Amendment No. 1(L.004), by Senator Grantham.

Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, after line 19 insert:

"(f) "DEPRECIATION" MEANS AN AMOUNT CALCULATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERALLY ACCEPTED ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES.

(g) "DEPRECIATION PERIOD" MEANS A PERIOD DETERMINED IN FISCAL PROCEDURES ISSUED BY THE STATE CONTROLLER."

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Page 3, strike lines 2 through 4 and substitute "RESERVE, WHICH CONSISTS OF AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE DEPRECIATION OF THE DEPRECIABLE COMPONENTS OF THE CAPITAL OUTLAY OR THE CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION, BASED ON THE DEPRECIATION PERIOD."

As amended, ordered revised and placed on the calendar for third reading and final passage.

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

On motion of Senator Roberts, the report of the Committee of the Whole was adopted on the following roll call vote:

Table with 4 columns: YES (33), NO (0), EXCUSED (2), ABSENT (0). Rows list names and their corresponding votes (Y, N, E).

The Committee of the Whole took the following action:

- Passed on second reading: SB15-203 as amended, HB15-1218 as amended, HB15-1280 as amended.
Laid over until Tuesday, April 14: SB15-209, HB15-1242.
Laid over until Wednesday, April 15: HB15-1255.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SJR15-021 by Senator(s) Baumgardner and Sonnenberg, Scott; also Representative(s) Vigil and Coram, Brown--Concerning the recognition of the importance of coal to the Colorado economy.

Laid over until Thursday, April 23, retaining its place on the calendar.

CONSIDERATION OF GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS -- CONSENT CALENDAR

On motion of Majority Leader Scheffel, the following Governor's appointment was confirmed by the following roll call vote:

MEMBER OF THE COLORADO CHANNEL AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

for a term expiring October 6, 2015:

Scott Alan Nachtrieb of Highlands Ranch, Colorado, a Republican, to serve as a representative who has experience in the business operations of broadcast journalism, and occasioned by the resignation of John W. Montgomery of Centennial, Colorado, appointed.

YES	33	NO	0	EXCUSED	2	ABSENT	0
Aguilar	Y	Guzman	Y	Kerr	Y	Scheffel	Y
Balmer	Y	Heath	Y	Lambert	Y	Scott	Y
Baumgardner	Y	Hill	Y	Lundberg	Y	Sonnenberg	E
Carroll	Y	Hodge	Y	Marble	Y	Steadman	Y
Cooke	Y	Holbert	Y	Martinez Humenik	E	Todd	Y
Crowder	Y	Jahn	Y	Merrifield	Y	Ulibarri	Y
Donovan	Y	Johnston	Y	Neville T.	Y	Woods	Y
Garcia	Y	Jones	Y	Newell	Y	President	Y
Grantham	Y	Kefalas	Y	Roberts	Y		

APPOINTMENT LETTERS

April 6, 2015

The Honorable Bill Cadman
 President of the Colorado State Senate
 Colorado State Capitol
 200 East Colfax, Room 346
 Denver, Colorado 80203

Dear President Cadman:

On behalf of the Board of Regents of the University of Colorado, I am pleased to forward to you the following appointment to the University of Colorado Hospital Authority Board of Directors:

From the 1st Congressional District: Ronald W. Williams, for a term effective April 1, 2015 and continuing until March 31, 2019 (or until his successor is appointed by the Board of Regents). This will be Mr. Williams' first term on the Hospital Authority Board of Directors.

This appointment was approved by the Board of Regents at the March 30, 2015 special board meeting. A copy of the resolution to this effect and biographical information are attached.

Per C.R.S. §23-21-503(2), appointments to the Hospital Authority Board of Directors from the congressional districts are subject to the advice and consent of the Senate.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
 (signed)
 Cheryl Espinoza
 Assistant Secretary to the Board of Regents
 Rec'd: April 6, 2015
 Cindi L. Markwell, Secretary of the Senate

Committee on Health & Human Services

Senate in recess. Senate reconvened.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

April 13, 2015

Mr. President:

The Speaker has appointed Representatives Hamner, chairman, Young, and Rankin as House conferees on the First Conference Committee on SB15-234.

The House has voted to grant the House conferees on the First Conference Committee on SB15-234 to consider matters not at issue between the two houses.

The House has passed on Third Reading and transmitted to the Revisor of Statutes HB15-1286.

The House has passed on Third Reading and transmitted to the Revisor of Statutes HB15-1307, amended as printed in House Journal, April 10, 2015.
HB15-1291, amended as printed in House Journal, April 10, 2015.
HB15-1013, amended as printed in House Journal, April 10, 2015.
HB15-1229, amended as printed in House Journal, April 10, 2015, and amended on Third Reading as printed in House Journal, April 13, 2015.

The House has passed on Third Reading and returns herewith SB15-197.

MESSAGE FROM THE REVISOR OF STATUTES

April 13, 2015

We herewith transmit:

Without comment, as amended, HB15-1307, HB15-1291, HB15-1013, and HB15-1229.
Without comment, HB15-1286.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -- FIRST READING

The following bill was read by title and referred to the committee indicated:

SB15-267 by Senator(s) Hill, Holbert, Marble, Neville T., Woods; also Representative(s) Hamner--
Concerning the financing of public schools.
Education

SIGNING OF BILLS -- RESOLUTIONS -- MEMORIALS

The President has signed: HB15-1095, 1142; HJM15-1001; HJR15-1018.

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On motion of Majority Leader Scheffel, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday,
April 14, 2015.

Approved:

Bill L. Cadman
President of the Senate

Attest:

Cindi L. Markwell
Secretary of the Senate

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