

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

April 3, 2009
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

HB09-1039 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Strike the State, Veterans, & Military Affairs Committee Report, dated
2 January 20, 2009, and the Appropriations Committee Report, dated
3 March 6, 2009, and substitute the following:

4 "Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 6 through 8 and substitute the
5 following:

6 "COLORADO AND WHO ENROLLS IN A STATE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER
7 EDUCATION IN THIS STATE, OR A DEPENDENT OF SAID HONORABLY
8 DISCHARGED MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES WHO ENROLLS IN A STATE
9 INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE, MAY RECEIVE IN-STATE
10 TUITION STATUS. SAID";

11 line 9, strike "SHALL" and substitute "MAY";

12 line 15, strike "CLASSIFICATION." and substitute "CLASSIFICATION,
13 INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ELIGIBILITY TO RECEIVE A STIPEND FROM
14 THE COLLEGE OPPORTUNITY FUND PURSUANT TO PART 2 OF ARTICLE 18 OF
15 THIS TITLE.";

16 before line 16, insert the following:

17 **"SECTION 2. Adjustment to the 2009 long bill.** For the
18 implementation of this act, appropriations made in the annual general

1 appropriation act for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2009, shall be
2 adjusted as follows:

3 (1) The appropriation from the general fund to the department of
4 higher education, college opportunity fund program, for stipends for
5 students attending state-operated institutions of higher education, is
6 decreased by two million eight hundred fifty-nine thousand three hundred
7 sixty dollars (\$2,859,360), based on a projected decrease in the
8 stipend-eligible population of 1,036 student full-time equivalents as a
9 result of the implementation of this bill.

10 (2) The appropriation from reappropriated funds to the department
11 of higher education, governing boards, is decreased by two million eight
12 hundred fifty-nine thousand three hundred sixty dollars (\$2,859,360),
13 based on a projected decrease in the stipend-eligible population of 1,036
14 student full-time equivalents as a result of the implementation of this
15 bill."

16 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

17 Page 1, line 102, strike "VETERANS." and substitute "VETERANS, AND
18 MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR."."

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