

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

April 12, 2013  
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

HB13-1020 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend the Judiciary Committee Report, dated February 7, 2013, page 2,  
2 line 6, strike the first "THAT" and substitute "THAT, ONCE THE BACKLOG  
3 DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION IS RESOLVED,".
- 4 Page 2, line 20, strike "PURPOSES." and substitute "PURPOSES;".
- 5 Page 2 of the report, after line 20 insert:
  - 6 "(V) A PLAN FOR PRIORITIZING THE TESTING OF THE BACKLOG OF  
7 FORENSIC MEDICAL EVIDENCE TO BE FORWARDED TO THE COLORADO  
8 BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS  
9 SECTION AND A PLAN FOR TESTING NEWLY COLLECTED FORENSIC MEDICAL  
10 EVIDENCE ONCE THE BACKLOG IS RESOLVED; AND
  - 11 (VI) THE DATE, AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE, BY WHICH A LAW  
12 ENFORCEMENT AGENCY MUST ANALYZE ITS BACKLOG OF FORENSIC  
13 MEDICAL EVIDENCE IF IT DOES NOT FORWARD SUCH EVIDENCE TO THE  
14 COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION FOR ANALYSIS."
- 15 Page 3 of the report, line 23, strike "NINETY" and substitute "ONE  
16 HUNDRED TWENTY".
- 17 Page 3 of the report, line 32, strike "BY JUNE 30," and substitute "AS SOON  
18 AS PRACTICABLE".

1 Page 3 of the report, line 33, strike "2014,".

2 Page 3, line 35, strike "(4)." and substitute "(4) AND FOR ANALYZING  
3 NEWLY COLLECTED FORENSIC MEDICAL EVIDENCE AS SOON AS  
4 PRACTICABLE.".

5 Page 3 of the report, line 38, strike "JUNE 30, 2014." and substitute "THE  
6 DATE SPECIFIED BY RULE PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION.".

7 Page 4 of the report, after line 1 insert:

8 "(5) THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY SHALL INCLUDE WITHIN  
9 ITS BUDGET REQUESTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET REQUESTS SUBMITTED  
10 TO THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE FUNDING REQUESTS TO ANALYZE AS  
11 SOON AS PRACTICABLE THE BACKLOG OF FORENSIC MEDICAL EVIDENCE OF  
12 ANY ALLEGED SEXUAL ASSAULTS FORWARDED TO THE COLORADO BUREAU  
13 OF INVESTIGATION PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION AND TO  
14 ANALYZE NEWLY COLLECTED FORENSIC MEDICAL EVIDENCE AS SOON AS  
15 PRACTICABLE.

16 **SECTION 2. Appropriation.** In addition to any other  
17 appropriation, there is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the  
18 general fund not otherwise appropriated, to the department of public  
19 safety, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013, the sum of \$6,351,002,  
20 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for allocation to the Colorado  
21 bureau of investigation, laboratory and investigative services, operating  
22 expenses, for contract services for testing of backlog evidence related to  
23 the implementation of this act.

24 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.".

25 Page 4 of the report, line 4, strike "safety." and substitute "safety.".

26 Page 4 of the report, after line 4 insert:

27 "Page 1, strike line 102 and substitute:

28 "ASSAULT, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN  
29 APPROPRIATION.".".

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