## HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

February 13, 2013 Date

Committee on <u>Transportation & Energy</u>.

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

<u>HB13-1103</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 5, strike "**revenue.**" and substitute 2 "**revenue - repeal.** (1) (a)".

- 3 Page 2, line 11, strike "tax, AND EXCEPTING THOSE" and substitute "tax.".
- 4 Page 2, strike lines 12 and 13 and substitute:

5 "(b) THIS SUBSECTION (1) IS REPEALED EFFECTIVE UPON THE
6 RECEIPT BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES OF THE WRITTEN NOTICE FROM THE
7 DIRECTOR OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION REQUIRED PURSUANT TO
8 PARAGRAPH (b) OF SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION.

9 (2) (a) ON MARCH 1 OF EACH YEAR, THE PUBLIC UTILITIES 10 COMMISSION SHALL FURNISH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE 11 DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE WITH A LIST OF THOSE PUBLIC UTILITIES 12 SUBJECT TO ITS JURISDICTION, SUPERVISION, AND REGULATION ON 13 JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION (2) 14 SHALL NOT APPLY TO:

(I) MOTOR CARRIERS SUBJECT TO THE PASSENGER-MILE TAX
IMPOSED BY SECTIONS 42-3-304 TO 42-3-306, C.R.S., SO LONG AS THE
COST OF REGULATION OF SUCH MOTOR CARRIERS IS DEFRAYED FROM THE
PROCEEDS OF SUCH PASSENGER-MILE TAX; AND

(II) RAIL FIXED GUIDEWAY SYSTEMS THAT ARE REGULATED BY THE
 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION PURSUANT TO PART 1 OF ARTICLE 18 OF
 THIS TITLE.

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1 (b) THE DIRECTOR OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SHALL 2 PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE REVISOR OF STATUTES ONCE THE 3 FEDERAL GRANT MONEYS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THE "MOVING AHEAD 4 FOR PROGRESS IN THE 21ST CENTURY ACT", 49 U.S.C. SEC. 5329, HAVE 5 BEEN AWARDED TO THE STATE. THIS SUBSECTION (2) TAKES EFFECT UPON 6 THE RECEIPT BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES OF SUCH WRITTEN NOTICE.".

7 Page 3, line 9, strike "**fees.**" and substitute "**fees - repeal.** (1) (a)".

8 Page 3, strike lines 11 through 21 and substitute:

9 "by the commission for its administrative expenses under this article, including any additional FTE that may be necessary. The commission 10 11 shall assess fees in amounts that, in the aggregate, equal the 12 administrative expenses. Such fees shall be assessed against the operators 13 of all rail fixed guideway systems operating within the state, and shall be 14 apportioned on the basis of the rail miles of each system in proportion to 15 the total rail miles of all systems. All fees collected under this section 16 shall be remitted to the state treasurer, who shall credit the same to the 17 public utilities commission fixed utility fund created pursuant to section 18 40-2-114.

(b) THIS SUBSECTION (1) IS REPEALED EFFECTIVE UPON THE
RECEIPT BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES OF THE WRITTEN NOTICE FROM THE
DIRECTOR OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION REQUIRED PURSUANT TO
PARAGRAPH (b) OF SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION.

(2) (a) AT EACH REGULAR SESSION, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SHALL DETERMINE THE AMOUNTS TO BE EXPENDED BY THE COMMISSION
FROM THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION FIXED UTILITY FUND CREATED IN
SECTION 40-2-114 FOR ITS ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES UNDER THIS
ARTICLE, INCLUDING ANY ADDITIONAL FTE THAT MAY BE NECESSARY.

(b) THE DIRECTOR OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION SHALL
PROVIDE WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE REVISOR OF STATUTES ONCE THE
FEDERAL GRANT MONEYS MADE AVAILABLE UNDER THE "MOVING AHEAD
FOR PROGRESS IN THE 21ST CENTURY ACT", 49 U.S.C. SEC. 5329, HAVE
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