

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee

February 20, 2014
Date

Committee on Education.

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

SB14-114 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 4, after "**mission.**" insert "(1) (a)".

- 2 Page 2, line 11, after "programs." insert "FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE
3 STUDENTS RESIDING IN COLORADO, CSU GLOBAL CAMPUS SHALL HAVE
4 MODERATELY SELECTIVE ADMISSION STANDARDS. CSU GLOBAL CAMPUS
5 SHALL NOT ADMIT FIRST-TIME FRESHMAN BACCALAUREATE STUDENTS
6 WHO RESIDE IN COLORADO AND WHO ARE UNDER TWENTY-THREE YEARS
7 OF AGE."

- 8 Page 2, after line 12 insert:
9 "(b) CSU GLOBAL CAMPUS SHALL NOT OFFER ASSOCIATE OF ARTS,
10 ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE, OR ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREES,
11 BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREES, OR CAREER AND TECHNICAL
12 CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS. ADDITIONALLY, CSU-GLOBAL CAMPUS WILL NOT
13 OFFER CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT PROGRAMS, STATE-FUNDED
14 SUPPLEMENTAL ACADEMIC INSTRUCTION, OR STATE-FUNDED BASIC SKILLS
15 COURSES.
- 16 (2) (a) ON-LINE BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS THAT WILL
17 BE OFFERED TO STUDENTS RESIDING IN COLORADO AND THAT DID NOT
18 EXIST PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBSECTION (2) ARE SUBJECT
19 TO REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER
20 EDUCATION. IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO APPROVE AN ON-LINE
21 BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAM, THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON
22 HIGHER EDUCATION SHALL CONSIDER:
23 (I) WHETHER THE PROGRAM IS IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE
24 STATE OF COLORADO;

1 (II) WHETHER THE PROGRAM IS COST-EFFECTIVE FOR COLORADO
2 STUDENTS; AND

3 (III) WHETHER THE PROGRAM IS SUFFICIENTLY DISTINGUISHABLE
4 FROM AN EXISTING ON-LINE BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAM BEING
5 DELIVERED BY A STATE FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION,
6 A STATE TWO-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION, OR JOINTLY BY
7 A STATE TWO-YEAR AND STATE FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER
8 EDUCATION.

9 (b) IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO APPROVE AN ON-LINE
10 BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAM PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS
11 SUBSECTION (2), THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
12 MAY CONSULT WITH OTHER STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION."

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