

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

April 12, 2006  
Date

Committee on Business, Labor and Technology.

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

HB06-1344 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Finance with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 13, line 25, after "**Construction.**", insert  
2 "(1)".
- 3 Page 14, after line 2, insert the following:  
4       "(2) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF LAW TO THE  
5 CONTRARY, NOTHING IN THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO REQUIRE  
6 A CHILD PLACEMENT AGENCY TO PLACE A CHILD FOR ADOPTION WITH A  
7 COUPLE THAT HAS ENTERED INTO A DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP PURSUANT TO  
8 THIS ARTICLE IF THE CHILD PLACEMENT AGENCY OBJECTS TO SUCH  
9 PLACEMENT ON THE BASIS OF RELIGIOUS BELIEFS."
- 10 Page 18, line 7, strike "AND";
- 11 line 10, strike "AND";
- 12 line 11, strike "THE ACT?" and substitute "THE ACT, AND PROVIDING THAT  
13 A DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP IS NOT A MARRIAGE, WHICH CONSISTS OF THE  
14 UNION OF ONE MAN AND ONE WOMAN?".

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