HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

| | Chairman of Committee Date |
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| | Committee on Education. |
| | After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following: |
| | HB09-1057 be amended as follows: |
| 1 2 | Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 16 through 20 and substitute the following: |
| 3 4 5 | "(1) "ACADEMIC ACTIVITY" MEANS THE FOLLOWING MEETINGS OR CONFERENCES REGARDING THE EMPLOYEE'S CHILD OR ANY CHILD FOR WHOM THE EMPLOYEE HAS PRIMARY LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY: |
| 6 | (a) A PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCE; OR |
| 7 8 9 10 | (b) A MEETING RELATED TO: SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 22-20-103, C.R.S.; RESPONSE TO INTERVENTION, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 22-2-133 (4) (b), C.R.S.; DROPOUT PREVENTION; ATTENDANCE; TRUANCY; OR DISCIPLINARY ISSUES.". |
| 11 | Page 4, line 3, after "HOMES,", insert "SEASONAL WORKERS,"; |
| 12 | strike lines 5 through 8 and substitute the following: |
| 13 14 15 | "(4) "Employer" means an employer, as defined in the federal "Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993", Pub.L. 103-3, as amended."; |
| 16 | line 9, strike "Unpaid leave" and substitute "Leave"; |
| 17 | line 10, after "(1)", insert "(a)"; |



- 1 line 11, strike "UNPAID";
- 2 line 12, strike "FORTY" and substitute "EIGHTEEN";
- 3 line 17, strike "AT ANOTHER TIME." and substitute "WITHIN THE SAME
- 4 WORK WEEK.";
- 5 after line 17, insert the following:
- 6 "(b) AN EMPLOYEE WHO WORKS LESS THAN A FULL-TIME
- 7 SCHEDULE SHALL BE ELIGIBLE FOR A PORTION OF THE LEAVE SPECIFIED IN
- 8 PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION (1) BASED ON THE PERCENT OF A
- 9 FULL-TIME SCHEDULE THE EMPLOYEE WORKS.
- (c) NOTWITHSTANDING PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION (1),
- 11 AN EMPLOYER MAY LIMIT THE ABILITY OF AN EMPLOYEE TO TAKE LEAVE
- 12 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION IN CASES OF EMERGENCY OR OTHER
- 13 SITUATIONS THAT MAY ENDANGER A PERSON'S HEALTH OR SAFETY AND
- 14 THAT NECESSITATE THE PRESENCE OF THE EMPLOYEE.".
- Page 5, line 4, strike "THREE DAYS" and substitute "ONE CALENDAR
- 16 WEEK", and strike "ACTIVITY." and substitute "ACTIVITY, AND THE NOTICE
- 17 SHALL INCLUDE THE WRITTEN VERIFICATION SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (2)
- 18 OF THIS SECTION IF REQUIRED BY THE EMPLOYER.";
- 19 line 6, strike "THREE DAYS" and substitute "ONE CALENDAR WEEK";
- 20 line 8, strike "LEAVE. THE NOTICE TO THE" and substitute "LEAVE AND
- 21 SHALL PROVIDE THE EMPLOYER WITH WRITTEN VERIFICATION, AS
- DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION, UPON RETURN TO WORK.";
- 23 strike lines 9 and 10;
- 24 line 16, after "EMPLOYEE", insert "OR EMPLOYER";
- 25 line 17, after "VACATION LEAVE,", insert "SICK LEAVE,";
- 26 line 18, strike "SECTION." and substitute "SECTION, AND THE EMPLOYER
- 27 SHALL ALLOW THE EMPLOYEE TO USE SUCH ACCRUED PAID LEAVE FOR THE
- 28 SAME PURPOSES AS, AND WITH NOTICE REQUIREMENTS NO MORE
- 29 STRINGENT THAN, THOSE APPLICABLE TO LEAVE UNDER THIS ARTICLE.";



- line 22, strike "LEAVE" and substitute "PAID OR UNPAID LEAVE, INCLUDING
- 2 VACATION LEAVE, SICK LEAVE, OR PERSONAL LEAVE,";
- 3 line 23, strike "OF SUBSECTION (1)";
- 4 strike line 26 and substitute the following:
- 5 "PURPOSES AS, AND WITH NOTICE REQUIREMENTS NO MORE STRINGENT
- 6 THAN, THOSE APPLICABLE TO".

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