

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT
Committee on Judiciary.

HB25-1290 be amended as follows:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, strike lines 1 through 27.

2 Page 3, strike lines 1 through 12 and substitute:

3 **"SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-9-101, **add** (3)
4 as follows:

5 **18-9-101. Definitions.** As used in this part 1, unless the context
6 otherwise requires:

7 (3) "TRANSIT WORKER" MEANS A BUS OPERATOR, TRAIN
8 OPERATOR, TICKET INSPECTOR, CONDUCTOR, STATION CUSTOMER
9 ASSISTANT, OR A PERSON WHOSE OFFICIAL DUTIES INCLUDE THE
10 MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, INSPECTION, TROUBLESHOOTING, TESTING, OR
11 CLEANING OF BUSES, TRAINS, OR FACILITIES OF A MASS TRANSPORTATION
12 SYSTEM, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 32-9-103, OR A COMMUTER RAIL AGENCY,
13 AUTHORITY, OR COMPANY, PUBLIC OR PRIVATE, WHOSE OPERATION IS
14 AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE, WHETHER THE PERSON IS EMPLOYED BY A
15 POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR A PRIVATE ENTITY.

16 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-9-111, **amend** (1)
17 introductory portion, (1)(h), and (2)(a); and **add** (1)(i) as follows:

18 **18-9-111. Harassment - Kiana Arellano's Law.** (1) A person
19 commits harassment if, with intent to harass, annoy, or alarm another person,
20 ~~he or she~~ THE PERSON:

21 (h) Repeatedly insults, taunts, challenges, or makes
22 communications in offensively coarse language to another in a manner
23 likely to provoke a violent or disorderly response; OR

24 (i) WRONGFULLY INTERFERES WITH A TRANSIT WORKER
25 PERFORMING A LAWFUL DUTY.

26 (2)(a) A person who violates subsection (1)(a), ~~or~~ (1)(c), OR (1)(i)
27 of this section or violates ~~any provision of~~ subsection (1) of this section
28 with the intent to intimidate or harass another person, in whole or in part,
29 because of that person's actual or perceived race; color; religion; ancestry;
30 national origin; physical or mental disability, as defined in section
31 18-9-121; sexual orientation, as defined in section 18-9-121; or
32 transgender identity commits a class 1 misdemeanor.

33 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-4.1-302, **add**
34 (1)(cc.2) as follows:

35 **24-4.1-302. Definitions.** As used in this part 3, and for no other
36 purpose, including the expansion of the rights of any defendant:

37 (1) "Crime" means any of the following offenses, acts, and
38 violations as defined by the statutes of the state of Colorado, whether

1 committed by an adult or a juvenile:

2 (cc.2) HARASSMENT IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 18-9-111 (1)(i);

3 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 32-9-160, **amend** (1)

4 as follows:

5 **32-9-160. Misdemeanors.** (1) Any person who wrongfully
6 damages, injures, or destroys, or in any manner impairs the usefulness of
7 any facility, property, structure, improvement, equipment, or other
8 property of the district acquired under the provisions of this article 9, ~~or~~
9 ~~who wrongfully interferes with any officer, agent, or employee of the~~
10 ~~district in the proper discharge of the officer's, agent's, or employee's~~
11 ~~duties~~, commits a class 2 misdemeanor.".

12 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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