

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chair of Committee

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Date

May 1, 2023

Committee on Transportation & Energy.

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

HB23-1242 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 5, line 9, after "WELL AND" insert "THE  
2 VOLUME, EXPRESSED IN BARRELS, OF THE PRODUCED WATER".
- 3 Page 7, line 19, strike "JULY 1," and substitute "DECEMBER 31,".
- 4 Page 9, line 27, strike "**definitions.**" and substitute "**definitions - review**  
5 **of functions - repeal.**".
- 6 Page 12, line 8, strike "AGENCY" and substitute "AGENCY, OTHER THAN A  
7 COMMISSIONER OF THE COMMISSION,".
- 8 Page 12, line 11, strike "ENVIRONMENT;" and substitute "ENVIRONMENT.  
9 A STAFF PERSON FOR THE COMMISSION MAY BE APPOINTED PURSUANT TO  
10 THIS SUBSECTION (3)(a)(III)(A).".
- 11 Page 12, line 15, before "NONGOVERNMENTAL" insert "ENVIRONMENTAL".
- 12 Page 13, line 6, strike "NONPROFIT" and substitute "NONGOVERNMENTAL".
- 13 Page 13, line 11, after "EACH" insert "OF WHOM MUST BE", and strike  
14 "NONPROFIT" and substitute "NONGOVERNMENTAL".
- 15 Page 13, line 13, strike "COLOR," and substitute "COLOR OR MUST RESIDE  
16 IN A DISPROPORTIONATELY IMPACTED COMMUNITY,".
- 17 Page 15, line 24, after "WATER;" add "EXCEPT THAT THE CONSORTIUM  
18 SHALL NOT PARTICIPATE AS A PARTY IN ANY RULE-MAKING PROCEEDING;".

1 Page 17, after line 20 insert:

2 "(7) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2030.  
3 BEFORE THE REPEAL, THIS SECTION IS SCHEDULED FOR REVIEW IN  
4 ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 24-34-104.

5 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, **add**  
6 (31)(a)(VIII) as follows:

7 **24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies**  
8 **and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment - legislative**  
9 **declaration - repeal.** (31) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both,  
10 are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2030:

11 (VIII) THE COLORADO PRODUCED WATER CONSORTIUM CREATED  
12 IN SECTION 34-60-135 (2)(a)."

13 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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