HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

<u>April 18, 2024</u> Date

Committee on Education.

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

<u>HB24-1446</u> be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on <u>Appropriations</u> with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, strike lines 20 and 21, and substitute:

2 "REGIONAL BASIS AROUND THE STATE THAT INCLUDES AN OPPORTUNITY 3 FOR BOTH IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION AND THAT IS DESIGNED 4 TO ENHANCE PEDAGOGY AROUND THE COLORADO ACADEMIC STANDARDS 5 FOR SCIENCE. THE COLORADO INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION 6 SELECTED FOR THE CONTRACT MAY PARTNER WITH OTHER NON-PROFITS 7 OR THIRD-PARTY PROVIDERS THAT OFFER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT 8 OPPORTUNITIES TO TEACHERS THAT ENHANCE PEDAGOGY AROUND THE 9 COLORADO ACADEMIC STANDARDS FOR SCIENCE.".

10 Page 5, line 3, after "DISABILITIES," insert "GIFTED STUDENTS,".

- 11 Page 5, line 17, after "TEACHERS" insert "EMPLOYED AT LOCAL
- 12 EDUCATION PROVIDERS LOCATED".

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