

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Third Reading

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1 Amend revised bill, page 3, strike line 27.

2 Page 4, line 5, strike "24-33.5-2502 (2)." and substitute "24-33.5-2503
3 (2).".

4 Page 4, strike line 19, and substitute "24-33.5-2503".

5 Page 4, strike lines 20 through 27 and substitute:

6 **"24-33.5-2502. Missing and murdered indigenous relatives -**
7 **department duties.** (1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL IMPROVE THE
8 INVESTIGATION OF MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVE CASES
9 AND ADDRESS INJUSTICE IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM'S RESPONSE TO
10 THE CASES OF MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVE CASES. THE
11 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL ASSIGN STAFF AS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT
12 THE DUTIES DESCRIBED IN THIS PART 25 AND MAY ASSIGN THE DUTIES TO
13 THE VARIOUS DIVISIONS AND OFFICES IN THE DEPARTMENT, INCLUDING THE
14 OFFICE OF LIAISON FOR MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVES
15 AND THE COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.
16 (2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL:".

17 Page 5, strike lines 1 through 22.

18 Page 6, strike lines 8 through 18 and substitute:

19 "(d) DEVELOP AND ENHANCE PARTNERSHIPS WITH TRIBAL LAW
20 ENFORCEMENT AND COMMUNITIES TO BUILD TRUST, ENSURE EASE OF
21 REPORTING, COORDINATE INVESTIGATIONS, AND TIMELY ENTER
22 INFORMATION REGARDING MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS
23 RELATIVES INTO RELEVANT CRIMINAL JUSTICE DATABASES;

24 (e) WORK WITH THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION ON
25 REPORTED MISSING OR MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVE CASES AND
26 COORDINATE WITH LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AS NECESSARY FOR THE
27 INVESTIGATION OF THE CASES;".

28 Page 7, after line 20 insert:

29 "(k) COORDINATE WITH OTHER STATES TO ENSURE COLORADO IS
30 ENACTING AND USING BEST PRACTICES FOR REPORTING, TRACKING, AND
31 INVESTIGATING MISSING OR MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVES CASES
32 AND TO IDENTIFY CASES INVOLVING REPEAT OFFENDERS;".

33 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

1 Page 7, strike line 27.

2 Page 8, strike lines 1 through 4.

3 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

4 Strike pages 9 and 10 and substitute:

5 **"24-33.5-2503. Office of liaison for missing and murdered**
6 **indigenous relatives - created - director - collaboration - advisory**
7 **board.** (1) THERE IS CREATED IN THE DEPARTMENT THE OFFICE OF
8 LIAISON FOR MISSING AND MURDERED INDIGENOUS RELATIVES TO WORK
9 ON BEHALF OF THOSE WHO ARE MISSING OR MURDERED. THE OFFICE IS A
10 **TYPE 2** ENTITY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 24-1-105, AND EXERCISES ITS
11 POWERS AND PERFORMS ITS DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS UNDER THE
12 DEPARTMENT.

13 (2) (a) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT SHALL
14 APPOINT THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OF
15 ARTICLE XII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION. THE DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE
16 MUST BE A PERSON CLOSELY CONNECTED TO A TRIBE OR THE INDIGENOUS
17 COMMUNITY AND WHO IS HIGHLY KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT CRIMINAL
18 INVESTIGATIONS. THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR IS ENCOURAGED TO CONSIDER
19 CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT WHO ARE RECOMMENDED BY TRIBES AND
20 INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES.

21 (b) THE DIRECTOR MAY APPOINT STAFF AS NECESSARY TO CARRY
22 OUT THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE. IN APPOINTING STAFF FOR THE OFFICE, THE
23 DIRECTOR SHALL GIVE PREFERENCE TO THOSE WITH EXPERIENCE WORKING
24 WITH INDIGENOUS PERSONS AND INDIAN TRIBES. THE DIRECTOR SHALL
25 ENCOURAGE INDIGENOUS PERSONS TO APPLY FOR POSITIONS IN THE OFFICE.

26 (3) THE OFFICE SHALL SERVE AS A LIAISON ON BEHALF OF THE
27 INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY ON ISSUES RELATED TO MISSING OR MURDERED
28 INDIGENOUS RELATIVES, SUPPORT THE ADVISORY BOARD CREATED IN
29 SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION, AND CARRY OUT ANY DUTIES ASSIGNED
30 BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES, THE OFFICE
31 SHALL COLLABORATE WITH ANY RELEVANT ENTITIES, INCLUDING THE
32 COLORADO COMMISSION OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED
33 TRIBES, INDIGENOUS-LED ORGANIZATIONS, TRIBAL AND LOCAL LAW
34 ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, THE COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,
35 AND THE COLORADO STATE PATROL.

36 (4) (a) THERE IS ESTABLISHED IN THE OFFICE THE COMMUNITY".

37 Page 13, line 22, strike "OFFICE" and substitute "DEPARTMENT".

38 Page 13, strike lines 25 through 27 and substitute:

- 1 **"24-33.5-2505. Information dashboard - report. (1) THE**
2 DEPARTMENT SHALL PUBLISH ON ITS PUBLIC WEBSITE A DASHBOARD".
- 3 Page 14, line 18, strike "OFFICE" and substitute "DEPARTMENT".
- 4 Page 14, line 22, strike the second "OFFICE" and substitute
5 "DEPARTMENT".
- 6 Page 14, line 27, strike "REQUIRED PURSUANT TO 24-33.5-2503" and
7 substitute "DESCRIBED IN SECTION 24-33.5-2502".
- 8 Page 15, line 1, strike "(1)".
- 9 Page 15, line 14, strike "24-33.5-2502" and substitute "24-33.5-2503".
- 10 Page 15, line 27, strike "24-33.5-2502" and substitute "24-33.5-2503".

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