

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Business, Labor, & Technology.

SB22-140 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 33, after line 2 insert:

2 **"SECTION 18.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-3.3-1303,
3 **amend** (1)(b) as follows:

4 **23-3.3-1303. Fourth-year innovation pilot program - creation**
5 **- eligibility - award of state funding - commission policies.** (1)(b) The
6 pilot program is limited to ~~five~~ local education providers or group of
7 providers with the first cohort of graduates graduating early during the
8 2021-22 school year and the last cohort of graduates graduating early
9 during the 2025-26 school year. EACH YEAR OF THE PROGRAM, a local
10 education provider or a group of local education providers may apply to
11 the department to participate in the pilot program. A SCHOOL OR LOCAL
12 EDUCATION PROVIDER APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT MAY BE ADDED TO
13 AN EXISTING GROUP OF LOCAL EDUCATION PROVIDERS. The commission
14 shall select pilot program participants, including a mix of urban,
15 suburban, and rural local education providers. In the pilot program
16 application, the applicant or applicants shall indicate which high schools
17 are participating in the pilot program. With approval of the charter school,
18 a school district that is selected to participate in the pilot program may
19 also include a charter school authorized by the school district as one of its
20 designated high schools.

21 **SECTION 19.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-26.3-602,
22 **amend** (3) as follows:

23 **24-46.3-602. Definitions.** As used in this part 6 and part 7 of this
24 article 46.3, unless the context otherwise requires:

25 (3) "Incumbent worker" means a worker who ~~qualifies as an~~
26 ~~incumbent worker under 20 CFR 680.780~~ IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED AND
27 EXPECTS TO REMAIN EMPLOYED BY THE SAME EMPLOYER DURING AND
28 AFTER PARTICIPATION IN A TRAINING PROGRAM OR TRAINING
29 OPPORTUNITY.".

30 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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