

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Finance.

SB26-163 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 16, after line 23 insert:

2 "SECTION 14. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 44-32-503, amend
3 (4)(a) as follows:

4 **44-32-503. Rules of commission - licensing - record check.**

5 (4) (a) With the submission of an application for a key
6 occupational license or a support occupational license granted pursuant
7 to this article 32, ~~each applicant shall submit a set of fingerprints to the~~
8 ~~commission. The commission shall submit the fingerprints to the~~
9 ~~Colorado bureau of investigation for the purpose of conducting a state~~
10 ~~and national fingerprint-based criminal history record check utilizing~~
11 ~~records of the Colorado bureau of investigation and the federal bureau of~~
12 ~~investigation. Only the actual costs of the record check must be borne by~~
13 ~~the applicant. Nothing in this subsection (4) precludes the commission~~
14 ~~from making further inquiries into the background of the applicant.~~ THE
15 COMMISSION SHALL REQUIRE THE APPLICANT'S FINGERPRINTS TO BE TAKEN
16 BY A LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, THE DIVISION OF RACING
17 EVENTS, OR ANY THIRD PARTY APPROVED BY THE COLORADO BUREAU OF
18 INVESTIGATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A FINGERPRINT-BASED
19 CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECK. THE COMMISSION SHALL AUTHORIZE
20 THE ENTITY TAKING THE APPLICANT'S FINGERPRINTS TO SUBMIT, AND THE
21 ENTITY SHALL SUBMIT, THE COMPLETE SET OF THE APPLICANT'S
22 FINGERPRINTS TO THE COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION FOR THE
23 PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A FINGERPRINT-BASED CRIMINAL HISTORY
24 RECORD CHECK TO ENSURE APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY, PROTECT PUBLIC
25 SAFETY, AND MAINTAIN THE INTEGRITY OF LICENSED PROFESSIONS. THE
26 COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION SHALL FORWARD THE
27 FINGERPRINTS TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION FOR THE
28 PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A NATIONAL FINGERPRINT-BASED CRIMINAL
29 HISTORY RECORD CHECK. UPON COMPLETION, THE COLORADO BUREAU OF
30 INVESTIGATION SHALL RETURN THE RESULTS OF ITS CRIMINAL HISTORY
31 RECORD CHECK TO THE COMMISSION, AND THE COMMISSION IS
32 AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE THE RESULTS OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF
33 INVESTIGATION'S CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECK. THE APPLICANT
34 SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING THE COST OF THE RECORD CHECK.
35 NOTHING IN THIS SUBSECTION (4) PRECLUDES THE COMMISSION FROM
36 MAKING FURTHER INQUIRIES INTO THE BACKGROUND OF AN APPLICANT. "

37 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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