

## HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY REPRESENTATIVES Duran and Willford

1 Amend printed bill, page 33, after line 26 insert:

2 "SECTION 33. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 40-2-109.3 as  
3 follows:

4 **40-2-109.3. Study on modernizing commission structure -**  
5 **report - repeal.**

6 (1) TO ENSURE THAT THE COMMISSION AND COMMISSION STAFF  
7 HAVE SUFFICIENT CAPACITY, TECHNICAL EXPERTISE, AND RESOURCES TO  
8 FULFILL ITS STATUTORY DUTIES UNDER THIS TITLE 40, THE COMMISSION  
9 SHALL ENGAGE AN INDEPENDENT THIRD-PARTY CONSULTANT TO CONDUCT  
10 A STUDY ON HOW TO MODERNIZE ITS PERSONNEL, ORGANIZATIONAL, AND  
11 BUDGETARY STRUCTURES. IN CONDUCTING THE STUDY, THE COMMISSION  
12 SHALL CONSULT RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS, INCLUDING REGULATED  
13 ENTITIES, TO SOLICIT FEEDBACK. THE STUDY MUST INCLUDE, AT A  
14 MINIMUM, AN EVALUATION OF, AND RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING, THE  
15 SIZE OF THE COMMISSION, COMPENSATION FOR COMMISSIONERS INCLUDING  
16 SALARY AND TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT, POTENTIAL FUNDING MECHANISMS  
17 TO SUPPORT STATUTORY EQUITY OBJECTIVES AND INTERVENOR  
18 PARTICIPATION, AND THE ADEQUACY OF CURRENT STAFFING LEVELS.

19 (2) ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 2026, THE COMMISSION SHALL  
20 SUBMIT AN INITIAL REPORT ON THE STUDY SUMMARIZING ITS INITIAL  
21 FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
22 ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE AND THE SENATE  
23 TRANSPORTATION AND ENERGY COMMITTEE, OR THEIR SUCCESSOR  
24 COMMITTEES.

25 (3) ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 2027, THE COMMISSION SHALL  
26 SUBMIT A FINAL REPORT ON THE STUDY TO THE COMMITTEES LISTED IN  
27 SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION, WHICH FINAL REPORT MUST INCLUDE  
28 THE COMMISSION'S FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS, INCLUDING ANY  
29 LEGISLATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS.

30 (4) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2028."

31 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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