

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

HB25-1275 be amended as follows:

1 Amend the Judiciary Committee Report, dated March 26, 2025, page 9,
2 line 7, after "24-72-303," insert "**amend** (4)(g); and".

3 Page 9, line 10, after "(a.5)" insert "(I)".

4 Page 9, line 16, strike "SECTION." and substitute "SECTION.

5 (II) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION
6 (4)(a.5)(I) OF THIS SECTION, THE CUSTODIAN OF A FINAL REPORT THAT
7 CONCLUDES THAT A CRIME LABORATORY EMPLOYEE ENGAGED IN
8 WRONGFUL ACTION MAY DENY INSPECTION OF THE REPORT IF THERE IS AN
9 ONGOING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION OR CRIMINAL CASE AGAINST A CRIME
10 LABORATORY EMPLOYEE RELATED TO THE SUBJECT OF THE WRONGFUL
11 ACTION. THE FINAL REPORT FILE MUST BE OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION
12 UPON THE DISMISSAL OF ALL CHARGES OR UPON A SENTENCE FOR A
13 CONVICTION.

14 (g) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (4)(a), **(4)(a.5)**,
15 and (4)(e) of this section, the custodian of an internal investigation file as
16 described in subsection (4)(a) of this section OR A FINAL REPORT AS
17 DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (4)(a.5) OF THIS SECTION may deny inspection
18 of the file if the inspection is prohibited by rules ~~promulgated~~ ADOPTED
19 by the Colorado supreme court or by a court order.".

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