

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

April 21, 2026
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB26-147 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation and with a recommendation that it be placed on the consent calendar:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike line 12 and substitute "(3.7) and (6);
- 2 and **add** (1.1) and (1.2) as follows:".
- 3 Page 4, line 17, strike "A NONPROFIT ADVOCATE,".
- 4 Page 4, strike lines 19 through 26.
- 5 Page 5, line 6, strike "A NONPROFIT ADVOCATE,".
- 6 Page 5, line 14, strike "(a)".
- 7 Page 5, strike line 23.
- 8 Page 6, line 20, strike "NONPROFIT".
- 9 Page 6, strike line 21 and substitute "professional lobbyist for a
- 10 not-for-profit organization".
- 11 Page 6, line 22, strike "NONPROFIT ENTITY".
- 12 Page 6, line 26, strike "(a)".
- 13 Page 7, strike line 8.
- 14 Page 11, before line 15 insert:
- 15 **"SECTION 7. Appropriation. (1) For the 2026-27 state fiscal**

1 year, \$91,000 is appropriated to the department of state. This
2 appropriation is from the department of state cash fund created in
3 section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S. To implement this act, the division of
4 information technology may use this appropriation for personal
5 services."

6 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

7 Page 1, line 101, strike "**LOBBYISTS.**" and substitute "**LOBBYISTS, AND,**
8 **IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.**".

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