

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

February 16, 2023
Date

Committee on Education.

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

HB23-1114 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 9 through 12 and substitute:

2 "(a) "FIRST-GENERATION-SERVING INSTITUTION" MEANS A STATE
3 INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION:

4 (I) WHOSE RESIDENT FIRST-GENERATION UNDERGRADUATE
5 STUDENT POPULATION SHARE, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 23-18-302, FOR
6 THREE CONSECUTIVE YEARS, INCLUDING THE CURRENT YEAR, IS EQUAL TO
7 OR HIGHER THAN THE PERCENTAGE ESTABLISHED BY THE COLORADO
8 COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION, WHICH PERCENTAGE MUST NOT BE
9 LESS THAN THE STATEWIDE PERCENTAGE OF RESIDENT FIRST-GENERATION
10 UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS IN ALL STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER
11 EDUCATION; AND

12 (II) THAT MEETS OTHER METRICS, INCLUDING RETENTION AND
13 COMPLETION RATES, AS ESTABLISHED BY THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON
14 HIGHER EDUCATION IN COLLABORATION WITH STATE INSTITUTIONS OF
15 HIGHER EDUCATION."

16 Page 3, strike line 14 and substitute "MEANING AS "PUBLIC INSTITUTION
17 OF HIGHER EDUCATION" AS DEFINED IN SECTION 23-4.5-102."

18 Page 3, strike lines 15 through 17 and substitute:

19 "(3) WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE ANNUAL PUBLIC RELEASE OF
20 ENROLLMENT, RETENTION, AND GRADUATION DATA FROM EACH STATE
21 INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION".

22 Page 3, strike lines 21 and 22 and substitute:

1 "(b) POST ON THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE:
2 (I) THE NAMES OF THE FIRST-GENERATION-SERVING INSTITUTIONS
3 FOR THAT SCHOOL YEAR; AND
4 (II) THE RETENTION AND COMPLETION DATA FOR SUCH
5 INSTITUTIONS."

6 Page 3, strike lines 25 through 27 and substitute:

7 "**SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act
8 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
9 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except
10 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V
11 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this
12 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take
13 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
14 November 2024 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
15 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor."

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