

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chair of Committee

March 8, 2024  
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB24-070 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 the Education Committee Report, dated February 5, 2024, page  
2 2, line 18, strike "subsection" and substitute "subparagraph".

3 Page 2 of the report, before line 27 insert:

4           **"SECTION 3. Appropriation.** For the 2024-25 state fiscal year,  
5 \$440,000 is appropriated to the department of education. This  
6 appropriation is from the state education fund created in section 17 (4)(a)  
7 of article IX of the state constitution. To implement this act, the  
8 department may use this appropriation for the statewide assessment  
9 program."

10 Page 2 of the report, line 27, strike "3." and substitute "4."

11 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 18, strike "INCLUDING" and substitute  
12 "INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,".

13 Page 1 of the bill, line 103, strike "PROGRAMS." and substitute  
14 "PROGRAMS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN  
15 APPROPRIATION."