

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

April 11, 2025
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB25-189 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, before line 24 insert:
 - 2 "SECTION 2. **Appropriation.** For the 2025-26 state fiscal year,
 - 3 \$17,500 is appropriated to the judicial department for use by trial courts.
 - 4 This appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the
 - 5 courts may use this appropriation for court costs, jury costs, court-
 - 6 appointed counsel, and reimbursements for vacated convictions."
- 7 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.
- 8 Page 1, line 102, strike "CONVICTIONS." and substitute "CONVICTIONS,
- 9 AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION."

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