

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Education.

HB25-1192 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, strike lines 24 through 27.

2 Strike pages 5 and 6.

3 Page 7, strike lines 1 through 7 and substitute:

4 "SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-2-136, **amend**  
5 (2)(b) and (2)(c); and **add** (2)(d) as follows:

6 **22-2-136. Additional duty - state board - individual career and**  
7 **academic plans - standards - rules.** (2) In establishing the standards for  
8 individual career and academic plans, the state board shall ensure, at a  
9 minimum, that:

10 (b) Each individual career and academic plan is accessible to  
11 educators, students, and parents; ~~and~~

12 (c) Each public school, in assisting students and parents in  
13 creating and maintaining the individual career and academic plans, is in  
14 compliance with the requirements of the federal "Family Educational  
15 Rights and Privacy Act of 1974", 20 U.S.C. sec. 1232g; AND

16 (d) (I) BEGINNING WITH THE 2027-28 SCHOOL YEAR, EACH  
17 INDIVIDUAL CAREER AND ACADEMIC PLAN INCLUDES A REQUIREMENT  
18 THAT, DURING THE STUDENT'S GRADUATION YEAR, THE STUDENT  
19 COMPLETES A FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID OR THE  
20 COLORADO APPLICATION FOR STATE FINANCIAL AID.

21 (II) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION (2)(d)(I), A STUDENT IS NOT  
22 REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID  
23 OR THE COLORADO APPLICATION FOR STATE FINANCIAL AID IF:

24 (A) THE STUDENT AFFIRMATIVELY DECLINES TO COMPLETE THE  
25 APPLICATION; OR

26 (B) AUTHORIZED SCHOOL PERSONNEL DETERMINES IT IS NOT  
27 FEASIBLE FOR THE STUDENT TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION.

28 (III) IF A STUDENT HAS NOT COMPLETED THE APPLICATION OR  
29 AFFIRMATIVELY DECLINED TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION PURSUANT TO  
30 SUBSECTION (2)(d)(II)(A) OF THIS SECTION BY MAY 1 OF THE APPLICABLE  
31 SCHOOL YEAR, THE PUBLIC SCHOOL MUST INDICATE ON THE STUDENT'S  
32 INDIVIDUAL CAREER AND ACADEMIC PLAN THAT THE STUDENT HAS  
33 DECLINED TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION."

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