

SB039\_L.001

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on State, Veterans, & Military Affairs.

SB16-039 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 3, strike "(c)" and substitute "(c); and  
2 add (1) (f)".

3 Page 3, strike lines 3 through 8 and substitute:

4 "~~(IV) Each community mental health center;~~ A REPRESENTATIVE  
5 FROM THE AREA'S LOCAL COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER, IF ONE  
6 EXISTS. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH (IV), IF THE AREA  
7 INVOLVED DOES NOT HAVE A LOCAL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, THE  
8 PERSON OR ENTITY THAT CONVENES THE GROUP MAY APPOINT A MENTAL  
9 HEALTH PROFESSIONAL. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH (IV), IF  
10 THE AREA INVOLVED DOES HAVE A COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER,  
11 THE REPRESENTATIVE MUST BE FROM THAT COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH  
12 CENTER."

13 Page 3, after line 24 insert:

14 "(f) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (1), A "MENTAL HEALTH  
15 PROFESSIONAL" MAY INCLUDE ANY PERSON LICENSED BY THE STATE OF  
16 COLORADO AS A PSYCHIATRIST, PSYCHOLOGIST, MENTAL HEALTH  
17 COUNSELOR, OR LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER."

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