

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 17, 2023
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB23-149 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend the Education Committee Report, dated March 1, 2023, page 1,
- 2 strike lines 13 and 14 and substitute:
 - 3 "(a) SELECT APPROVED YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATIONS TO
 - 4 PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM. THE BOARD SHALL SELECT ONE APPROVED
 - 5 YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FROM EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TYPES
 - 6 OF ORGANIZATIONS:
 - 7 (I) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH WHO ARE
 - 8 LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, OR QUEER;
 - 9 (II) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH WHO HAVE
 - 10 A PHYSICAL, MENTAL, OR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY;
 - 11 (III) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH OF COLOR;
 - 12 (IV) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH WHO ARE
 - 13 JUSTICE INVOLVED;
 - 14 (V) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH WHO RESIDE
 - 15 IN A RURAL AREA OF THE STATE; AND
 - 16 (VI) A YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION FOR YOUTH WHO
 - 17 RESIDE IN AN URBAN AREA OF THE STATE."
- 18 Page 1, strike lines 23 through 27.
- 19 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.
- 20 Page 2, line 24, strike "(3)(c)" and substitute "(3)(b)".
- 21 Page 3, lines 1 and 2, strike "COMMISSION FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS
- 22 SECTION." and substitute "BOARD FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED PURSUANT
- 23 TO THIS SECTION. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION AUTHORIZES THE
- 24 DEPARTMENT OR BOARD TO USE THE APPROPRIATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE

1 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH IMPLEMENTING OR ADMINISTERING THE
2 PROGRAM, OR THE APPROVED YOUTH MENTORSHIP ORGANIZATION TO USE
3 THE MONEY RECEIVED THROUGH THE PROGRAM FOR ADMINISTRATIVE
4 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH IMPLEMENTING OR ADMINISTERING THE
5 PROGRAM."

6 Page 3, strike lines 9 and 10.

7 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

8 Page 3, line 19, strike "(7)(c)" and substitute "(7)(b)".

9 Page 4, after line 33 insert:

10 **"SECTION 2. Appropriation.** For the 2023-24 state fiscal year,
11 \$100,000 is appropriated to the department of higher education for use by
12 the Colorado opportunity scholarship board. This appropriation is from
13 the general fund. To implement this act, the board may use this
14 appropriation for the youth mentorship stipend pilot program."

15 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

16 Amend printed bill, page 1, line 103, strike "MENTORSHIP." and
17 substitute "MENTORSHIP, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN
18 APPROPRIATION."

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