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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE "STATE MEASUREMENT FOR
102 ACCOUNTABLE, RESPONSIVE, AND TRANSPARENT (SMART)
103 GOVERNMENT ACT" OF 2010.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

The bill repeals and reenacts the "State Measurement for Accountable, Responsive, and Transparent (SMART) Government Act" of 2010 with amendments. The bill creates 7 standing interim committees, with the intention of eliminating specialized interim committees in the

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
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future, with the following responsibilities:

- ! **Standing education interim committee:** Issues and policies related to preschool through postsecondary education, including basic adult education;
- ! **Standing health care and human services interim committee:** Issues and policies related to health, health care, human services, and insurance;
- ! **Standing judiciary and criminal justice interim committee:** Issues and policies related to children and domestic matters, civil law, corrections, youth corrections, criminal law and procedure, juvenile law, and probate and trusts;
- ! **Standing science and energy interim committee:** Issues and policies related to agriculture, livestock, natural resources, public utilities, and energy;
- ! **Standing finance and business interim committee:** Issues and policies related to state and local government finance, taxation, business, labor and industry, professions and occupations, and economic development and tourism;
- ! **Standing state and local government and military affairs interim committee:** Issues and policies related to elections, state departments and agencies, state and local government, public employees' retirement association, fire and police pension association, and military and veterans affairs; and
- ! **Standing transportation interim committee:** Issues and policies related to transportation and motor vehicle and traffic regulation.

The bill repeals and reenacts the transportation legislation review committee so that it is instead the standing transportation interim committee. The bill also repeals the police officers' and firefighters' pension reform commission and places the commission's duties under the standing state and local government and military affairs interim committee instead.

Each executive branch department and the judicial department is assigned to a specific standing interim committee so that the legislature may give guidance and direction to such department in the development of its policies and programs, to provide legislative overview of and input regarding the implementation of its policies and programs, and to review its performance plans and performance evaluations.

A legislative member may submit a request in writing to the legislative council regarding an issue that he or she wishes a standing interim committee to add to its agenda. The legislative council is required to meet during the regular session each year to review and prioritize requests made by legislative members and, if approved, assign such

requests to the appropriate standing interim committee.

The standing interim committees will meet as determined by the executive committee of the legislative council so that each standing interim committee may perform its functions at least once during an interim between legislative sessions in a 3-year period, including the consideration of any approved policies to be studied as requested by legislative members, and any approved policies to be studied as requested by the joint budget committee, the legislative audit committee, or the office of state planning and budgeting.

The bill repeals the annual SMART hearings at the commencement of each legislative session. The bill also makes changes to the strategic planning requirements found in the 2010 act so that departments are now required to prepare performance plans and performance evaluations that the joint budget committee may use to prioritize departments' requests for new funding that are expressly intended to enhance productivity, improve efficiency, reduce costs, and eliminate waste in the processes and operations that deliver goods and services to taxpayers and customers of state government.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **repeal and reenact,**
3 **with amendments,** part 2 of article 7 of title 2 as follows:

4 PART 2

5 STATE MEASUREMENT FOR ACCOUNTABLE,

6 RESPONSIVE, AND TRANSPARENT

7 (SMART) GOVERNMENT ACT

8 **2-7-201. Legislative declaration.** (1) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
9 HEREBY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT:

10 (a) THOUGHTFUL CONSIDERATION OF THE ROLES AND
11 RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIFFERENT EXECUTIVE BRANCH DEPARTMENTS
12 IS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE THE LEGISLATURE WITH A BETTER SENSE THAT
13 THE LEGISLATURE'S GOALS ARE BEING MET. STANDING INTERIM
14 COMMITTEES PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WITH INCREASED TIME TO
15 PERFORM AN IN-DEPTH REVIEW OF PARTICULAR ISSUES AND DEPARTMENTS.

1 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEES ALSO ALLOW FOR COLLEGIAL
2 CONVERSATIONS WITH AFFECTED PARTIES ABOUT WHAT DEPARTMENTS
3 SHOULD BE DOING TO ADDRESS THE STATE'S NEEDS, AS WELL AS ALLOWING
4 FOR A FOCUSED REVIEW OF STATUTES GOVERNING THE DEPARTMENT'S
5 EFFORTS. STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEES HAVE TIME TO CAREFULLY
6 CONSIDER THE STATE'S STATUTES AND ARE THUS BETTER EQUIPPED TO
7 ADJUST AND MODERNIZE THEM.

8 (b) IT IS IMPORTANT THAT STATE GOVERNMENT BE ACCOUNTABLE
9 AND TRANSPARENT IN SUCH A WAY THAT THE GENERAL PUBLIC CAN
10 UNDERSTAND THE VALUE RECEIVED FOR THE TAX DOLLARS SPENT BY THE
11 STATE;

12 (c) STATE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES SHOULD OPERATE UNDER A
13 PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT PHILOSOPHY IN WHICH EMPLOYEES FOCUS
14 ON TAXPAYER AND CUSTOMER SERVICE, UNDERPINNED BY THE CONSTANT
15 GOAL OF ACHIEVING OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE;

16 (d) THE ABILITY OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC, THE GENERAL
17 ASSEMBLY, THE GOVERNOR, AND STATE DEPARTMENTS TO ASSESS
18 DEPARTMENTS' PROGRESS IN ACHIEVING PERFORMANCE GOALS WILL LEAD
19 TO IMPROVEMENTS IN SERVICES RENDERED AND INCREASED EFFICIENCY IN
20 PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION, AS WELL AS TRANSPARENCY;

21 (e) THE ANNUAL BUDGET PROCESS SHOULD SERVE AS PART OF A
22 PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TO INCENTIVIZE CONTINUOUS
23 PROCESS IMPROVEMENT IN THE SERVICES DELIVERED TO CUSTOMERS AND
24 TAXPAYERS;

25 (f) A SYSTEM OF CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT IS A
26 CRITICAL AND NECESSARY COMPONENT OF A PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT
27 PHILOSOPHY;

1 (g) MEASURES FOR EVALUATING THE PERFORMANCE OF STATE
2 DEPARTMENTS SHOULD BE INTEGRATED INTO A FORMAL STATE PLANNING
3 PROCESS;

4 (h) A PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM WILL BE MORE USEFUL
5 AND RELIABLE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND THE PUBLIC IF
6 PERFORMANCE AUDITS OF THE DEPARTMENTS ARE COMPLETED; AND

7 (i) DEPARTMENTS NEED STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND FLEXIBILITY
8 TO USE THEIR RESOURCES IN THE BEST POSSIBLE WAY TO BETTER SERVE
9 THE PEOPLE OF COLORADO THROUGH THE EFFECTIVE ADMINISTRATION
10 AND DELIVERY OF GOVERNMENTAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES.

11 **2-7-202. Definitions.** AS USED IN THIS PART 2, UNLESS THE
12 CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:

13 (1) "COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE"
14 MEANS THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE
15 CREATED IN SECTION 16-11.3-102, C.R.S.

16 (2) "COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION" MEANS THE
17 COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION CREATED IN SECTION
18 23-1-102, C.R.S.

19 (3) "COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE" MEANS THE COLORADO ENERGY
20 OFFICE CREATED IN SECTION 24-38.5-101, C.R.S.

21 (4) "CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM" MEANS A
22 SYSTEM BASED ON LEAN GOVERNMENT PRINCIPLES OR ANOTHER WIDELY
23 ACCEPTED BUSINESS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM BY WHICH A
24 DEPARTMENT ENGAGES IN SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES THAT HAVE THE PURPOSE
25 OF INCREASING EFFICIENCY AND ELIMINATING WASTE IN THE PROCESSES
26 USED TO DELIVER GOODS AND SERVICES TO TAXPAYERS AND CUSTOMERS
27 OF STATE GOVERNMENT. A "CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT

1 SYSTEM" INCLUDES MEASURING THE OUTCOMES OF SUCH IMPROVEMENTS
2 AND MAY INVOLVE SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING STRATEGIES:

3 (a) THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PROCESS MAP THAT DESCRIBES THE
4 PROCEDURES BY WHICH A DEPARTMENT PRODUCES GOODS OR SERVES ITS
5 CUSTOMERS;

6 (b) SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES TO RAPIDLY IMPROVE A DEPARTMENT'S
7 PROCESSES THAT WILL INCREASE VALUE OR DECREASE STAFF TIME,
8 INVENTORY, DEFECTS, OVERPRODUCTION, COMPLEXITY, DELAYS, OR
9 EXCESSIVE MOVEMENT;

10 (c) THE INVOLVEMENT OF DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES AT ALL
11 LEVELS IN MAPPING A DEPARTMENT'S PROCESSES AND IN MAKING
12 RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS, WITH SPECIFIC IMPORTANCE
13 PLACED ON THE INVOLVEMENT OF DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES CLOSEST TO
14 THE CUSTOMER OR END USER OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT PRODUCT OR
15 SERVICE;

16 (d) PROVIDING THE MEANS TO MEASURE EACH PROCESS IN ORDER
17 TO DEMONSTRATE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF EACH PROCESS OR PROCESS
18 IMPROVEMENT; AND

19 (e) THE TRAINING OF DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES FOR PURPOSES OF
20 MENTORING AND TRAINING OTHER DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES IN
21 CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT METHODOLOGIES.

22 (5) (a) "DEPARTMENT" MEANS THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE
23 OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE
24 COUNSEL, THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE, THE PUBLIC
25 EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON
26 CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE, THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER
27 EDUCATION, THE COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC

1 DEVELOPMENT, AND THE PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS OF THE EXECUTIVE
2 BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 24-1-110,
3 C.R.S., INCLUDING ANY DIVISION, OFFICE, AGENCY, OR OTHER UNIT
4 CREATED WITHIN A PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT.

5 (b) FOR PURPOSES OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 2-7-211 (3),
6 "DEPARTMENT" MEANS THE PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS OF THE EXECUTIVE
7 BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 24-1-110,
8 C.R.S., INCLUDING ANY DIVISION, OFFICE, AGENCY, OR OTHER UNIT
9 CREATED WITHIN A PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT.

10 (6) "DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA" MEANS A DOCUMENT
11 PREPARED BY EACH PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH
12 OF STATE GOVERNMENT AND SUBMITTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND
13 MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 2-7-211 (3).
14 THE "DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA" CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING
15 INFORMATION:

16 (a) A LIST OF NEW RULES OR REVISIONS TO EXISTING RULES THAT
17 THE DEPARTMENT EXPECTS TO PROPOSE IN THE NEXT CALENDAR YEAR;

18 (b) THE STATUTORY OR OTHER BASIS FOR ADOPTION OF THE
19 PROPOSED RULES;

20 (c) THE PURPOSE OF THE PROPOSED RULES;

21 (d) THE CONTEMPLATED SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION OF THE RULES;

22 (e) AN IDENTIFICATION AND LISTING OF PERSONS OR PARTIES THAT
23 MAY BE AFFECTED POSITIVELY OR NEGATIVELY BY THE RULES; AND

24 (f) COMMENCING WITH DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS
25 SUBMITTED ON AND AFTER NOVEMBER 1, 2013, A LIST AND BRIEF
26 SUMMARY OF ALL PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY RULES ACTUALLY
27 ADOPTED SINCE THE PREVIOUS DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA

1 WAS FILED.

2 (7) "JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE" MEANS THE JOINT BUDGET
3 COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED IN SECTION 2-3-201.

4 (8) "LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE" MEANS THE LEGISLATIVE
5 AUDIT COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-3-101 (1).

6 (9) "LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL" OR "EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
7 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL" MEANS THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OR EXECUTIVE
8 COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CREATED IN SECTION 2-3-301.

9 (10) "OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL" MEANS THE
10 OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL CREATED IN SECTION 21-2-101,
11 C.R.S.

12 (11) "OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT" MEANS THE
13 COLORADO OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CREATED IN SECTION
14 24-38.5-101, C.R.S.

15 (12) "OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING" MEANS THE
16 OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING CREATED IN SECTION
17 24-37-102, C.R.S.

18 (13) "OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER" MEANS THE OFFICE OF
19 STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER CREATED IN SECTION 21-1-101, C.R.S.

20 (14) "OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE" MEANS THE OFFICE
21 OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE CREATED IN SECTION 13-91-104, C.R.S.

22 (15) "PERFORMANCE EVALUATION" MEANS A REGULAR REVIEW OF
23 A DEPARTMENT'S OUTCOMES AS COMPARED TO ITS PUBLISHED
24 PERFORMANCE GOALS. THE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION SHALL BE BASED
25 ON ACTUAL HISTORICAL INFORMATION.

26 (16) "PERFORMANCE GOAL" MEANS A SPECIFIC, QUANTIFIABLE
27 GOAL RELATED TO A PERFORMANCE MEASURE ADOPTED BY A

1 DEPARTMENT.

2 (17) "PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM" MEANS A FORMAL
3 SYSTEM OF MANAGING THE PROCESSES AND OPERATIONS OF
4 DEPARTMENTS.

5 (18) "PERFORMANCE MEASURE" MEANS A QUANTITATIVE
6 INDICATOR USED TO ASSESS THE OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE OF A
7 DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO A PUBLISHED PERFORMANCE PLAN. A
8 PERFORMANCE MEASURE SHOULD APPLY TO ACTIVITIES DIRECTLY UNDER
9 THE INFLUENCE OF A DEPARTMENT AND SHOULD DEMONSTRATE THE
10 DEPARTMENT'S EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS IN DELIVERING GOODS OR
11 SERVICES TO CUSTOMERS AND TAXPAYERS. PERFORMANCE MEASURES
12 SHOULD BE REASONABLY UNDERSTANDABLE TO THE PUBLIC.

13 (19) "PERFORMANCE PLAN" MEANS A DOCUMENT PREPARED BY A
14 DEPARTMENT AS PART OF A PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM. A
15 PERFORMANCE PLAN MUST INCORPORATE THE IMPACT OF MANAGEMENT
16 STRATEGIES AND CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES ON THE
17 COSTS AND EFFICIENCY OF DELIVERING GOODS AND SERVICES TO
18 TAXPAYERS AND CUSTOMERS OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

19 (20) "PROCESS MAP" MEANS A WRITTEN OR VISUAL PRESENTATION
20 THAT DESCRIBES THE STEPS INVOLVED IN PRODUCING A PRODUCT OR
21 SERVICE FROM BEGINNING TO END.

22 (21) "PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION" MEANS THE
23 PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION CREATED IN ARTICLE 51 OF
24 TITLE 24, C.R.S.

25 (22) "STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE" MEANS THE STANDING
26 EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-203, THE
27 STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE

1 CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-204, THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL
2 JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-205, THE STANDING
3 SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-206,
4 THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN
5 SECTION 2-7-207, THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND
6 MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-208,
7 AND THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN
8 SECTION 2-7-209.

9 (23) "STATE AUDITOR" MEANS THE STATE AUDITOR DESCRIBED IN
10 SECTION 2-3-102.

11 **2-7-203. Standing education interim committee established -**
12 **duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A STANDING INTERIM
13 COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES KNOWN AS
14 THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE, CONSISTING OF FIVE
15 MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE OF WHOM ARE
16 APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND
17 TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE
18 OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE, THREE OF
19 WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND TWO OF
20 WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE. WHEN
21 POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED FROM THE HOUSE
22 AND SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEES OR SUCH SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES.
23 THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES
24 AND POLICIES RELATED TO PRESCHOOL THROUGH POSTSECONDARY
25 EDUCATION, INCLUDING BASIC ADULT EDUCATION. THE MEMBERS OF THE
26 COMMITTEE SHALL BE APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE JULY 1 PRECEDING
27 THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE

1 WILL MEET. THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
2 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

3 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM
4 COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES MAY BE DESIGNATED AFTER THE GENERAL
5 ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE CONVENING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT
6 WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO SERVE, WHETHER SUCH APPOINTEES ARE
7 MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR
8 MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OR BOTH; AND SUCH
9 APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND DUTIES AND ARE ENTITLED TO
10 THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE AS MEMBERS DULY
11 APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION.

12 (3) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT
13 A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE
14 SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE
15 OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE. A MEMBER FROM THE
16 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE
17 DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
18 COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM
19 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. A MEMBER
20 FROM THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM
21 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND
22 VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
23 THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR SHALL
24 ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3) DURING EVERY INTERIM
25 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

26 (4) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
27 FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE HOUSE REPRESENTED BY THE

1 CHAIR.

2 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM
3 COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS APPOINTED TO
4 A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (8) OF THIS
5 SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND NECESSARY
6 TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS PURSUANT TO
8 SECTION 2-2-307.

9 (6) (a) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
10 DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ISSUES AND
11 POLICIES RELATED TO PRESCHOOL THROUGH POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION,
12 INCLUDING BASIC ADULT EDUCATION.

13 (b) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY GIVE
14 GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ITS POLICIES AND
15 PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE OVERVIEW OF AND INPUT
16 REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS TO:

17 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION;

18 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION;

19 (III) THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION;

20 (IV) THE STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS IN THE
21 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES; AND

22 (V) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE
23 STATE THAT REGULATES PRESCHOOL THROUGH POSTSECONDARY
24 EDUCATION, INCLUDING BASIC ADULT EDUCATION.

25 (c) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW
26 ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AS SPECIFIED IN
27 SECTION 2-7-210.

1 (d) (I) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
2 REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
3 AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND SHALL ALLOW TIME
4 FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE PLANS.

5 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
6 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE
7 TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL POSITION LETTER TO
8 THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL IMPACT OF A DEPARTMENT'S
9 PERFORMANCE PLAN.

10 (e) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW
11 ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS THAT IT RECEIVES PURSUANT
12 TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

13 (7) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY CONSULT
14 WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF PRESCHOOL THROUGH POSTSECONDARY
15 EDUCATION, INCLUDING BASIC ADULT EDUCATION, AND MAY CONSULT
16 WITH THE PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, THE
17 DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER
18 EDUCATION, AND THE STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS IN THE
19 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AS MAY BE NECESSARY. ALL
20 PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF
21 HIGHER EDUCATION, THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION, OR THE
22 STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL
23 RESOURCES, OR ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES PRESCHOOL
24 THROUGH POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION, INCLUDING BASIC ADULT
25 EDUCATION, SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY
26 PERSONS ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES
27 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

1 (8) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT
2 NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF PERSONS FROM THE
3 COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE EITHER ON OR
4 NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST OR EXPERTISE IN
5 A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN INTERIM BETWEEN
6 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT TO THE TASK
7 FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE POLICY ISSUE BE
8 INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
9 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL, TO THE
10 EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES THAT
11 EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN
12 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE
13 AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR.
14 ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION
15 AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY
16 ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT
17 ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

18 (9) THE STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY HOLD
19 MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA TO HEAR PUBLIC
20 TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE COMMITTEE
21 WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING ANY
22 EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE
23 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY
24 SUCH MEETINGS.

25 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING EDUCATION
26 INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST BE TREATED AS LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED
27 BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE FOR PURPOSES OF ANY

1 INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS IMPOSED BY THE JOINT
2 RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

3 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
4 EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SUCH DATA, REPORTS, OR INFORMATION
5 AS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

6 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
7 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING EDUCATION
8 INTERIM COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

9 **2-7-204. Standing health care and human services interim**
10 **committee established - duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A
11 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF
12 REPRESENTATIVES KNOWN AS THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN
13 SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE, CONSISTING OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE
14 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE
15 SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND TWO OF WHOM ARE
16 APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF
17 REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE, THREE OF WHOM
18 ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND TWO OF WHOM
19 ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE. WHEN
20 POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED FROM THE HOUSE
21 PUBLIC HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE, THE HOUSE
22 HEALTH, INSURANCE, AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, AND THE SENATE
23 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE, OR SUCH SUCCESSOR
24 COMMITTEES. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE
25 EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO HEALTH, HEALTH
26 CARE, HUMAN SERVICES, AND INSURANCE. THE MEMBERS OF THE
27 COMMITTEE SHALL BE APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE JULY 1 PRECEDING

1 THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE
2 WILL MEET. THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
3 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

4 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND
5 HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES MAY BE DESIGNATED
6 AFTER THE GENERAL ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE CONVENING OF THE
7 GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO SERVE, WHETHER
8 SUCH APPOINTEES ARE MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OR MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OR
10 BOTH; AND SUCH APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND DUTIES AND ARE
11 ENTITLED TO THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE AS
12 MEMBERS DULY APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF
13 THIS SECTION.

14 (3) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
15 COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE
16 MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM
17 THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE
18 COMMITTEE. A MEMBER FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE
19 THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN
20 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR
21 DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
22 COMMITTEE MEETS. A MEMBER FROM THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR
23 DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
24 COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN
25 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND
26 VICE-CHAIR SHALL ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3)
27 DURING EVERY INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE

1 COMMITTEE MEETS.

2 (4) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
3 COMMITTEE SHALL FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE HOUSE
4 REPRESENTED BY THE CHAIR.

5 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN
6 SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE
7 MEMBERS APPOINTED TO A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO
8 SUBSECTION (8) OF THIS SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL
9 PER DIEM AND NECESSARY TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR
10 MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE
11 MEETINGS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-2-307.

12 (6) (a) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES
13 INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
14 CONCERNING ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO HEALTH, HEALTH CARE,
15 HUMAN SERVICES, AND INSURANCE.

16 (b) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
17 COMMITTEE MAY GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT
18 OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE OVERVIEW OF
19 AND INPUT REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS POLICIES AND
20 PROGRAMS TO:

21 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING;

22 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES;

23 (III) THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT;

24 AND

25 (IV) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE
26 STATE THAT REGULATES HEALTH, HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES, AND
27 INSURANCE.

1 (c) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
2 COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE
3 COUNCIL AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

4 (d) (I) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES
5 INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE
6 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING, THE DEPARTMENT
7 OF HUMAN SERVICES, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND
8 ENVIRONMENT AND SHALL ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY
9 REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE PLANS.

10 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
11 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN
12 SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN
13 OFFICIAL POSITION LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL
14 IMPACT OF A DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

15 (e) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
16 COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS
17 THAT IT RECEIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

18 (7) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
19 COMMITTEE MAY CONSULT WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF HEALTH,
20 HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES, AND INSURANCE, AND MAY CONSULT
21 WITH THE PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND
22 FINANCING, THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, AND THE
23 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT AS MAY BE
24 NECESSARY. ALL PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE
25 POLICY AND FINANCING, THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, OR THE
26 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT, OR ANY OTHER
27 DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES HEALTH, HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES,

1 AND INSURANCE, SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY
2 PERSONS ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES
3 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

4 (8) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
5 COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF
6 PERSONS FROM THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO
7 ARE EITHER ON OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST
8 OR EXPERTISE IN A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN
9 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT
10 TO THE TASK FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE
11 POLICY ISSUE BE INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN
12 SECTION 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL,
13 TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES
14 THAT EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN
15 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE
16 AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE
17 SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT
18 FOR EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND
19 SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF
20 ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

21 (9) THE STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
22 COMMITTEE MAY HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA
23 TO HEAR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE
24 COMMITTEE WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING
25 ANY EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE
26 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY
27 SUCH MEETINGS.

1 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING HEALTH
2 CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST BE TREATED AS
3 LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
4 FOR PURPOSES OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS
5 IMPOSED BY THE JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

6 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
7 HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE SUCH DATA,
8 REPORTS, OR INFORMATION AS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF
9 THE COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

10 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
11 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING HEALTH CARE
12 AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

13 **2-7-205. Standing judiciary and criminal justice interim**
14 **committee established - duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A
15 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF
16 REPRESENTATIVES KNOWN AS THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL
17 JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE, CONSISTING OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE
18 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE
19 SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND TWO OF WHOM ARE
20 APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF
21 REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE, THREE OF WHOM
22 ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND TWO OF WHOM
23 ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE. WHEN
24 POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED FROM THE HOUSE
25 AND SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEES OR SUCH SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES.
26 THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES
27 AND POLICIES RELATED TO CHILDREN AND DOMESTIC MATTERS, CIVIL LAW,

1 CORRECTIONS, YOUTH CORRECTIONS, CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE,
2 JUVENILE LAW, OR PROBATE AND TRUSTS. THE MEMBERS OF THE
3 COMMITTEE SHALL BE APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE JULY 1 PRECEDING
4 THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE
5 WILL MEET. THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
6 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

7 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND
8 CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES MAY BE DESIGNATED
9 AFTER THE GENERAL ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE CONVENING OF THE
10 GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO SERVE, WHETHER
11 SUCH APPOINTEES ARE MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT GENERAL
12 ASSEMBLY OR MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OR
13 BOTH; AND SUCH APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND DUTIES AND ARE
14 ENTITLED TO THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE AS
15 MEMBERS DULY APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF
16 THIS SECTION.

17 (3) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
18 COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE
19 MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM
20 THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE
21 COMMITTEE. A MEMBER FROM THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE
22 COMMITTEE DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
23 THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND
24 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.
25 A MEMBER FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR
26 DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
27 COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN

1 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND
2 VICE-CHAIR SHALL ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3)
3 DURING EVERY INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
4 COMMITTEE MEETS.

5 (4) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
6 COMMITTEE SHALL FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE HOUSE
7 REPRESENTED BY THE CHAIR.

8 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL
9 JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS
10 APPOINTED TO A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (8)
11 OF THIS SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND
12 NECESSARY TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE
13 GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS
14 PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-2-307.

15 (6) (a) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
16 COMMITTEE MAY DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING
17 ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO CHILDREN AND DOMESTIC MATTERS,
18 CIVIL LAW, CORRECTIONS, YOUTH CORRECTIONS, CRIMINAL LAW AND
19 PROCEDURE, JUVENILE LAW, AND PROBATE AND TRUSTS.

20 (b) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
21 COMMITTEE MAY GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT
22 OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE OVERVIEW OF
23 AND INPUT REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS POLICIES AND
24 PROGRAMS TO:

25 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS;

26 (II) THE DIVISION OF YOUTH CORRECTIONS;

27 (III) THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW;

1 (IV) THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY;

2 (V) THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT;

3 (VI) (A) THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE

4 JUSTICE;

5 (B) THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE

6 JUSTICE SHALL ANNUALLY BRIEF THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL

7 JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON ANY LEGISLATION IT SEEKS TO ENACT;

8 (VII) THE OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER;

9 (VIII) THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL;

10 (IX) THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE; AND

11 (X) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE

12 STATE THAT REGULATES IN THE AREAS OF CHILDREN AND DOMESTIC

13 MATTERS, CIVIL LAW, CORRECTIONS, YOUTH CORRECTIONS, CRIMINAL LAW

14 AND PROCEDURE, JUVENILE LAW, OR PROBATE AND TRUSTS.

15 (c) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM

16 COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE

17 COUNCIL AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

18 (d) (I) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM

19 COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE

20 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, THE DIVISION OF YOUTH CORRECTIONS IN

21 THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE

22 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE

23 OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE

24 COUNSEL, THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE, AND THE

25 COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE, AND SHALL

26 ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE

27 PLANS.

1 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
2 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL
3 JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN
4 OFFICIAL POSITION LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL
5 IMPACT OF A DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

6 (e) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
7 COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS
8 THAT IT RECEIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

9 (7) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
10 COMMITTEE MAY CONSULT WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF CHILDREN AND
11 DOMESTIC MATTERS, CIVIL LAW, CORRECTIONS, YOUTH CORRECTIONS,
12 CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE, JUVENILE LAW, AND PROBATE AND
13 TRUSTS, AND MAY CONSULT WITH THE PERSONNEL OF DEPARTMENT OF
14 CORRECTIONS, THE DIVISION OF YOUTH CORRECTIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT
15 OF HUMAN SERVICES, THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE DEPARTMENT OF
16 PUBLIC SAFETY, THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC
17 DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL, THE OFFICE OF
18 THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE, AND THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON
19 CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE AS MAY BE NECESSARY. ALL PERSONNEL
20 OF DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, THE DIVISION OF YOUTH CORRECTIONS
21 IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE
22 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE
23 OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE
24 COUNSEL, THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE, OR THE
25 COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE, OR ANY
26 OTHER DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES IN THE AREAS OF CHILDREN AND
27 DOMESTIC MATTERS, CIVIL LAW, CORRECTIONS, YOUTH CORRECTIONS,

1 CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE, JUVENILE LAW, OR PROBATE AND TRUSTS
2 SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY PERSONS
3 ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO
4 THIS SECTION.

5 (8) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
6 COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF
7 PERSONS FROM THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO
8 ARE EITHER ON OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST
9 OR EXPERTISE IN A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN
10 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT
11 TO THE TASK FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE
12 POLICY ISSUE BE INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN
13 SECTION 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL,
14 TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES
15 THAT EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN
16 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE
17 AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE
18 SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT
19 FOR EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND
20 SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF
21 ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

22 (9) THE STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
23 COMMITTEE MAY HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA
24 TO HEAR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE
25 COMMITTEE WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING
26 ANY EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE
27 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY

1 SUCH MEETINGS.

2 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING JUDICIARY
3 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST BE TREATED AS
4 LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
5 FOR PURPOSES OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS
6 IMPOSED BY THE JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

7 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
8 JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE SUCH DATA,
9 REPORTS, OR INFORMATION AS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF
10 THE COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

11 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
12 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING JUDICIARY
13 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

14 **2-7-206. Standing science and energy interim committee**
15 **established - duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A STANDING
16 INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
17 KNOWN AS THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE,
18 CONSISTING OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE
19 OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
20 REPRESENTATIVES AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY
21 LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE
22 SENATE, THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE
23 SENATE AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF
24 THE SENATE. WHEN POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED
25 FROM THE HOUSE AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, AND NATURAL RESOURCES
26 COMMITTEE, AND THE SENATE AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND
27 ENERGY COMMITTEE, OR SUCH SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES. THE MEMBERS OF

1 THE COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES AND POLICIES
2 RELATED TO AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, NATURAL RESOURCES, PUBLIC
3 UTILITIES, OR ENERGY. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE
4 APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE JULY 1 PRECEDING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
5 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET. THE
6 COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE
7 SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

8 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING SCIENCE AND
9 ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES MAY BE DESIGNATED AFTER
10 THE GENERAL ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE CONVENING OF THE GENERAL
11 ASSEMBLY AT WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO SERVE, WHETHER SUCH
12 APPOINTEES ARE MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR
13 MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OR BOTH; AND SUCH
14 APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND DUTIES AND ARE ENTITLED TO
15 THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE AS MEMBERS DULY
16 APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION.

17 (3) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
18 SHALL ELECT A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE
19 SENATE SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF
20 THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE. A MEMBER
21 FROM THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE DURING THE
22 FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE
23 MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN
24 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. A MEMBER FROM
25 THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR DURING THE
26 SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE
27 MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE

1 SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR
2 SHALL ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3) DURING EVERY
3 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

4 (4) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
5 SHALL FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE HOUSE REPRESENTED BY
6 THE CHAIR.

7 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY
8 INTERIM COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS
9 APPOINTED TO A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (8)
10 OF THIS SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND
11 NECESSARY TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE
12 GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS
13 PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-2-307.

14 (6) (a) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
15 MAY DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ISSUES AND
16 POLICIES RELATED TO AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, NATURAL RESOURCES,
17 PUBLIC UTILITIES, AND ENERGY.

18 (b) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
19 MAY GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ITS
20 POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE OVERVIEW OF AND
21 INPUT REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS
22 TO:

- 23 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE;
- 24 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES;
- 25 (III) THE STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS;
- 26 (IV) THE COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE; AND
- 27 (V) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE

1 STATE THAT REGULATES AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, NATURAL RESOURCES,
2 PUBLIC UTILITIES, AND ENERGY.

3 (c) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
4 SHALL REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AS
5 SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

6 (d) (I) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
7 SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
8 AGRICULTURE, THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, THE STATE
9 BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS, AND THE COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE
10 AND SHALL ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING SUCH
11 PERFORMANCE PLANS.

12 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
13 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM
14 COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL POSITION
15 LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL IMPACT OF A
16 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

17 (e) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
18 SHALL REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS THAT IT
19 RECEIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

20 (7) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
21 MAY CONSULT WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK,
22 NATURAL RESOURCES, PUBLIC UTILITIES, AND ENERGY, AND MAY CONSULT
23 WITH THE PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, THE
24 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, THE STATE BOARD OF LAND
25 COMMISSIONERS, AND THE COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE AS MAY BE
26 NECESSARY. ALL PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, THE
27 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, THE STATE BOARD OF LAND

1 COMMISSIONERS, AND THE COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE, OR ANY OTHER
2 DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, NATURAL
3 RESOURCES, PUBLIC UTILITIES, OR ENERGY SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE
4 COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY PERSONS ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN
5 CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

6 (8) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
7 MAY APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF PERSONS
8 FROM THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE
9 EITHER ON OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST OR
10 EXPERTISE IN A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN
11 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT
12 TO THE TASK FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE
13 POLICY ISSUE BE INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN
14 SECTION 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL,
15 TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES
16 THAT EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN
17 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE
18 AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE
19 SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT
20 FOR EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND
21 SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF
22 ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

23 (9) THE STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE
24 MAY HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA TO HEAR
25 PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE
26 COMMITTEE WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING
27 ANY EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE

1 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY
2 SUCH MEETINGS.

3 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING SCIENCE AND
4 ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST BE TREATED AS LEGISLATION
5 RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE FOR PURPOSES
6 OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS IMPOSED BY THE
7 JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

8 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
9 SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE SUCH DATA, REPORTS, OR
10 INFORMATION AS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE
11 COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

12 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
13 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING SCIENCE AND
14 ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

15 **2-7-207. Standing finance and business interim committee**
16 **established - duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED A STANDING
17 INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
18 KNOWN AS THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE,
19 CONSISTING OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE
20 OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
21 REPRESENTATIVES AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY
22 LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE
23 SENATE, THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE
24 SENATE AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF
25 THE SENATE. WHEN POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED
26 FROM THE HOUSE AND SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEES, THE HOUSE AND
27 SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES, THE HOUSE BUSINESS, LABOR, AND

1 ECONOMIC WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, OR THE SENATE
2 BUSINESS, LABOR, AND TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE, OR SUCH SUCCESSOR
3 COMMITTEES. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD HAVE
4 EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO STATE AND LOCAL
5 GOVERNMENT FINANCE, TAXATION, BUSINESS, LABOR AND INDUSTRY,
6 PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, OR TOURISM.
7 THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE APPOINTED NO LATER THAN
8 THE JULY 1 PRECEDING THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN
9 WHICH THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET. THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING
10 THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
11 2-7-210.

12 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING FINANCE AND
13 BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES MAY BE DESIGNATED AFTER
14 THE GENERAL ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE CONVENING OF THE GENERAL
15 ASSEMBLY AT WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO SERVE, WHETHER SUCH
16 APPOINTEES ARE MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR
17 MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL ASSEMBLY, OR BOTH; AND SUCH
18 APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND DUTIES AND ARE ENTITLED TO
19 THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE AS MEMBERS DULY
20 APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION.

21 (3) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
22 SHALL ELECT A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE
23 SENATE SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF
24 THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE. A MEMBER
25 FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE
26 COMMITTEE DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
27 THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND

1 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.
2 A MEMBER FROM THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR DURING THE SECOND
3 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS
4 AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE
5 SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR
6 SHALL ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3) DURING EVERY
7 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

8 (4) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
9 SHALL FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE HOUSE REPRESENTED BY
10 THE CHAIR.

11 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS
12 INTERIM COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS
13 APPOINTED TO A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (8)
14 OF THIS SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND
15 NECESSARY TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE
16 GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS
17 PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-2-307.

18 (6) (a) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
19 MAY DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ISSUES AND
20 POLICIES RELATED TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE,
21 TAXATION, BUSINESS, LABOR AND INDUSTRY, PROFESSIONS AND
22 OCCUPATIONS, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM.

23 (b) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
24 MAY GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF ITS
25 POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE OVERVIEW OF AND
26 INPUT REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS
27 TO:

1 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL;
2 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE;
3 (III) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT;
4 (IV) THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY;
5 (V) THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT; AND
6 (VI) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE
7 STATE THAT REGULATES STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE,
8 TAXATION, BUSINESS, LABOR AND INDUSTRY, PROFESSIONS AND
9 OCCUPATIONS, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM.

10 (c) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
11 SHALL REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AS
12 SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

13 (d) (I) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
14 SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
15 PERSONNEL, THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE
16 TREASURY, THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, AND THE
17 OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SHALL ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC
18 TESTIMONY REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE PLANS.

19 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
20 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM
21 COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL POSITION
22 LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL IMPACT OF A
23 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

24 (e) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
25 SHALL REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS THAT IT
26 RECEIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

27 (7) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE

1 MAY CONSULT WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF STATE AND LOCAL
2 GOVERNMENT FINANCE, TAXATION, BUSINESS, LABOR AND INDUSTRY,
3 PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND
4 TOURISM, AND MAY CONSULT WITH THE PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT
5 OF PERSONNEL, THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE
6 TREASURY, THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, AND THE
7 OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AS MAY BE NECESSARY. ALL
8 PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL, THE DEPARTMENT OF
9 REVENUE, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, AND THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT,
11 OR ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES STATE AND LOCAL
12 GOVERNMENT FINANCE, TAXATION, BUSINESS, LABOR AND INDUSTRY,
13 PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, OR TOURISM
14 SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY PERSONS
15 ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO
16 THIS SECTION.

17 (8) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
18 MAY APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF PERSONS
19 FROM THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE
20 EITHER ON OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST OR
21 EXPERTISE IN A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN
22 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT
23 TO THE TASK FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE
24 POLICY ISSUE BE INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN
25 SECTION 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL,
26 TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES
27 THAT EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN

1 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE STANDING
2 FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY
3 THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE SHALL SERVE WITHOUT
4 COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES. A TASK
5 FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT
6 ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

7 (9) THE STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE
8 MAY HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA TO HEAR
9 PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE
10 COMMITTEE WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING
11 ANY EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE
12 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY
13 SUCH MEETINGS.

14 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING FINANCE AND
15 BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST BE TREATED AS LEGISLATION
16 RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE FOR PURPOSES
17 OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS IMPOSED BY THE
18 JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

19 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
20 FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE SUCH DATA, REPORTS, OR
21 INFORMATION AS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE
22 COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

23 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
24 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING FINANCE AND
25 BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

26 **2-7-208. Standing state and local government and military**
27 **affairs interim committee established - duties.** (1) THERE IS HEREBY

1 ESTABLISHED A STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND
2 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES KNOWN AS THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL
3 GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE, CONSISTING
4 OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THREE OF WHOM
5 ARE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND
6 TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE
7 OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE, THREE OF
8 WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND TWO OF
9 WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE. WHEN
10 POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED FROM THE HOUSE
11 AND SENATE STATE, VETERANS, AND MILITARY AFFAIRS COMMITTEES AND
12 THE HOUSE AND SENATE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES, OR SUCH
13 SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD
14 HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO ELECTIONS,
15 STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT,
16 THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, THE FIRE AND POLICE
17 PENSION ASSOCIATION, OR MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS. THE
18 MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE
19 JULY 1 PRECEDING THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN
20 WHICH THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET. THE COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING
21 THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
22 2-7-210.

23 (2) TO EXPEDITE THE WORK OF THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL
24 GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE, APPOINTEES
25 MAY BE DESIGNATED AFTER THE GENERAL ELECTION AND PRIOR TO THE
26 CONVENING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT WHICH SUCH COMMITTEE IS TO
27 SERVE, WHETHER SUCH APPOINTEES ARE MEMBERS OF THE THEN-CURRENT

1 GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE NEXT GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY, OR BOTH; AND SUCH APPOINTEES HAVE ALL THE POWERS AND
3 DUTIES AND ARE ENTITLED TO THE SAME COMPENSATION AND EXPENSE
4 ALLOWANCE AS MEMBERS DULY APPOINTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF
5 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION.

6 (3) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
7 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR,
8 ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE
9 AND ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
10 SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE. A MEMBER FROM THE HOUSE OF
11 REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE DURING THE
12 FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE
13 MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN
14 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. A MEMBER FROM
15 THE SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN
16 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND VICE-CHAIR
17 DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE
18 COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR SHALL ALTERNATE AS
19 SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3) DURING EVERY INTERIM BETWEEN
20 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

21 (4) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
22 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL FOLLOW THE RULES OF PROCEDURE
23 OF THE HOUSE REPRESENTED BY THE CHAIR.

24 (5) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL
25 GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE, NOT
26 INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS APPOINTED TO A TASK FORCE AS
27 ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (8) OF THIS SECTION, ARE ENTITLED

1 TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND NECESSARY TRAVEL AND EXPENSES
2 AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND
3 INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-2-307.

4 (6) (a) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND
5 MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY DEVELOP AND MAKE
6 RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO
7 ELECTIONS, STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STATE AND LOCAL
8 GOVERNMENT, THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, THE
9 FIRE AND POLICE PENSION ASSOCIATION, AND MILITARY AND VETERANS
10 AFFAIRS.

11 (b) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
12 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION IN THE
13 DEVELOPMENT OF ITS POLICIES AND PROGRAMS AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE
14 OVERVIEW OF AND INPUT REGARDING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS
15 POLICIES AND PROGRAMS TO:

- 16 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS;
- 17 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS;
- 18 (III) THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES;
- 19 (IV) THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE;
- 20 (V) THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION; AND
- 21 (VI) ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE
22 STATE THAT REGULATES ELECTIONS, STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES,
23 STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT, THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
24 ASSOCIATION, THE FIRE AND POLICE PENSION ASSOCIATION, AND MILITARY
25 AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

26 (c) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
27 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY

1 THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

2 (d) [Formerly 31-31-1001 (2)] THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL
3 GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL STUDY
4 AND DEVELOP PROPOSED LEGISLATION RELATING TO FUNDING OF POLICE
5 OFFICERS' AND FIREFIGHTERS' PENSIONS IN THIS STATE AND BENEFIT
6 DESIGNS OF SUCH PENSION PLANS. THE COMMITTEE STUDY SHALL INCLUDE
7 A REVIEW OF, AND THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION MAY INCLUDE, AMONG
8 OTHER SUBJECTS, THE FOLLOWING:

- 9 (I) NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE AND COMPULSORY RETIREMENT;
- 10 (II) PAYMENT OF BENEFITS PRIOR TO NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE;
- 11 (III) SERVICE REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY;
- 12 (IV) RATE OF ACCRUAL OF BENEFITS;
- 13 (V) DISABILITY BENEFITS;
- 14 (VI) SURVIVORS' BENEFITS;
- 15 (VII) VESTING OF BENEFITS;
- 16 (VIII) EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS;
- 17 (IX) POSTRETIREMENT INCREASES;
- 18 (X) CREATION OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD;
- 19 (XI) CREATION OF A CONSOLIDATED STATEWIDE SYSTEM;
- 20 (XII) DISTRIBUTION OF STATE FUNDS;
- 21 (XIII) COORDINATION OF BENEFITS WITH OTHER PROGRAMS;
- 22 (XIV) THE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER PENSION SYSTEM;
- 23 (XV) THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLES 30.5 AND 31 OF TITLE 31,
24 C.R.S.

25 (e) (I) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND
26 MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE
27 PLANS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF

1 MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY
2 AGENCIES, THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, AND THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES'
3 RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION AND SHALL ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC
4 TESTIMONY REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE PLANS.

5 (II) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
6 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
7 AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR
8 TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL POSITION LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING
9 ANY LOCAL IMPACT OF A DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

10 (f) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
11 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL
12 REGULATORY AGENDAS THAT IT RECEIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211
13 (3).

14 (7) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
15 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY CONSULT WITH EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS
16 OF ELECTIONS, STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STATE AND LOCAL
17 GOVERNMENT, THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, THE
18 FIRE AND POLICE PENSION ASSOCIATION, AND MILITARY AND VETERANS
19 AFFAIRS, AND MAY CONSULT WITH THE PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT
20 OF LOCAL AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS
21 AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES, THE DEPARTMENT
22 OF STATE, THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, AND THE
23 FIRE AND POLICE PENSION ASSOCIATION AS MAY BE NECESSARY. ALL
24 PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF
25 MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY
26 AGENCIES, THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES'
27 RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, AND THE FIRE AND POLICE PENSION

1 ASSOCIATION, OR ANY OTHER DEPARTMENT THAT REGULATES ELECTIONS,
2 STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT,
3 THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, THE FIRE AND POLICE
4 PENSION ASSOCIATION, OR MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS SHALL
5 COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY PERSONS ASSISTING THE
6 COMMITTEE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

7 (8) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
8 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK
9 FORCES MADE UP OF PERSONS FROM THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING
10 LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE EITHER ON OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE,
11 WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST OR EXPERTISE IN A PARTICULAR POLICY
12 ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE
13 SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT TO THE TASK FORCE THE
14 LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE POLICY ISSUE BE INCLUDED
15 ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210. IN
16 APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL, TO THE EXTENT
17 POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES THAT EXISTS ON
18 THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN ADVISORY
19 CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE AS OFTEN
20 AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE SHALL
21 SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT FOR
22 EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND SERVICES
23 FROM A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF ADVISING
24 THE COMMITTEE.

25 (9) THE STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
26 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE
27 DENVER METRO AREA TO HEAR PUBLIC TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS

1 ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE COMMITTEE WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS,
2 PERMISSION FOR INCURRING ANY EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT
3 MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4)
4 PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY SUCH MEETINGS.

5 (10) LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE STANDING STATE AND
6 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE MUST
7 BE TREATED AS LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE
8 COMMITTEE FOR PURPOSES OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL
9 LIMITATIONS IMPOSED BY THE JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

10 (11) A DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE STANDING
11 STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM
12 COMMITTEE SUCH DATA, REPORTS, OR INFORMATION AS ARE NECESSARY
13 FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THE COMMITTEE'S DUTIES.

14 (12) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
15 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE STANDING STATE AND
16 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE IN
17 CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES.

18 **2-7-209. Standing transportation interim committee**
19 **established - duties. [Formerly 43-2-145]** (1) (a) THE STANDING
20 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE IS HEREBY CREATED IN ORDER TO
21 GIVE GUIDANCE AND DIRECTION TO:

22 (I) THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN THE DEVELOPMENT
23 OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM AND PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE
24 OVERVIEW OF AND INPUT INTO SUCH DEVELOPMENT;

25 (II) THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE IN THE LICENSING OF DRIVERS
26 AND REGISTRATION AND TITLING OF MOTOR VEHICLES; AND

27 (III) ANY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF

1 COLORADO THAT REGULATES MOTOR VEHICLES OR TRAFFIC, INCLUDING,
2 WITHOUT LIMITATION, PENALTIES IMPOSED FOR VIOLATING TRAFFIC
3 STATUTES AND RULES.

4 (b) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
5 MEET AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210 TO REVIEW TRANSPORTATION,
6 TRAFFIC, AND MOTOR VEHICLE LEGISLATION AND MAY CONSULT WITH
7 EXPERTS IN THE FIELDS OF TRAFFIC REGULATION, THE LICENSING OF
8 DRIVERS, THE REGISTRATION AND TITLING OF MOTOR VEHICLES, AND
9 HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND PLANNING AND MAY CONSULT WITH THE
10 PERSONNEL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR THE
11 DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AS MAY BE NECESSARY. ALL PERSONNEL OF
12 THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, OR
13 ANY STATE AGENCY OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF COLORADO THAT
14 REGULATES MOTOR VEHICLES OR TRAFFIC SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE
15 COMMITTEE AND WITH ANY PERSONS ASSISTING THE COMMITTEE IN
16 CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

17 (c) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
18 REVIEW ANY PHASE OF DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OPERATIONS,
19 INCLUDING PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAY PROJECTS, PRIOR
20 TO AND DURING THE COMPLETION OF SUCH PROJECTS. THE COMMITTEE
21 MAY ALSO CONDUCT A POSTOPERATION REVIEW OF SUCH PROJECTS TO
22 DETERMINE WHETHER THE PROJECT WAS COMPLETED IN THE MOST
23 COST-EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT MANNER.

24 (d) THE COMMITTEE MAY REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF
25 TRANSPORTATION TO PREPARE AND ADOPT FIVE-, TEN-, AND FIFTEEN-YEAR
26 PLANS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM,
27 AND THE COMMITTEE SHALL MONITOR THE PROGRESS OF SUCH PLANS.

1 (e) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
2 REQUIRE FINANCIAL OR PERFORMANCE AUDITS TO BE CONDUCTED.

3 (f) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
4 ALSO DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING THE
5 FINANCING OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM.

6 (g) UPON COMPLETION OF ITS REVIEW OF THE TRANSPORTATION
7 LAWS, THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL MAKE
8 RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNOR AND TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
9 FOR SUCH ADDITIONAL LEGISLATION AS IT DEEMS NECESSARY.
10 LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE TREATED AS
11 LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
12 FOR PURPOSES OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS
13 IMPOSED BY THE JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

14 (h) PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 2016, THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION
15 INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL DEVELOP AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
16 CONCERNING THE FINANCING OF THE COMPLETION OF THE STRATEGIC
17 TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS IDENTIFIED BY THE DEPARTMENT AS THE
18 "SEVENTH POT PROJECTS". NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 1, 2016, THE
19 COMMITTEE SHALL RECOMMEND LEGISLATION TO IMPLEMENT THE
20 RECOMMENDATIONS, AND SUCH LEGISLATION SHALL BE TREATED AS
21 LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED BY AN INTERIM LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
22 FOR PURPOSES OF ANY INTRODUCTION DEADLINES OR BILL LIMITATIONS
23 IMPOSED BY THE JOINT RULES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; EXCEPT THAT
24 THE BILLS SHALL NOT BE SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY OR APPROVAL OF
25 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

26 (2) (a) (I) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (2), "AGENCY"
27 MEANS ANY STATE, REGIONAL, OR LOCAL AGENCY, AUTHORITY,

1 DEPARTMENT, DISTRICT, OR ORGANIZATION, OTHER THAN AN INDIVIDUAL
2 MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY, THAT:

3 (A) IS RESPONSIBLE FOR RESEARCHING, PLANNING, DEVELOPING,
4 OR IMPROVING TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, MASS TRANSIT SYSTEMS, OR
5 REGIONAL PLANS THAT INCLUDE THE PROVISION OF MASS TRANSIT WITHIN
6 THE JURISDICTION OF THE AGENCY; AND

7 (B) HAS OR MAY HAVE OVERLAPPING OR COTERMINOUS
8 JURISDICTION WITH ANOTHER AGENCY.

9 (II) THE TERM "AGENCY" INCLUDES, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE
10 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, THE REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION
11 DISTRICT, THE COLORADO INTERMOUNTAIN FIXED GUIDEWAY AUTHORITY,
12 AND THE DENVER REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS.

13 (b) EACH AGENCY SHALL SHARE INFORMATION AND COORDINATE
14 EFFORTS WITH OTHER AGENCIES IN THE RESEARCH, PLANNING, AND
15 DEVELOPMENT OF MASS TRANSIT SYSTEMS TO AVOID THE CREATION OF
16 DUPLICATIVE OR CONFLICTING MASS TRANSIT SYSTEMS IN THE STATE. THE
17 STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY REVIEW THE
18 OPERATIONS OF ANY AGENCY TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE
19 PROVISIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH (B). IN CONNECTION WITH THE REVIEW OF
20 THE COMMITTEE, ANY AGENCY REQUIRED TO SHARE INFORMATION AND
21 COORDINATE EFFORTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS PARAGRAPH (B) SHALL
22 REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE NO LATER THAN AUGUST 15, 2013, AND EACH
23 AUGUST 15 THEREAFTER REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH THIS PARAGRAPH
24 (b).

25 (3) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
26 REVIEW ANY PHASE OF OPERATIONS OF ANY PUBLIC HIGHWAY AUTHORITY
27 CREATED PURSUANT TO PART 5 OF ARTICLE 4 OF TITLE 42, C.R.S.,

1 INCLUDING PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC HIGHWAY PROJECTS,
2 PRIOR TO AND DURING THE COMPLETION OF SUCH PROJECTS. THE
3 COMMITTEE MAY ALSO CONDUCT A POSTOPERATION REVIEW OF A PROJECT
4 TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE PROJECT WAS COMPLETED IN THE MOST
5 COST-EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT MANNER. THE COMMITTEE MAY REQUIRE
6 ANY PUBLIC HIGHWAY AUTHORITY TO PREPARE AND ADOPT LONG-RANGE
7 PLANS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS, AND THE
8 COMMITTEE SHALL MONITOR THE PROGRESS OF SUCH PLANS. THE
9 COMMITTEE MAY ALSO REQUIRE THE STATE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A
10 FINANCIAL OR PERFORMANCE AUDIT OF ANY PUBLIC HIGHWAY AUTHORITY.

11 (4) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
12 REVIEW ANY PHASE OF OPERATIONS OF ANY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION
13 AUTHORITY CREATED PURSUANT TO PART 6 OF ARTICLE 4 OF TITLE 42,
14 C.R.S., INCLUDING THE PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF REGIONAL
15 TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, PRIOR TO AND DURING THE COMPLETION OF
16 SUCH SYSTEMS. THE COMMITTEE MAY ALSO CONDUCT A POSTOPERATION
17 REVIEW OF ANY SYSTEM TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE SYSTEM WAS
18 COMPLETED IN THE MOST COST-EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT MANNER. THE
19 COMMITTEE MAY REQUIRE ANY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
20 TO PREPARE AND ADOPT LONG-RANGE PLANS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF
21 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, AND THE COMMITTEE SHALL
22 MONITOR THE PROGRESS OF THE PLANS. THE COMMITTEE MAY ALSO
23 REQUIRE FINANCIAL OR PERFORMANCE AUDITS TO BE CONDUCTED.

24 (5) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
25 REVIEW ANY MATTERS ASSIGNED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AS
26 SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210.

27 (6) (a) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE

1 SHALL REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
2 TRANSPORTATION AND SHALL ALLOW TIME FOR PUBLIC TESTIMONY
3 REGARDING SUCH PERFORMANCE PLAN.

4 (b) ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO
5 ATTEND THE MEETINGS OF THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
6 COMMITTEE TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY OR TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL POSITION
7 LETTER TO THE COMMITTEE REGARDING ANY LOCAL IMPACT OF THE
8 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN.

9 (7) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
10 REVIEW ANY DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDAS THAT IT RECEIVES
11 PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-211 (3).

12 (8) (a) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE
13 SHALL CONSIST OF FIVE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
14 THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
15 REPRESENTATIVES AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY
16 LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND FIVE MEMBERS OF THE
17 SENATE, THREE OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE
18 SENATE AND TWO OF WHOM ARE APPOINTED BY THE MINORITY LEADER OF
19 THE SENATE. WHEN POSSIBLE, APPOINTED MEMBERS SHALL BE SELECTED
20 FROM THE HOUSE AND SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEES OR SUCH
21 SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHOULD
22 HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH ISSUES AND POLICIES RELATED TO
23 TRANSPORTATION. THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE
24 APPOINTED NO LATER THAN THE JULY 1 PRECEDING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
25 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE WILL MEET. THE
26 COMMITTEE SHALL MEET DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE
27 SESSIONS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-7-210. THE COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT

1 A CHAIR AND A VICE-CHAIR, ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE
2 SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE AND ONE FROM THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE
3 OF REPRESENTATIVES SERVING ON THE COMMITTEE. A MEMBER FROM THE
4 SENATE SHALL BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE DURING THE FIRST
5 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS
6 AND VICE-CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE
7 SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. A MEMBER FROM THE HOUSE OF
8 REPRESENTATIVES SHALL BE THE CHAIR DURING THE SECOND INTERIM
9 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS AND
10 VICE-CHAIR DURING THE FIRST INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS
11 THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS. THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR SHALL
12 ALTERNATE AS SPECIFIED IN THIS PARAGRAPH (a) DURING EVERY INTERIM
13 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS THAT THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

14 (b) THE MEMBERS OF THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
15 COMMITTEE, NOT INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS APPOINTED TO
16 A TASK FORCE AS ALLOWED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (9) OF THIS
17 SECTION, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE USUAL PER DIEM AND NECESSARY
18 TRAVEL AND EXPENSES AS PROVIDED FOR MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL
19 ASSEMBLY WHO ATTEND INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS PURSUANT TO
20 SECTION 2-2-307.

21 (9) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
22 APPOINT NO MORE THAN TWO TASK FORCES MADE UP OF PERSONS FROM
23 THE COMMUNITY, INCLUDING LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS WHO ARE EITHER ON
24 OR NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, WHO HAVE SPECIAL INTEREST OR EXPERTISE
25 IN A PARTICULAR POLICY ISSUE BEING STUDIED DURING AN INTERIM
26 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE COMMITTEE MAY APPOINT TO THE
27 TASK FORCE THE LEGISLATIVE MEMBER WHO REQUESTED THE POLICY

1 ISSUE BE INCLUDED ON THE COMMITTEE'S AGENDA AS SPECIFIED IN
2 SECTION 2-7-210. IN APPOINTING A TASK FORCE, THE COMMITTEE SHALL,
3 TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF POLITICAL PARTIES
4 THAT EXISTS ON THE COMMITTEE. A TASK FORCE SHALL OPERATE IN AN
5 ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE COMMITTEE AND REPORT TO THE COMMITTEE
6 AS OFTEN AS REQUESTED BY THE CHAIR. ALL MEMBERS OF A TASK FORCE
7 SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION AND WITHOUT REIMBURSEMENT
8 FOR EXPENSES. A TASK FORCE MAY ACCEPT DONATIONS OF IN-KIND
9 SERVICES FROM A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IN FULFILLING ITS DUTIES OF
10 ADVISING THE COMMITTEE.

11 (10) THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY
12 HOLD MEETINGS OUTSIDE OF THE DENVER METRO AREA TO HEAR PUBLIC
13 TESTIMONY REGARDING MATTERS ON ITS AGENDA. IF THE COMMITTEE
14 WISHES TO HOLD SUCH MEETINGS, PERMISSION FOR INCURRING ANY
15 EXPENSES FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE CLAIMED SHALL BE
16 SOUGHT AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 2-2-307 (4) PRIOR TO SCHEDULING ANY
17 SUCH MEETINGS.

18 (11) THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STAFF AND THE OFFICE OF
19 LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES SHALL ASSIST THE COMMITTEE IN CARRYING
20 OUT ITS DUTIES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.

21 **2-7-210. Rotation of standing interim committees - agenda of**
22 **standing interim committees - legislative council - repeal.** (1) NO
23 LATER THAN THE NINETY-FOURTH DAY OF A REGULAR LEGISLATIVE
24 SESSION, A LEGISLATIVE MEMBER MAY SUBMIT A REQUEST IN WRITING TO
25 THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL REGARDING AN ISSUE THAT HE OR SHE WISHES
26 A STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE TO ADD TO ITS AGENDA. AT MINIMUM,
27 THE REQUEST MUST SPECIFY THE POLICY ISSUE OR ISSUES TO BE STUDIED

1 AND THE PARTICULAR STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE THAT WOULD
2 CONDUCT THE INTERIM STUDY. THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SHALL MEET
3 DURING THE REGULAR SESSION EACH YEAR TO REVIEW AND PRIORITIZE
4 REQUESTS MADE BY LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS PURSUANT TO THIS
5 SUBSECTION (1) AND, IF APPROVED, ASSIGN SUCH REQUESTS TO THE
6 APPROPRIATE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE.

7 (2) NO LATER THAN THE ONE HUNDREDTH DAY OF A REGULAR
8 LEGISLATIVE SESSION, THE DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE
9 COUNCIL SHALL DETERMINE THE NUMBER OF INTERIM COMMITTEE
10 MEETINGS THAT MAY BE HELD WITHIN THE LEGISLATIVE BUDGET AND
11 SHALL PROVIDE THAT INFORMATION TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
12 THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

13 (3) (a) NO LATER THAN THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH DAY OF A
14 REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION, THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
15 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SHALL DETERMINE THE ROTATION OF THE STANDING
16 INTERIM COMMITTEES AND THE NUMBER OF MEETINGS THAT EACH
17 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY HOLD DURING THE INTERIM BETWEEN
18 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS. THE ROTATION MUST BE DECIDED SO THAT EACH
19 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY PERFORM ITS FUNCTIONS AT LEAST
20 ONCE DURING AN INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS IN A
21 THREE-YEAR PERIOD AND SHOULD INCLUDE CONSIDERATION OF ANY
22 APPROVED POLICIES TO BE STUDIED AS REQUESTED PURSUANT TO
23 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION, AND ANY POLICIES TO BE STUDIED AS
24 REQUESTED BY THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, THE LEGISLATIVE AUDIT
25 COMMITTEE, OR THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING AND
26 APPROVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

27 (b) AFTER THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY HAS ADJOURNED, IF AN ISSUE

1 IS BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
2 LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DETERMINES THAT
3 THE ISSUE IS THE RESULT OF CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCES OR NEW
4 CIRCUMSTANCES AND IS APPROPRIATE MATERIAL FOR A STANDING INTERIM
5 COMMITTEE THAT IS MEETING DURING THAT INTERIM BETWEEN
6 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS, THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE
7 COUNCIL MAY ADD THE ISSUE TO A STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE'S
8 AGENDA BY ADOPTING A RESOLUTION.

9 (4) (a) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTIONS (1) TO (3) OF THIS
10 SECTION, FOR THE 2013 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS, EITHER
11 WITHIN FIVE DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBSECTION (4) OR
12 ON MAY 6, 2013, WHICHEVER IS EARLIER, THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
13 SHALL REVIEW AND PRIORITIZE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS THAT
14 CREATE OR AUTHORIZE ANY STUDIES TO BE CONDUCTED DURING THE 2013
15 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AND SHALL DETERMINE WHICH
16 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEES WOULD APPROPRIATELY ADDRESS THE
17 PRIORITIZED STUDIES TO BE CONDUCTED, CHOOSE THE STANDING INTERIM
18 COMMITTEES THAT ARE TO MEET DURING THE 2013 INTERIM BETWEEN
19 LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS, AND ADD THE PRIORITIZED STUDIES TO THE
20 APPROPRIATE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE'S AGENDA. THE LEGISLATIVE
21 COUNCIL SHALL THEN DETERMINE THE NUMBER OF MEETINGS EACH
22 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE MAY HAVE DURING THE 2013 INTERIM
23 BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS BASED ON INFORMATION THAT THE
24 DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PROVIDES
25 REGARDING THE NUMBER OF INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETINGS THAT MAY BE
26 HELD WITHIN THE LEGISLATIVE BUDGET. ANY PRIORITIZED BILLS OR
27 RESOLUTIONS THAT CREATE OR AUTHORIZE STUDIES TO BE CONDUCTED

1 DURING THE INTERIM MUST BE POSTPONED INDEFINITELY, AND THE
2 STUDIES SHALL INSTEAD BE PERFORMED BY A STANDING INTERIM
3 COMMITTEE. NO OTHER INTERIM COMMITTEES MAY MEET DURING THE
4 2013 INTERIM BETWEEN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS.

5 (b) THIS SUBSECTION (4) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014.

6 **2-7-211. Assignment of departments to standing interim**
7 **committees - standing interim committee and joint budget committee**
8 **liaisons to departments - departmental regulatory agendas.** (1) THE
9 DEPARTMENTS ARE ASSIGNED TO THE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEES AS
10 FOLLOWS:

11 (a) STANDING EDUCATION INTERIM COMMITTEE: THE DEPARTMENT
12 OF EDUCATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, THE COLORADO
13 COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION, AND THE STATE BOARD OF LAND
14 COMMISSIONERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES;

15 (b) STANDING HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES INTERIM
16 COMMITTEE: THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING,
17 THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
18 HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT;

19 (c) STANDING JUDICIARY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE INTERIM
20 COMMITTEE: THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, THE DIVISION OF YOUTH
21 CORRECTIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, THE
22 DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, THE JUDICIAL
23 DEPARTMENT, AND THE COLORADO COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL AND
24 JUVENILE JUSTICE;

25 (d) STANDING SCIENCE AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE: THE
26 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL
27 RESOURCES, THE STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS, AND THE

1 COLORADO ENERGY OFFICE;

2 (e) STANDING FINANCE AND BUSINESS INTERIM COMMITTEE: THE
3 DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL, THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, THE OFFICE
4 OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND
5 EMPLOYMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY;

6 (f) STANDING STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND MILITARY
7 AFFAIRS INTERIM COMMITTEE: THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS, THE
8 DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, THE DEPARTMENT OF
9 REGULATORY AGENCIES, THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, AND THE PUBLIC
10 EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION; AND

11 (g) STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE: THE
12 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

13 (2) (a) THE CHAIR OF EACH STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE SHALL
14 ASSIGN TWO MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE, ONE FROM EACH MAJOR
15 POLITICAL PARTY, TO SERVE AS LIAISONS WITH THE DEPARTMENTS
16 ASSIGNED TO THEIR STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO
17 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRACKING A
18 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLANS AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS.

19 (b) THE CHAIR OF THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE SHALL ASSIGN
20 ONE MEMBER OF THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE TO SERVE AS A LIAISON
21 FOR EACH DEPARTMENT. THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE LIAISON SHALL
22 WORK WITH THE LIAISONS ASSIGNED PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS
23 SUBSECTION (2) TO INFORM THE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE
24 REGARDING THE DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLANS AND PERFORMANCE
25 EVALUATIONS.

26 (c) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF EACH DEPARTMENT, OR THE
27 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE, AND ANY APPROPRIATE STAFF OF THE

1 DEPARTMENT SHALL WORK WITH THE LIAISONS AS NECESSARY.

2 (3) BY NOVEMBER 1, 2013, AND EACH NOVEMBER 1 THEREAFTER,
3 EACH DEPARTMENT SHALL FILE A DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA
4 WITH THE STAFF OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, WHO SHALL DISTRIBUTE
5 THE DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA TO THE MEMBERS OF THE
6 APPROPRIATE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE. BY NOVEMBER 1, 2013,
7 AND EACH NOVEMBER 1 THEREAFTER, EACH DEPARTMENT SHALL ALSO
8 POST ITS DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA ON THE DEPARTMENT'S
9 WEB SITE AND SHALL SUBMIT ITS DEPARTMENTAL REGULATORY AGENDA
10 TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PUBLICATION IN THE COLORADO
11 REGISTER.

12 **2-7-212. Performance management systems.** (1) (a) NO LATER
13 THAN AUGUST 1, 2013, AND NO LATER THAN AUGUST 1 OF EACH YEAR
14 THEREAFTER, THE GOVERNOR SHALL PUBLISH THE COMPONENTS OF THE
15 PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR MANAGING THE PRINCIPAL
16 DEPARTMENTS OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT,
17 EXCEPT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
18 AND THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW. THE PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT
19 SYSTEM MUST BE PUBLISHED IN INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED BY THE OFFICE OF
20 STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING. THE INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE POSTED
21 ON THE OFFICIAL WEB SITE ADMINISTERED BY THE OFFICE OF STATE
22 PLANNING AND BUDGETING.

23 (b) NO LATER THAN AUGUST 1, 2013, AND NO LATER THAN
24 AUGUST 1 OF EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT SHALL
25 PUBLISH THE COMPONENTS OF THE PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
26 FOR MANAGING THE JUDICIAL BRANCH THROUGH INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED BY
27 THE OFFICE OF THE STATE COURT ADMINISTRATOR. THESE INSTRUCTIONS

1 MUST BE POSTED ON THE OFFICIAL WEB SITE ADMINISTERED BY THE
2 JUDICIAL BRANCH.

3 (c) NO LATER THAN AUGUST 1, 2013, AND NO LATER THAN
4 AUGUST 1 OF EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE
5 OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE
6 COUNSEL, AND THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE SHALL EACH
7 PUBLISH THEIR COMPONENTS OF THE PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT
8 SYSTEMS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENT, OFFICE, OR COMMISSION.
9 THESE INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE POSTED ON THE OFFICIAL WEB SITES
10 ADMINISTERED BY THE RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS, OFFICES, AND
11 COMMISSIONS.

12 (2) (a) ANY PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM PUBLISHED
13 PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION MUST FOCUS ON
14 ENHANCING PRODUCTIVITY, IMPROVING EFFICIENCY, REDUCING COSTS,
15 AND ELIMINATING WASTE IN THE PROCESSES AND OPERATIONS THAT
16 DELIVER GOODS AND SERVICES TO TAXPAYERS AND CUSTOMERS OF STATE
17 GOVERNMENT. AT A MINIMUM, THE PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
18 MUST ESTABLISH PARAMETERS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF PERFORMANCE
19 PLANS FOR EACH DEPARTMENT. A PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
20 SHOULD INCORPORATE A CONTINUOUS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM
21 BASED ON LEAN GOVERNMENT PRINCIPLES OR ANOTHER WIDELY ACCEPTED
22 BUSINESS PROCESS IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM.

23 (b) A PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD INCLUDE
24 ELEMENTS TO ENSURE THAT A DEPARTMENT'S EMPLOYEES ARE
25 APPROPRIATELY TRAINED TO IMPLEMENT ITS VARIOUS COMPONENTS.

26 (3) (a) NO LATER THAN JANUARY 2, 2014, AND NO LATER THAN
27 JANUARY 2 OF EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, EACH DEPARTMENT SHALL

1 DEVELOP A PERFORMANCE PLAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PERFORMANCE
2 MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND SUBMIT THAT PLAN TO THE JOINT BUDGET
3 COMMITTEE AND THE MEMBERS OF THE APPROPRIATE STANDING INTERIM
4 COMMITTEE. THE PERFORMANCE PLAN SERVES AS A GUIDE TO A
5 DEPARTMENT'S MAJOR FUNCTIONS AND AS A TOOL TO EVALUATE
6 PERFORMANCE GOALS OVER TIME.

7 (b) EACH DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN SHALL BE POSTED
8 ON THE OFFICIAL WEB SITES OF THE DEPARTMENT AND THE OFFICE OF
9 STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING. THE STATE TREASURER, THE ATTORNEY
10 GENERAL, THE SECRETARY OF STATE, THE STATE COURT ADMINISTRATOR
11 FOR THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER,
12 THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL, AND THE OFFICE OF THE
13 CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE SHALL ENSURE THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING
14 AND BUDGETING RECEIVES THE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE POSTED ON
15 THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING'S WEB SITE PURSUANT TO
16 THIS PARAGRAPH (b). THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING
17 SHALL NOT HAVE ACCESS TO EDIT ANY INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE
18 STATE TREASURER, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, THE SECRETARY OF STATE,
19 THE STATE COURT ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE
20 OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE
21 COUNSEL, OR THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE.

22 (c) AT A MINIMUM, A PERFORMANCE PLAN MUST INCLUDE THE
23 FOLLOWING COMPONENTS, WHICH MAY BE FURTHER REFINED IN THE
24 PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO
25 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION:

- 26 (I) A STATEMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT'S MISSION OR VISION;
- 27 (II) A DESCRIPTION OF THE MAJOR FUNCTIONS OF THE

1 DEPARTMENT;

2 (III) PERFORMANCE MEASURES FOR THE MAJOR FUNCTIONS OF THE
3 DEPARTMENT;

4 (IV) PERFORMANCE GOALS THAT CORRESPOND TO THE
5 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE MEASURES AND THAT EXTEND TO AT LEAST
6 THREE YEARS INTO THE FUTURE;

7 (V) A NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF THE STRATEGIES NECESSARY TO
8 MEET THE PERFORMANCE GOALS; AND

9 (VI) A SUMMARY OF THE DEPARTMENT'S MOST RECENT
10 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION.

11 (d) IF REASONABLE AND APPROPRIATE, PERFORMANCE MEASURES
12 SHOULD BE DEVELOPED WITH THE INPUT OF DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES AND
13 CERTIFIED EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS.

14 (4) DEPARTMENTS SHALL CONDUCT PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS
15 AND DISTRIBUTE THEM TO THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE AND THE
16 GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT LEAST TWICE EACH CALENDAR YEAR AS DEFINED
17 IN THE PUBLISHED PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

18 (5) (a) PRIOR TO THE FIRST REGULAR SESSION OF THE SEVENTIETH
19 GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THE STATE AUDITOR SHALL, WITHIN EXISTING
20 RESOURCES, CONDUCT OR CAUSE TO BE CONDUCTED PERFORMANCE
21 AUDITS OF ONE OR MORE SPECIFIC PROGRAMS OR SERVICES IN AT LEAST
22 TWO DEPARTMENTS, AND SHALL CONTINUE TO CONDUCT OR CAUSE TO BE
23 CONDUCTED PERFORMANCE AUDITS OF ONE OR MORE SPECIFIC PROGRAMS
24 OR SERVICES IN AT LEAST TWO DEPARTMENTS ANNUALLY THEREAFTER SO
25 AS TO AUDIT ALL DEPARTMENTS IN A NINE-YEAR CYCLE.

26 (b) IN SELECTING BOTH DEPARTMENTS AND SPECIFIC PROGRAMS OR
27 SERVICES WITHIN THOSE DEPARTMENTS FOR PERFORMANCE AUDITS, THE

1 STATE AUDITOR SHALL CONSIDER RISK, AUDIT COVERAGE, RESOURCES
2 REQUIRED TO CONDUCT THE PERFORMANCE AUDITS, AND THE IMPACT OF
3 THE AUDITED PROGRAMS OR SERVICES ON A DEPARTMENT'S
4 PERFORMANCE-BASED GOALS.

5 (c) PERFORMANCE AUDITS OF THE PROGRAMS OR SERVICES
6 SELECTED FOR AUDIT MAY INCLUDE, BUT SHALL NOT BE LIMITED TO, THE
7 REVIEW OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 8 (I) THE INTEGRITY OF THE PERFORMANCE MEASURES AUDITED;
- 9 (II) THE ACCURACY AND VALIDITY OF REPORTED RESULTS; AND
- 10 (III) THE OVERALL COST AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE AUDITED
11 PROGRAMS OR SERVICES IN ACHIEVING LEGISLATIVE INTENT AND THE
12 DEPARTMENTS' PERFORMANCE-BASED GOALS.

13 (d) THE STATE AUDITOR SHALL PRESENT THE PERFORMANCE AUDIT
14 REPORT TO THE LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE.

15 (e) AFTER THE PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT IS RELEASED BY THE
16 LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE, THE STATE AUDITOR SHALL PRESENT THE
17 PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT OF THOSE DEPARTMENTS WITH SERVICES OR
18 PROGRAMS AUDITED IN THE PREVIOUS YEAR TO THE APPROPRIATE
19 STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE. THE STATE AUDITOR SHALL ALSO
20 PRESENT ANY OTHER AUDIT REPORTS THAT HE OR SHE DEEMS RELEVANT
21 FOR THE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE'S REVIEW.

22 (6) AS PART OF ITS REGULAR DELIBERATIONS, THE JOINT BUDGET
23 COMMITTEE SHALL CONSIDER THE PERFORMANCE PLANS SUBMITTED
24 PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH (a) OF SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION AND
25 THE PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION
26 (4) OF THIS SECTION. BASED ON ITS REVIEW OF THESE PERFORMANCE
27 PLANS AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS, THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

1 MAY PRIORITIZE DEPARTMENTS' REQUESTS FOR NEW FUNDING THAT ARE
2 EXPRESSLY INTENDED TO ENHANCE PRODUCTIVITY, IMPROVE EFFICIENCY,
3 REDUCE COSTS, AND ELIMINATE WASTE IN THE PROCESSES AND
4 OPERATIONS THAT DELIVER GOODS AND SERVICES TO TAXPAYERS AND
5 CUSTOMERS OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

6 **2-7-213. Annual performance report.** (1) (a) NO LATER THAN
7 JANUARY 2, 2014, AND NO LATER THAN JANUARY 2 OF EACH YEAR
8 THEREAFTER, THE OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING AND BUDGETING SHALL
9 PUBLISH AN ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR EACH DEPARTMENT
10 EXCEPT THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY,
11 THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE OF
12 STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL,
13 AND THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S REPRESENTATIVE. THE ANNUAL
14 PERFORMANCE REPORT MUST INCLUDE A SUMMARY OF EACH
15 DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN AND MOST RECENT PERFORMANCE
16 EVALUATION. THE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT MUST BE CLEARLY
17 WRITTEN AND EASILY UNDERSTOOD AND MUST BE LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM
18 OF FOUR PAGES PER DEPARTMENT.

19 (b) NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 1, 2013, AND NO LATER THAN
20 DECEMBER 1 OF EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
21 THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, THE DEPARTMENT OF LAW, THE
22 JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT, THE OFFICE OF STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, THE
23 OFFICE OF ALTERNATE DEFENSE COUNSEL, AND THE OFFICE OF THE CHILD'S
24 REPRESENTATIVE SHALL EACH PUBLISH AN ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT
25 INCLUDING A SUMMARY OF ITS PERFORMANCE PLAN AND MOST RECENT
26 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION. THE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORTS MUST
27 BE CLEARLY WRITTEN AND EASILY UNDERSTOOD AND MUST EACH BE

1 LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF FOUR PAGES.

2 (2) (a) THE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORTS SHALL BE POSTED ON
3 THE OFFICIAL WEB SITES OF THE STATE OF COLORADO AND THE OFFICE OF
4 THE GOVERNOR. THE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORTS SHALL INCLUDE A
5 HYPERLINK TO EACH DEPARTMENT'S PERFORMANCE PLAN POSTED ON THE
6 OFFICIAL WEB SITE OF EACH DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-7-212
7 (3) (b).

8 (b) THE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORTS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED
9 TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PURSUANT TO SECTION
10 24-1-136 (9), C.R.S.

11 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-103, **amend** (9);
12 and **add** (9.5) as follows:

13 **2-3-103. Duties of state auditor - definitions.** (9) It is the duty
14 of the state auditor to conduct or cause to be conducted performance
15 audits as specified in ~~section 2-7-204 (4)~~ SECTION 2-7-212 (5).

16 (9.5) IT IS THE DUTY OF THE STATE AUDITOR TO NOTIFY THE
17 APPROPRIATE STANDING INTERIM COMMITTEE AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
18 2-7-211 WHEN A DEPARTMENT HAS NOT COMPLETED RECOMMENDATIONS
19 MADE BY THE STATE AUDITOR WITHIN THE TIME PROVIDED.

20 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 2-3-121 as
21 follows:

22 **2-3-121. Performance audits of public highway authorities.** At
23 the discretion of the legislative audit committee, the state auditor shall
24 conduct or cause to be conducted a performance audit of any public
25 highway authority created and operating pursuant to part 5 of article 4 of
26 title 43, C.R.S.; except that the legislative audit committee may not
27 require the state auditor to conduct such a performance audit during any

1 year in which the ~~transportation legislation review committee created in~~
2 ~~section 43-2-145 (1), C.R.S.~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
3 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209 is required or authorized to
4 meet. The state auditor shall prepare a report and recommendations on
5 each audit conducted and shall present the report and recommendations
6 to the committee. The state auditor shall pay the costs of any audit
7 conducted pursuant to this section.

8 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-203, **add** (1)
9 (b.2) as follows:

10 **2-3-203. Powers and duties of the joint budget committee -**
11 **repeal.** (1) The committee has the following power and duties:

12 (b.2) EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013, TO HOLD HEARINGS AS REQUIRED
13 TO REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE PLANS AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS
14 OF STATE DEPARTMENTS AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2-7-212. BASED ON ITS
15 REVIEW OF THESE PERFORMANCE PLANS AND PERFORMANCE
16 EVALUATIONS, THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE MAY PRIORITIZE
17 DEPARTMENTS' REQUESTS FOR NEW FUNDING THAT ARE EXPRESSLY
18 INTENDED TO ENHANCE PRODUCTIVITY, IMPROVE EFFICIENCY, REDUCE
19 COSTS, AND ELIMINATE WASTE IN THE PROCESSES AND OPERATIONS THAT
20 DELIVER GOODS AND SERVICES TO TAXPAYERS AND CUSTOMERS OF STATE
21 GOVERNMENT.

22 **SECTION 5.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 2-3-303.3 as
23 follows:

24 **2-3-303.3. Interim studies.** ~~(1)(a) Except as otherwise provided~~
25 ~~in paragraph (b) of this subsection (1), the legislative council created in~~
26 ~~section 2-3-301 (1) shall meet during the regular session each year for the~~
27 ~~purpose of reviewing and prioritizing bills and joint resolutions that~~

1 ~~create or authorize any studies to be conducted during the interim or that~~
2 ~~allocate any additional legislative staff resources during the interim. After~~
3 ~~the general assembly has adjourned, if issues are brought to the attention~~
4 ~~of the executive committee of the legislative council and the executive~~
5 ~~committee determines that the issues are appropriate for being addressed~~
6 ~~by an interim study and are the result of changed circumstances or new~~
7 ~~circumstances, except as otherwise provided in paragraph (b) of this~~
8 ~~subsection (1), the executive committee of the legislative council may~~
9 ~~provide for the conduct of additional interim studies by adopting a~~
10 ~~resolution~~ INTERIM STUDIES MUST BE APPROVED AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
11 2-7-210 (1).

12 ~~(b) No studies shall be created or authorized to be conducted~~
13 ~~during the 2010 interim.~~

14 ~~(2) The legislative council created in section 2-3-301 (1) shall be~~
15 ~~the committee of reference for all bills and joint resolutions that create or~~
16 ~~authorize any studies to be conducted during the interim or that allocate~~
17 ~~any additional legislative staff resources during the interim. In addition,~~
18 ~~if at any point in the legislative process a bill or joint resolution is~~
19 ~~amended to include the creation or authorization of an interim study, the~~
20 ~~bill or joint resolution shall be referred to the legislative council for~~
21 ~~consideration.~~

22 **SECTION 6.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 8-72-101, **amend** (3)
23 (b) introductory portion as follows:

24 **8-72-101. Duties and powers of division.** (3) (b) The department
25 of labor and employment shall update the general assembly annually on
26 the status of the fund. ~~during the hearing conducted pursuant to section~~
27 ~~2-7-203, C.R.S.~~ By August 31, 2012, and by each August 31 thereafter,

1 the division shall report to the joint budget committee, the economic and
2 business development committee of the house of representatives, and the
3 business, labor, and technology committee of the senate, or their
4 successor committees, regarding the status of the fund. The report shall
5 include at least the following from the prior calendar year:

6 **SECTION 7.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-7-1213, **repeal** (3)
7 (c) as follows:

8 **22-7-1213. Reporting requirements.** (3) (c) ~~The department~~
9 ~~may provide the report described in paragraph (b) of this subsection (3)~~
10 ~~to committees of the general assembly in conjunction with the report~~
11 ~~required in section 2-7-203, C.R.S.~~

12 **SECTION 8.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-4-103, **amend**
13 (11) (a) as follows:

14 **24-4-103. Rule-making - procedure - definitions - repeal.**
15 (11) (a) There is hereby established the code of Colorado regulations for
16 the publication of rules of agencies of the executive branch and the
17 Colorado register for the publication of notices of rule-making, proposed
18 rules, attorney general's opinions relating to such rules, and adopted rules.
19 The code and the register shall be the sole official publications for such
20 rules, notices of rule-making, proposed rules, and attorney general's
21 opinions. The code and the register shall contain, where applicable,
22 references to court opinions and recommendations of the legal services
23 committee of the general assembly that relate to or affect such rules and
24 references to any action of the general assembly relating to the extension,
25 expiration, deletion, or rescission of such rules and may contain other
26 items that, in the opinion of the editor, are relevant to such rules. The
27 register may also include other public notices, including annual

1 departmental regulatory agendas submitted by principal departments to
2 the secretary of state pursuant to ~~section 2-7-203~~ SECTION 2-7-211 (3),
3 C.R.S.; however, except as specifically permitted by law, the inclusion of
4 such notices in the register shall be in addition to and not in substitution
5 for existing public notice requirements.

6 **SECTION 9.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-101, **amend**
7 (13) as follows:

8 **24-34-101. Department created - executive director.** (13) The
9 executive director shall ~~include in the presentation to the legislative~~
10 ~~committee of reference pursuant to section 2-7-203, C.R.S.~~ REPORT TO
11 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON AN ANNUAL BASIS, PURSUANT TO SECTION
12 24-1-136 (9), the number of confidential letters of concern issued in the
13 twelve months prior to the presentation by the director of the division of
14 professions and occupations and any board pursuant to title 12, C.R.S.

15 **SECTION 10.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-37-103, **amend**
16 (1) (d) as follows:

17 **24-37-103. Director - duties.** (1) The director shall:

18 (d) Publish an annual performance report as specified in ~~section~~
19 ~~2-7-205~~ SECTION 2-7-213, C.R.S.; AND

20 **SECTION 11.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-38.5-102,
21 **amend** (3) introductory portion and (3) (a) as follows:

22 **24-38.5-102. Colorado energy office - duties and powers.**

23 (3) The Colorado energy office shall notify the ~~house of representatives~~
24 ~~and senate committees of reference to which the office is assigned~~
25 ~~pursuant to section 2-7-203 (1), C.R.S., as part of its "State Measurement~~
26 ~~for Accountable, Responsive, and Transparent (SMART) Government~~
27 ~~Act" hearing required by section 2-7-203 (2), C.R.S.~~ STANDING SCIENCE

1 AND ENERGY INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-206, C.R.S.,
2 if it has made any changes to:

3 (a) Any ~~principles, policies, or performance-based goals that the~~
4 ~~office has outlined in its strategic plan~~ PERFORMANCE PLANS AND
5 PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS required pursuant to ~~section 2-7-204(1)(a)~~
6 SECTION 2-7-212, C.R.S.;

7 **SECTION 12.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-17-202.7,
8 **amend** (1) as follows:

9 **25-17-202.7. Reports - repeal.** (1) On and after July 1, 2005, and
10 each July 1 thereafter, the department of public health and environment
11 shall report to the ~~transportation legislation review committee, created in~~
12 ~~section 43-2-145, C.R.S.~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
13 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., the total number of
14 waste tires recycled in this state according to the information submitted
15 to the department of public health and environment pursuant to section
16 30-20-109, C.R.S.

17 **SECTION 13.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-17-207, **amend**
18 (1) (b) as follows:

19 **25-17-207. Rules - penalties - enforcement - fund.** (1) (b) Once
20 the rules have been promulgated, the department shall report to the
21 ~~transportation legislation review committee, created in section 43-2-145,~~
22 ~~C.R.S.~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN
23 SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., on the promulgation of the rules.

24 **SECTION 14.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 32-9-119.5, **amend**
25 (8) (a) as follows:

26 **32-9-119.5. Competition to provide vehicular service within the**
27 **regional transportation district.** (8) (a) For purposes of providing

1 legislative oversight of the operation of this section, the ~~transportation~~
2 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
3 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., shall review the
4 district's implementation of this section and recommend any necessary
5 changes to the general assembly.

6 **SECTION 15.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 32-9-119.7, **amend**
7 (4) and (7) as follows:

8 **32-9-119.7. Farebox recovery ratios - plans.** (4) The district
9 shall prepare annual budgets based on the percentages required by
10 subsection (3) of this section. The district shall submit copies of its annual
11 budget to the ~~transportation legislation review committee created in~~
12 ~~section 43-2-145, C.R.S.~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
13 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S.

14 (7) The district shall submit to the ~~transportation legislation~~
15 ~~review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE any
16 information, data, testimony, audits, or other information the committee
17 may request.

18 **SECTION 16.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-3-102, **amend**
19 (4) (e) as follows:

20 **42-3-102. Periodic registration - rules.** (4) (e) The department
21 shall issue a report to the ~~transportation legislation review committee~~
22 ~~created in section 43-2-145, C.R.S.~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
23 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., by July 1, 2014,
24 detailing the number of trailers and semitrailers registered under
25 paragraphs (a) and (b) of this subsection (4) and making
26 recommendations as to the cost-effectiveness of the permanent
27 registration.

1 **SECTION 17.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-4-305, **amend**
2 (11) as follows:

3 **42-4-305. Powers and duties of executive director - automobile**
4 **inspection and readjustment program - basic emissions program -**
5 **enhanced emissions program - clean screen program - rules.** (11) The
6 executive director shall report to the ~~transportation legislation review~~
7 ~~committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN
8 SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., annually on the effectiveness of the quality
9 assurance and enforcement measures contained in this section, the overall
10 motorist compliance rates with inspections for registration denial, and the
11 status of state implementation plan compliance pertaining to quality
12 assurance. This annual report shall be submitted to the commission in
13 May of each year for incorporation into appropriate annual and biennial
14 reporting requirements. Reports shall cover the previous calendar year.

15 **SECTION 18.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 42-7-602 as
16 follows:

17 **42-7-602. Uninsured motorist identification database program**
18 **- creation.** The general assembly hereby directs the ~~transportation~~
19 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
20 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., to conduct an
21 examination of the problem of uninsured motorists in this state and to
22 propose legislation which shall alleviate if not eliminate the problem. The
23 general assembly further directs the ~~transportation legislation review~~
24 ~~committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE to examine
25 Colorado's compulsory motor vehicle insurance system. Such
26 examination shall include a review of whether such system should be
27 maintained or repealed and whether there are more effective enforcement

1 mechanisms that might be employed. The committee shall also study the
2 effectiveness of other enforcement mechanisms including, but not limited
3 to, uninsured motorist database programs that have been employed in
4 other compulsory insurance states.

5 **SECTION 19.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-106, **amend**
6 (17) (b) as follows:

7 **43-1-106. Transportation commission - powers and duties.**

8 (17) (b) The efficiency and accountability committee shall periodically
9 report to the commission and the executive director regarding means by
10 which the commission and the department may execute their duties more
11 efficiently. The executive director or the executive director's designee
12 shall report at least once per calendar year to either the committees of the
13 house of representatives and the senate that have jurisdiction over
14 transportation or the ~~transportation legislation review committee created~~
15 ~~in section 43-2-145 (1) STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE~~
16 ~~CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S.,~~ regarding the activities and
17 recommendations of the efficiency and accountability committee and any
18 actions taken by the commission or the department to implement
19 recommendations of the committee.

20 **SECTION 20.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1302, **amend**
21 (3) as follows:

22 **43-1-1302. Definitions.** As used in this part 13, unless the context
23 otherwise requires:

24 (3) ~~"TLRC" means the transportation legislation review~~
25 ~~committee created in section 43-2-145~~ "STANDING TRANSPORTATION
26 INTERIM COMMITTEE" MEANS THE STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
27 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S.

1 **SECTION 21.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1303, **amend**
2 (2) and (3) as follows:

3 **43-1-1303. Duties of the executive director - legislative**
4 **approval - property eligible for acquisition.** (2) The commission shall
5 review any property determined to be eligible for acquisition and approve
6 the acquisition before the executive director submits the prioritized list of
7 rail lines or rights-of-way to be acquired to the ~~FLRC~~ STANDING
8 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE pursuant to subsection (3) of this
9 section.

10 (3) The executive director shall submit a prioritized list with
11 recommendations to the ~~FLRC~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
12 COMMITTEE concerning the railroad rights-of-way or rail lines proposed
13 to be acquired by the state and their proposed uses.

14 **SECTION 22.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1305, **amend**
15 (3) as follows:

16 **43-1-1305. Acquisition for state rail bank.** (3) The commission
17 shall review any property determined to be eligible for acquisition and
18 approve the acquisition before the executive director submits the
19 prioritized list of rail line or right-of-way to be acquired to the ~~FLRC~~
20 STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE pursuant to section
21 43-1-1303 (3).

22 **SECTION 23.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-1-1306, **amend**
23 (5) as follows:

24 **43-1-1306. Disposition of state rail bank property.** (5) The
25 executive director may convert property in the state rail bank to other
26 transportation uses following appropriate studies and upon approval by
27 the commission and the ~~FLRC~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM

1 COMMITTEE.

2 **SECTION 24.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 43-1-1307
3 as follows:

4 **43-1-1307. Powers and duties of the standing transportation**
5 **interim committee concerning state acquisition of abandoned**
6 **railroad rights-of-way.** (1) The ~~transportation legislation review~~
7 ~~committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE shall study
8 the recommendations of the executive director made pursuant to section
9 43-1-1303 (3) for acquisition of, and use or uses for, abandoned or
10 proposed to be abandoned railroad rights-of-way. On or before October
11 1 of each year, the executive director shall submit a prioritized list that
12 shall include recommendations for the acquisition and proposed use of
13 abandoned or proposed to be abandoned railroad rights-of-way. The
14 members of the ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING
15 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE shall determine which abandoned
16 railroad rights-of-way may be acquired by the department and funded out
17 of the state rail bank fund, created in section 43-1-1309, based upon the
18 greatest need and its proposed use or uses.

19 (2) The ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING
20 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE may hold such hearings as it
21 determines necessary to consider reports, studies, and other pertinent
22 information from any source, including affected individuals, political
23 subdivisions, railroad companies, or other entities, with respect to the
24 acquisition of abandoned railroad rights-of-way.

25 (3) The ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING
26 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE may determine the priority of
27 acquisition of, and use or uses for, abandoned railroad rights-of-way by

1 the department.

2 **SECTION 25.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 43-1-1308
3 as follows:

4 **43-1-1308. Recommendations and findings of the standing**
5 **transportation interim committee.** The members of the ~~transportation~~
6 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
7 COMMITTEE shall make a written report setting forth its recommendations,
8 findings, and comments as to each recommendation for the acquisition of
9 abandoned railroad rights-of-way and their uses and submit the report to
10 the general assembly.

11 **SECTION 26.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-404, **amend**
12 (1) and (2) as follows:

13 **43-4-404. Formula for allocation of moneys.** (1) The office of
14 transportation safety shall allocate not less than thirty percent and not
15 more than fifty percent of the moneys allocated to the office pursuant to
16 section 43-4-402 (2) to counties that have established a qualified drunken
17 driving prevention and law enforcement program. The intent of the
18 general assembly is that these moneys be expended in a manner that will
19 improve enforcement of drunken driving laws. To this end, rules for the
20 distribution of these moneys shall be developed by the office of
21 transportation safety. The office shall report annually to the ~~transportation~~
22 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
23 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., on the distribution and
24 expenditure of these funds and the nature and purpose of the programs.
25 All moneys appropriated hereunder shall be used for drunken driving
26 prevention and law enforcement improvement by counties and not for
27 statewide programs.

1 (2) The office of transportation safety shall allocate not less than
2 fifty percent and not more than seventy percent of the moneys to
3 municipalities and city and counties that have established a qualified
4 drunken driving prevention and law enforcement program. The intent of
5 the general assembly is that these moneys be expended in a manner that
6 will improve enforcement of drunken driving laws. To this end, rules for
7 the distribution of these moneys shall be developed by the office of
8 transportation safety. The office shall report annually to the ~~transportation~~
9 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
10 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., on the distribution and
11 expenditure of these funds and the nature and purpose of the programs.
12 All moneys appropriated hereunder shall be used for drunken driving
13 prevention and law enforcement improvement by municipalities and city
14 and counties and not for statewide programs.

15 **SECTION 27.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-514, **amend**
16 (1) (c), (3), and (4) as follows:

17 **43-4-514. Notice - coordination of information - reports.**
18 (1) (c) At the time the notice required in paragraph (a) or (b) of this
19 subsection (1) is sent to the division, a copy shall be filed with the
20 ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION
21 INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S.

22 (3) (a) The division shall file an annual report with the
23 ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION
24 INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., concerning the
25 activities of authorities created pursuant to this part 5. Such report shall
26 detail how many authorities have been created, describe their boundaries,
27 and specify the public highways ~~which~~ THAT are being constructed and

1 how they are being financed.

2 (b) The division shall notify the ~~transportation legislation review~~
3 ~~committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN
4 SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., either in the report required by paragraph (a) of
5 this subsection (3) or by letter, if it deems that immediate notification is
6 warranted, of any situation relating to the creation of an authority or value
7 capture area, the imposition of any fee, or the issuance of any bonds by
8 an authority that the division believes or has reason to believe will
9 adversely affect the tax-raising ability or the credit or bond rating of any
10 governmental unit or any school district.

11 (4) The authority shall report annually in the month of August to
12 the ~~transportation legislation review committee~~ STANDING
13 TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209,
14 C.R.S., on its activities during the preceding twelve months and on its
15 proposed activities during the succeeding twelve months. The board and
16 staff of the authority shall cooperate with the ~~transportation legislation~~
17 ~~review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE
18 CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., in carrying out its duties pursuant
19 to ~~section 43-2-145 (1.5)~~ SECTION 2-7-209 (3), C.R.S.

20 **SECTION 28.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-4-614, **amend**
21 (4) as follows:

22 **43-4-614. Notice - coordination of information.** (4) The board
23 and staff of the authority shall cooperate with the ~~transportation~~
24 ~~legislation review committee~~ STANDING TRANSPORTATION INTERIM
25 COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 2-7-209, C.R.S., in carrying out the
26 committee's duties pursuant to ~~section 43-2-145 (1.9)~~ SECTION 2-7-209
27 (4), C.R.S.

1 **SECTION 29.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **repeal** part 17 of
2 article 2 of title 2, 31-31-30.5-302 (1), 42-1-220 (2), and 42-2-306 (1) (a)
3 (IV).

4 **SECTION 30. Repeal of relocated and nonrelocated**
5 **provisions in this act.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **repeal** part 10 of
6 article 31 of title 31 and 43-2-145; except that 31-31-1001 (1) is not
7 relocated.

8 **SECTION 31. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
9 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
10 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.