

SB236_L.005

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

SB21-236 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, before line 2 insert:

2 "SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-6-801, amend
3 (2)(a) as follows:

4 **26-6-801. Legislative declaration.** (2) (a) Therefore, the general
5 assembly finds it is a matter of statewide concern that we take immediate
6 action to save and protect our child care ~~infrastructure. Doing so~~
7 INFRASTRUCTURE, INCLUDING OFFERING A WIDE RANGE OF CHILD CARE
8 OPTIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PUBLIC AND PRIVATE CHILD
9 CARE CENTERS, DAY CARE CENTERS, SCHOOL-AGE CHILD CARE CENTERS,
10 BEFORE- AND AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS, NURSERY SCHOOLS,
11 KINDERGARTENS, PRESCHOOLS, CHURCH DAY CARE CENTERS, DAY CAMPS,
12 SUMMER CAMPS, FACILITIES FOR CHILDREN WITH INTELLECTUAL AND
13 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND OTHER FACILITIES DESCRIBED IN
14 SECTION 26-6-102 (5). SUPPORTING THIS MIXED DELIVERY OF CHILD CARE
15 enables the state to invest in its children's futures, advance gender equity
16 in the home and the workplace, and rebuild an economy that works for all
17 Coloradans. When Colorado families have access to child care, everyone
18 benefits.".

19 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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