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Amendment No.

SB23-111

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

BY SENATOR Gardner

1 Amend printed bill, page 6, after line 24 insert:

- "(3) (a) EMPLOYERS, GOVERNING BOARDS, AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS AT ALL TIMES HAVE THE RIGHT TO SHARE THEIR FRANK AND FREE OPINIONS ON THE ADVANTAGES OR DISADVANTAGES OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR.
- (b) Public employers have all powers, duties, and rights established by constitutional provision, statute, ordinance, charter, special act, or other provisions of law or organic organizing documents of the public body, including, but not limited to, the right to direct the work of employees; hire, promote, demote, fire, assign, transfer, and otherwise direct employees; suspend employees for purposes of investigation or discipline, and discipline or discharge employees, as otherwise permitted by law; maintain and promote governmental efficiency; lay off employees for lack of work or performance; assiduously pursue the lawful mission of the public entity and seek to provide the highest level of service to the public; determine and implement a prudent budget; conserve public resources; and otherwise exercise all inherent management powers and duties granted or implied by law."

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