

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**Offered By**

Doug Richey \_\_\_\_\_ 39

- 1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 15, Page 3, Section 15.040, Line 1 by:  
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3 deleting said line through and including Line 4;  
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5 Further amend said bill, Page 4, Section 15.050, Line 1 through and including Line 4, by deleting  
6 said lines in their entirety;  
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8 Further amend said bill, Page 33, Section 15.1070, Line 6, by inserting immediately thereafter the  
9 following:  
10 "Section 15.1080. To all departments and the Supreme Court  
11 In reference to all sections in Part 1 of this act:  
12 No funds shall be expended for staffing, vendors, consultants, or programs associated with  
13 "Diversity, Equity, Inclusion," or "Diversity, Inclusion, Belonging," or any other initiative which  
14 similarly promotes: 1) the preferential treatment of any individual or group of individuals based  
15 upon race, color, religion, sex, gender, sexuality, ethnicity, national origin, or ancestry; 2) the  
16 concept that disparities are necessarily tied to oppression; 3) collective guilt ideologies; 4)  
17 intersectional or divisive identity activism; or, 5) the limiting of freedom of conscience, thought, or  
18 speech. This does not prohibit the departments or Supreme Court from following federal and state  
19 employment and anti-discrimination laws.";  
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21 Further amend said bill by adjusting section and bill totals and intersectional references accordingly.  
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Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_