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Mr. Speaker,

The Business and Labor Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.B. 44**, SOCIAL WORK LICENSURE COMPACT, by Representative S. Hollins, with the following amendments:

- 1. Page 1, Line 14 through 16:
 - 14 This bill:
 - 15 enacts the Social Work Licensure Compact; {-and-}
 - 16 ▶ provides rulemaking authority {→} <u>; and</u>
 ▶ makes technical changes.
- 2. Page 4, Line 119 through Page 5, Line 123:
 - 119 (h) if the applicant is applying to participate in the {Counseling Compact under Chapter
 - 120 60a, Counseling Compact, or the Social Work Licensure Compact under Chapter 60b, Social
 - 121 <u>Work Licensure Compact</u>, consent to a criminal background check in accordance with Section
 - 122 58-60-103.1 and any requirements established by division rule made in accordance with Title
 - 123 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
- 3. Page 14, Line 418 through 421:
 - 418 A. Nothing in this Compact, nor any Rule of the Commission, shall be construed to







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- 419 <u>limit, restrict, or in any way reduce the ability of a Member State to enact and enforce</u> <u>laws.</u>
- 420 regulations, or other rules related to the practice of Social Work in that State { , where those laws,
- 421 <u>regulations, or other rules are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Compact</u> <u>-}</u>.

Respectfully,

A. Cory Maloy Chair

Voting: 15-0-1 5 HB0044.HC1.wpd 1/17/24 3:43 pm rrandles/RR2 AH3/LS1





