

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION, 2026

February 9, 2026

Mr. President:

Your **JUDICIARY COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

**SENATE BILL 40**

has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO NOT PASS**, but that

**SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL 40**

**DO PASS.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Joseph Cervantes, Chair

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_ Not Adopted \_\_\_\_\_  
(Chief Clerk) (Chief Clerk)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

The roll call vote was 8 For 0 Against  
Yes: Boone, Brantley, Cervantes, Duhigg, Sedillo Lopez,  
Stewart, Townsend, Wirth  
No: 0  
Excused: Maestas  
Absent: None  
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