

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

SB25-315 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 37, after line 11 insert:

2 **"SECTION 25. Appropriation - adjustments to 2025 long bill.**

3 (1) To implement this act, appropriations made in the annual general
4 appropriation act for the 2025-26 state fiscal year to the department of
5 education are adjusted as follows:

6 (a) The general fund appropriation for use by management and
7 administration for grants administration is reduced by \$3,999;

8 (b) The appropriation from the state education fund created in
9 section 17 (4)(a) of article IX of the state constitution for use by school
10 district operations for state share of districts' total program funding is
11 increased by \$2,257,275;

12 (c) The appropriation from the state education fund created in
13 section 17 (4)(a) of article IX of the state constitution for use by school
14 district operations for extended high school is decreased by \$6,703,048;

15 (d) The general fund appropriation for use by student pathways for
16 the career development success program is decreased by \$4,521,670, and
17 the related FTE is decreased by 0.6 FTE;

18 (e) The appropriation from the marijuana tax cash fund created in
19 Section 39-28.8-501 (1), C.R.S., for use by student pathways for the
20 concurrent enrollment expansion and innovation grant program is
21 decreased by \$1,476,948, and the related FTE for college and career
22 readiness is decreased by 0.3 FTE;

23 (f) The general fund appropriation for use by student pathways for
24 the John W. Buckner automatic enrollment in advanced courses grant
25 program is decreased by \$247,914, and the related FTE is decreased by
26 0.3 FTE.

27 (2) For the 2025-26 state fiscal year, \$5,018,715 is appropriated to
28 the department of education for use by student pathways. This
29 appropriation consists of \$4,773,583 from the general fund and \$245,132
30 from the state education fund created in section 17 (4)(a) of article IX of
31 the state constitution. To implement this act, the department may use this
32 appropriation as follows:

33 (a) \$482,217 from the general fund for postsecondary workforce
34 readiness administration, which amount is based on an assumption that
35 the department will require an additional 5.1 FTE; and

36 (b) \$4,291,366 from the general fund and \$245,132 from the state
37 education fund created in section 17 (4)(a) of article IX of the state
38 constitution for postsecondary workforce readiness start-up funding
39 distributions to local education providers."

40 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

1 Page 1, line 102, strike "**PROGRAMS.**" and substitute "**PROGRAMS, AND,**
2 **IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AND REDUCING AN**
3 **APPROPRIATION.**".

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