

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

April 21, 2023
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

SB23-092 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 12, before line 5 insert:

2 "SECTION 6. **Appropriation.** (1) For the 2023-24 state fiscal
3 year, \$4,516,267 General Fund is appropriated to the department of
4 agriculture for use by the commissioner's office and administrative
5 services. To implement this act, the office may use this appropriation as
6 follows:

7 (a) \$412,680 for personal services, which amount is based on an
8 assumption that the office will require an additional 1.0 FTE;

9 (b) \$186,665 for operating expenses;

10 (c) \$3,862,422 for agrivoltaics grants; and

11 (e) \$54,500 for the task force.

12 (2) Any money appropriated in subsection 1 of this section not
13 expended prior to July 1, 2024, is further appropriated to the office for the
14 same purpose until expended or June 30, 2026, whichever comes first.

15 (3) For the 2023-24 state fiscal year, \$30,322 General Fund is
16 appropriated to the department of revenue. To implement this act, the
17 department may use this appropriation as follows:

18 (a) \$7,392 for use by taxations services for personal services; and

19 (b) \$22,930 for tax administration IT system (GenTax) support."

20 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

21 Page 1, line 102, strike "AGRICULTURE." and substitute "AGRICULTURE,
22 AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION."