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SENATE BILL 17-025

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Holbert and Baumgardner,

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Singer,

Senate Committees

Business, Labor, & Technology

House Committees

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT OF MARIJUANA EDUCATION**
102 **MATERIALS.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov/>.)

Committee on Cost-benefit Analysis of Legalized Marijuana in Colorado. The bill directs the department of education:

- ! By July 1, 2017, to create and maintain a resource bank for public schools to use without charge that consists of materials and curricula pertaining to marijuana use; and
- ! Upon request of a public school, to provide technical

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

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assistance in designing age-appropriate curricula on marijuana use.

The bill authorizes resource bank expenses to be paid from the marijuana tax cash fund.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 22-2-127.5 as
3 follows:

4 **22-2-127.5. Marijuana education materials - resource bank -**
5 **technical assistance.** (1) (a) THE DEPARTMENT, WITH ASSISTANCE FROM
6 THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT, SHALL CREATE
7 AND MAINTAIN A RESOURCE BANK OF MATERIALS AND CURRICULA
8 PERTAINING TO MARIJUANA, WHICH MATERIALS AND CURRICULA MAY BE
9 USED IN ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN THE STATE. THE
10 DEPARTMENT MAY CONTRACT FOR SERVICES TO SUPPORT THE
11 MAINTENANCE OF THE RESOURCE BANK AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE
12 CURRICULA. IN CREATING THE RESOURCE BANK AND CURRICULA, THE
13 DEPARTMENT SHALL SOLICIT INPUT FROM PERSONS LICENSED PURSUANT
14 TO ARTICLES 43.3 AND 43.4 OF TITLE 12.

15 (b) THE RESOURCE BANK CREATED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION
16 (1)(a) OF THIS SECTION MAY BE KNOWN AS THE "JACK SPLIT MEMORIAL
17 MARIJUANA RESOURCE BANK".

18 (2) ON AND AFTER JULY 1, 2017, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MAKE
19 MATERIAL IN THE RESOURCE BANK AVAILABLE WITHOUT CHARGE TO
20 SCHOOL DISTRICTS, CHARTER SCHOOLS, AND BOARDS OF COOPERATIVE
21 SERVICES. AT THE REQUEST OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT, CHARTER SCHOOL, OR
22 BOARD OF COOPERATIVE SERVICES, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE
23 TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, CHARTER SCHOOL, OR

1 BOARD OF COOPERATIVE SERVICES IN DESIGNING AGE-APPROPRIATE
2 CURRICULA PERTAINING TO MARIJUANA USE.

3 (3) AFTER THE RESOURCE BANK AND CURRICULA ARE AVAILABLE,
4 SCHOOL DISTRICTS, CHARTER SCHOOLS, AND BOARDS OF COOPERATIVE
5 SERVICES ARE ENCOURAGED TO REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT ON THE
6 EFFECTIVENESS OF THE RESOURCE BANK AND CURRICULA AND TO
7 RECOMMEND CHANGES TO IMPROVE THE RESOURCE BANK OR CURRICULA.
8 THE DEPARTMENT IS ENCOURAGED TO UPDATE THE RESOURCE BANK AND
9 CURRICULA BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS FROM SCHOOL DISTRICTS,
10 CHARTER SCHOOLS, AND BOARDS OF COOPERATIVE SERVICES.

11 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-28.8-501, **amend**
12 (2)(b)(IV) introductory portion, (2)(b)(IV)(K), and (2)(b)(IV)(L); and **add**
13 (2)(b)(IV)(M) as follows:

14 **39-28.8-501. Marijuana tax cash fund - creation - distribution**
15 **- legislative declaration.** (2) (b) (IV) Subject to the limitation in
16 subsection (5) of this section, the general assembly may annually
17 appropriate any money in the fund for any fiscal year following the fiscal
18 year in which ~~they were~~ IT WAS received by the state for the following
19 purposes:

20 (K) FOR grants to local governments for documented retail
21 marijuana impacts through the local government retail marijuana impact
22 grant program created in section 24-32-117; ~~C.R.S.;~~ and

23 (L) For the Colorado veterans' service-to-career pilot program
24 created in part 2 of article 14.3 of title 8; ~~C.R.S.;~~ AND

25 (M) FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND
26 THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT IN DEVELOPING
27 AND MAINTAINING THE RESOURCE BANK FOR EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS ON

1 MARIJUANA AND PROVIDING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AS REQUIRED IN
2 SECTION 22-2-127.5.

3 **SECTION 3. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
4 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
5 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.