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1100GOVERNMENT - STATE

HOUSE BILL 18-1100

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AN ACT

CONCERNING THE CONTINUOUS APPROPRIATION OF MONEY IN THE EDUCATOR LICENSURE CASH FUND.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-60.5-112, **amend** (1)(b)(I), (1)(b)(II), and (1)(b)(IV) as follows:

- **22-60.5-112.** Fees fund repeal. (1) (b) (I) Notwithstanding any provision of paragraph (a) of this subsection (1) SUBSECTION (1)(a) OF THIS SECTION to the contrary, for the 2011-12 fiscal year through the 2017-18 fiscal year 2020-21 FISCAL YEAR, the moneys MONEY in the cash fund are is continuously appropriated to the department to offset the direct and indirect costs incurred by the state board of education and the department in administering this article ARTICLE 60.5. In each of the fiscal years, the general appropriation bill shall MUST, for informational purposes, reflect the estimated amount of expenditures, including any funding for personnel, from the cash fund.
- (II) Notwithstanding section 24-1-136 (11), C.R.S., during each of the regular legislative sessions from 2012 through 2018 2021, the department shall report to the education committees of the house of representatives and the senate, or any successor committees, and the joint budget committee of the general assembly concerning expenditures from the cash fund and the department's progress in meeting the goal of reducing to six weeks or less the processing time for issuing or renewing an educator license.

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

(IV) This paragraph (b) subsection (1)(b) is repealed, effective $\frac{\text{July 1, 2018}}{\text{JULY 1, 2021}}$.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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