

**JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS
SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

CONCERNING THE USE OF MONEY IN THE COLORADO TELEPHONE USERS WITH DISABILITIES FUND TO SUPPORT TALKING BOOK LIBRARY SERVICES FOR CERTAIN PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.

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Appropriation Items of Note

Appropriation Already Added to Bill, Amendment in Packet

Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 02/25/21.

	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>new information or technical issues</i>
XXX	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to <i>amendment adopted</i> after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The Senate Finance Committee Report (03/02/21) adds an appropriation clause to the bill that appropriates \$250,000 cash funds from the Colorado Telephone Users With Disabilities Fund to the Department of Regulatory Agencies for FY 2021-22. Additionally, the provision reappropriates \$250,000 to the Department of Education to support the Colorado Talking Book Library.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
J.001	Staff-prepared appropriation amendment

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The Senate Finance Committee Report includes an appropriation clause that appropriates \$250,000 cash funds from Colorado Telephone Users With Disabilities Fund to the Department of Regulatory Agencies for FY 2021-22. Additionally, the Committee Report reappropriates \$250,000 to the Department of Education to support the Colorado Talking Book Library. However, the Committee Report does not adjust the bill title to reflect the inclusion of an appropriation in the bill.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to add a provision to the Senate Finance Committee Report amending the title of the bill to reflect that the bill will include an appropriation with the adoption of the Finance Committee Report.

Points to Consider

None.