

MEMORANDUM



JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

TO JBC Members
FROM Christina Beisel, JBC Staff
DATE March 16, 2017
SUBJECT Technical Changes for the Departments of Public Safety

COLORADO BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

The JBC staff figure setting document for the Department of Public Safety included a recommendation to change the name of the “Identification” subdivision within the Colorado Bureau of Investigation to “Criminal History Record Checks” in order to better describe the work of the Unit.

Upon further discussion with the Department, **staff is recommending that the name instead be changed to the “Biometric Identification and Records Unit.”** This name more accurately describes the functions of the Unit, as well as new technologies being utilized by the Unit.

COLORADO STATE PATROL

The Motor Carrier Safety and Assistance Program Grants line item included in the staff figure setting recommendations included an increase of \$131,379 cash funds to annualize the prior year salary survey. While the total amount of the annualization is correct, the fund split was incorrect. In order to correct the error, **staff is recommending an adjusted appropriation of \$131,379 total funds, including \$36,963 cash funds and \$94,416 federal funds.**