

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Rural Affairs & Agriculture.

HB20-1069 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 4 through 6 and substitute:
2 "pursuant to sections 37-90-105 (3)(a)(I) and (4)(a) (3)(a)(I)(C) AND
3 (4)(a)(II); 37-90-107 (7)(d)(I) (7)(d)(I)(C); 37-90-116 (1)(a), (1)(c), and
4 (1)(h) (1)(a)(II), (1)(c)(II), AND (1)(h)(II); 37-90-137 (2)(a) (2)(a)(II);
5 and 37-92-602 (3)(a) and (5), forty (3)(a)(II) AND (5)(b), SEVENTY dollars
6 shall be credited to the well inspection cash".

7 Page 3, after line 14, insert:

8 **"SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-90-105, **amend**
9 (3)(a)(I)(C) and (4)(a)(II) as follows:

10 **37-90-105. Small capacity wells.** (3) (a) (I) (C) Effective July 1,
11 2006, wells of the type described in this section may be constructed only
12 upon the issuance of a permit in accordance with the provisions of this
13 section. A fee of one hundred THIRTY dollars shall accompany IS
14 REQUIRED WITH any application for a new well permit under this section.
15 A fee of sixty NINETY dollars shall accompany IS REQUIRED WITH any
16 application for a replacement well of the type described in subsection (1)
17 of this section.

18 (4) (a) (II) Effective July 1, 2006, any wells of the type described
19 by this section that were put to beneficial use prior to May 8, 1972, and
20 any wells that were used exclusively for monitoring and observation
21 purposes prior to August 1, 1988, not of record in the office of the state
22 engineer, may be recorded in that office upon written application,
23 payment of a processing fee of one hundred THIRTY dollars, and permit
24 approval. The record shall MUST include the date the water is claimed to
25 have been first put to beneficial use.

26 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-90-107, **amend**
27 (7)(d)(I)(C) as follows:

28 **37-90-107. Application for use of groundwater - publication**
29 **of notice - conditional permit - hearing on objections - well permits.**
30 (7) (d) (I) (C) Effective July 1, 2006, any person desiring a permit for a
31 well to withdraw groundwater for a beneficial use from the Dawson,
32 Denver, Arapahoe, or Laramie-Fox Hills aquifers shall make application
33 to the commission on a form to be prescribed by the commission. A fee
34 of one hundred THIRTY dollars shall MUST be submitted with the
35 application, which sum shall not be refunded.

36 **SECTION 5.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-90-116, **amend**
37 (1)(a)(II), (1)(c)(II), and (1)(h)(II) as follows:

38 **37-90-116. Fees.** (1) The state engineer or the commission shall
39 collect the following fees:

4 (c) (II) Effective July 1, 2006, for issuing a permit to modify or
5 replace an existing well, one hundred THIRTY dollars.

6 (h) (II) Effective July 1, 2006, with an application for any change
7 in a well permit, whether conditional or final, submitted pursuant to
8 section 37-90-111 (1)(g), one hundred THIRTY dollars, which sum shall
9 not be refunded.

10 **SECTION 6.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-90-137, amend
11 (2)(a)(II) as follows:

37-90-137. Permits to construct wells outside designated basins - fees - permit no groundwater right - evidence - time limitation - well permits - rules. (2) (a) (II) Effective July 1, 2006, upon receipt of an application for a replacement well or a new, increased, or additional supply of groundwater from an area outside the boundaries of a designated groundwater basin, accompanied by a filing fee of one hundred THIRTY dollars, the state engineer shall make a determination as to whether or not the exercise of the requested permit will materially injure the vested water rights of others.

21 **SECTION 7.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-92-602, **amend**
22 (3)(a)(II) and (5)(b) as follows:

37-92-602. Exemptions - presumptions - legislative declaration

- definitions. (3) (a) (II) Effective July 1, 2006, wells of the type described in ~~paragraphs (b) to (d) of subsection (1)~~ SUBSECTIONS (1)(b) TO (1)(d) of this section may be constructed only upon the issuance of a permit in accordance with ~~the provisions of this subsection (3)~~. A person desiring to use such a well shall submit an application for a permit accompanied by a fee of ~~sixty~~ NINETY dollars for an application under ~~paragraph (c) of this subsection (3)~~ SUBSECTION (3)(c) OF THIS SECTION and a fee of one hundred THIRTY dollars for an application under ~~paragraph (b) of this subsection (3)~~ SUBSECTION (3)(b) OF THIS SECTION.

41 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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