SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chairman of Committee ________________________

Date ________________________

Committee on Health & Human Services.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB18-1263 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, after line 15 insert:

"SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-1.5-106.5, amend (3)(b)(I) as follows: 25-1.5-106.5. Medical marijuana health research grant program. (3) (b) Grant approval. (I) The council shall submit recommendations for grants to the state board of health. The state board of health shall approve or disapprove of grants submitted by the council. The state board is encouraged to prioritize grants to gather objective scientific research regarding the efficacy and the safety of administering medical marijuana for pediatric conditions, including but not limited to autism spectrum disorder. If the state board of health disapproves a recommendation, the council may submit a replacement recommendation within thirty days."

Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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