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

HB18-1422 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

2. Page 3, strike lines 1 through 5.
3. Page 3, line 6, strike "(c)" and substitute "(b)".
4. Page 3, after line 9 insert:

   "SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-43.3-202, add (2.5)(a)(I)(H) as follows:

   12-43.3-202. Powers and duties of state licensing authority - rules. (2.5) (a) Rules promulgated pursuant to subsection (1)(b) of this section must include, but need not be limited to, the following subjects:

   (I) (H) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2019, REQUIRING A MEDICAL MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY TO BE ACCREDITED IN A CATEGORY OF TESTING PURSUANT TO THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR STANDARDIZATION/INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION 17025:2005 STANDARD, OR A SUBSEQUENT SUPERSEDING STANDARD, IN ORDER TO RECEIVE CERTIFICATION OR MAINTAIN CERTIFICATION; EXCEPT THAT THE STATE LICENSING AUTHORITY MAY BY RULE ESTABLISH CONDITIONS FOR PROVIDING EXTENSIONS TO A NEWLY LICENSED MEDICAL MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED TWELVE MONTHS OR A MEDICAL MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY FOR GOOD CAUSE AS DEFINED BY RULES PROMULGATED BY THE STATE LICENSING AUTHORITY, WHICH SHALL INCLUDE BUT MAY NOT BE LIMITED TO WHEN..."
AN APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED AND IS
PENDING WITH A RECOGNIZED ACCREDITING BODY.".

Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

Page 3, strike lines 21 through 27.

Page 4, strike lines 1 through 8.

Page 4, line 9, strike "(c)" and substitute "(b)".

Page 4, after line 11 insert:

"SECTION 4. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-43.4-202, add
(3)(a)(IV)(I) as follows:

12-43.4-202. Powers and duties of state licensing authority -
rules. (3) (a) Rules promulgated pursuant to subsection (2)(b) of this
section must include, but need not be limited to, the following subjects:
(IV) (I) ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2019, REQUIRING A RETAIL
MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY TO BE ACCREDITED IN A CATEGORY OF
TESTING PURSUANT TO THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR
STANDARDIZATION/INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION
17025:2005 STANDARD, OR A SUBSEQUENT SUPERSEDING STANDARD, IN
ORDER TO RECEIVE CERTIFICATION OR MAINTAIN CERTIFICATION; EXCEPT
THAT THE STATE LICENSING AUTHORITY MAY BY RULE ESTABLISH
CONDITIONS FOR PROVIDING EXTENSIONS TO A NEWLY LICENSED RETAIL
MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED TWELVE
MONTHS OR A RETAIL MARIJUANA TESTING FACILITY FOR GOOD CAUSE AS
DEFINED BY RULES PROMULGATED BY THE STATE LICENSING AUTHORITY,
WHICH SHALL INCLUDE BUT MAY NOT BE LIMITED TO WHEN AN
APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED AND IS PENDING
WITH A RECOGNIZED ACCREDITING BODY.".

Renumber succeeding section.

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