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

SB19-176 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

Amend reengrossed bill, page 19, after line 7, insert:

"SECTION 9. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-3.3-103, add (4)

as follows:

23-3.3-103. Annual appropriations. (4) The provisions of subsection (1) of this section concerning appropriations for student financial assistance under this article do not apply to appropriations made pursuant to sections 23-18-308 (1)(d) and 23-60-202.7 to the state board for community colleges and occupational education to provide services to maximize concurrent enrollment across the community college system."

Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

Page 19, after line 25 insert:

"SECTION 11. Appropriation. For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, $1,500,000 is appropriated to the department of education. This appropriation is from the marijuana tax cash fund created in section 39-28.8-501 (1), C.R.S., and is based on an assumption that the department will require an additional 0.3 FTE. To implement this act, the department may use this appropriation for the concurrent enrollment expansion and innovation grant program."

Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.