

HOUSE BILL 20-1387

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Esgar, McCluskie; also SENATOR(S) Moreno, Zenzinger.

CONCERNING THE REPEAL OF THE TRANSFER OF UNEXPENDED MONEY FOR REIMBURSING COUNTIES FOR EXEMPTIONS FROM PROPERTY TAXES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-3-207, **repeal** (6) as follows:

39-3-207. Reporting of exemptions - reimbursement to local governmental entities. (6) On June 30, 2016, and on each June 30 thereafter, of the amount by which the total estimated amount specified in the annual general appropriation act for the costs of this part 2 exceeds the total amount of all warrants issued by the state treasurer pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of this section, the state treasurer shall transfer:

(a) Ninety-five percent to the senior services account within the older Coloradans cash fund, created pursuant to section 26-11-205.5 (5)(b), C.R.S.; and

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.

- (b) Five percent to the veterans assistance grant program cash fund created in section 28-5-712 (3), C.R.S.
- **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-11-205.5, amend (5)(b); and add (5)(c) as follows:
- **26-11-205.5.** Older Coloradans program distribution formula cash fund repeal. (5) (b) (I) There is hereby created within the fund the senior services account, referred to in this paragraph (b) SUBSECTION (5)(b) as the "account". The account shall consist CONSISTS of moneys MONEY transferred to the account pursuant to section 39-3-207 (6). C.R.S. Moneys MONEY in the account are IS subject to annual appropriation to the state department for distribution to area agencies on aging pursuant to subsection (2) of this section. The state department may designate the senior services for which moneys MONEY in the account shall be IS used.
- (II) The state treasurer shall transfer any money in the account as of the effective date of this subsection (5)(b)(II) to the fund.
 - (III) This subsection (5)(b) is repealed, effective July 1, 2020.
- (c) Notwithstanding any provision of this subsection (5) to the contrary, on July 1, 2020, the state treasurer shall deduct thirteen million dollars from the fund and transfer such sum to the general fund.

SECTION 3. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety.

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