

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

April 22, 2022

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB22-192 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 11, strike lines 19 through 22 and substitute the
2 following:

3 **"SECTION 4. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2022-23 state fiscal
4 year, \$800,000 is appropriated to the department of education. This
5 appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the
6 department may use this appropriation for the adult education and literacy
7 grant program.

8 (2) For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$1,800,000 is appropriated
9 to the department of higher education for use by the Colorado
10 commission on higher education. This appropriation is from the general
11 fund. To implement this act, the commission may use this appropriation
12 for allocations to community and technical colleges and local district
13 colleges to fund student access to nondegree credential programs.

14 (3) For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$1,000,000 is appropriated to
15 the credentials to support Colorado jobs cash fund created in section 23-
16 5-145.6(5)(a), C.R.S. This appropriation is from the workers, employers,
17 and workforce centers cash fund created in section 24-75-231(2)(a),
18 C.R.S. The department of higher education is responsible for the
19 accounting related to this appropriation."

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