

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 8, 2024
Date

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB24-104 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 5, after line 10 insert:

2 "(4) THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM MAY RECEIVE FUNDING FOR THE
3 SERVICES DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION THROUGH A LIMITED PURPOSE
4 FEE-FOR-SERVICE CONTRACT PURSUANT TO SECTION 23-18-308 (1)(m).

5 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-18-308, **add**
6 (1)(m) as follows:

7 **23-18-308. Fee-for-service contracts - grants to local district**
8 **colleges - limited purpose - repeal.** (1) Subject to available
9 appropriations, the department shall enter into fee-for-service contracts
10 for the following purposes:

11 (m) THE CREATION OF EDUCATION PROGRAMS PURSUANT TO
12 SECTION 8-15.7-201.

13 **SECTION 5. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2024-25 state fiscal
14 year, \$87,326 is appropriated to the department of labor and employment
15 for use by the executive director's office. This appropriation is from the
16 general fund and is based on an assumption that the office will require an
17 additional 0.8 FTE. To implement this act, the office may use this
18 appropriation for the state apprenticeship agency.

19 (2) For the 2024-25 state fiscal year, \$95,245 is appropriated to
20 the department of higher education. This appropriation is from the general
21 fund. To implement this act, the department may use this appropriation
22 for the college opportunity fund program to be used for limited purpose
23 fee-for-service contracts with state institutions.

24 (3) For the 2024-25 state fiscal year, \$95,245 is appropriated to
25 the department of higher education. This appropriation is from
26 reappropriated funds received from the limited purpose fee-for-service
27 contracts with state institutions under subsection (2) of this section. To

1 implement this act, the department may use this appropriation for the state
2 board for community colleges and occupational education state system
3 community colleges."

4 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

5 Page 1, line 102, strike "APPRENTICESHIPS." and substitute
6 "APPRENTICESHIPS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN
7 APPROPRIATION."

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