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STATE OF COLORADO

REENGROSSED

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HOUSE BILL 18-1263

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House Committees

Health, Insurance, & Environment

Senate Committees

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING ADDING CERTAIN CONDITIONS TO THE LIST OF DISABLING**
102 **MEDICAL CONDITIONS FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA USE, AND, IN**
103 **CONNECTION THEREWITH, ADDING AUTISM SPECTRUM**
104 **DISORDERS.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov>.)

The bill adds autism spectrum disorders and acute pain to the list of disabling medical conditions that authorize a person to use medical marijuana for his or her condition.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
April 12, 2018

HOUSE
Amended 2nd Reading
April 11, 2018

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-1.5-106, **amend**
3 **(2)(a.7)** as follows:

4 **25-1.5-106. Medical marijuana program - powers and duties**
5 **of state health agency - rules - medical review board - medical**
6 **marijuana program cash fund - subaccount - created - repeal.**

7 **(2) Definitions.** In addition to the definitions set forth in section 14 (1)
8 of article XVIII of the state constitution, as used in this section, unless the
9 context otherwise requires:

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11 (a.7) "Disabling medical condition" means:

12 (I) Post-traumatic stress disorder as diagnosed by a licensed
13 mental health provider or physician; **AND**

14 (II) AN AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AS DIAGNOSED BY A
15 LICENSED MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDER OR **PHYSICIAN.**

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17 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
18 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
19 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.