

CHAPTER 261

EDUCATION - UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

SENATE BILL 08-232

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also REPRESENTATIVE(S) Curry, Fischer, Frangas, Gallegos, Hodge, King, McFadyen, and Roberts.

AN ACT

CONCERNING CERTAIN ENTITIES WITHIN THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WILDFIRE EMERGENCY RESPONSE FUND.

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

SECTION 1. 23-1-104 (1) (a) (I), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended, and the said 23-1-104 (1) (a) is further amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBPARAGRAPH, to read:

23-1-104. Financing the system of postsecondary education. (1) (a) (I) The general assembly shall make annual appropriations of general fund moneys, of cash funds received from tuition income, and of cash funds exempt that are estimated to be received by an institution, under the direction and control of the governing board, as stipends, as defined in section 23-18-102, as a single line item to each governing board for the operation of its campuses; EXCEPT THAT, IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATES MONEYS, AS DESCRIBED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (IV) OF THIS PARAGRAPH (a), TO THE COLORADO STATE FOREST SERVICE, THE AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION DEPARTMENT OF THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY, OR THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE, SUCH MONEYS SHALL NOT BE INCLUDED WITHIN THE SINGLE LINE ITEM APPROPRIATIONS DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBPARAGRAPH (I).

(IV) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2009, AND FOR FISCAL YEARS THEREAFTER, IN ADDITION TO ANY APPROPRIATIONS MADE PURSUANT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH (a), THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY MAKE ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS OF GENERAL FUND MONEYS AND OF MONEYS RECEIVED PURSUANT TO A FEE-FOR-SERVICE CONTRACT NEGOTIATED BY THE BOARD OF

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

GOVERNORS OF THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 23-5-130, AS SEPARATE LINE ITEMS TO:

(A) THE COLORADO STATE FOREST SERVICE DESCRIBED IN PART 3 OF ARTICLE 31 OF THIS TITLE;

(B) THE AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION DEPARTMENT OF THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY DESCRIBED IN PART 6 OF ARTICLE 31 OF THIS TITLE; AND

(C) THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE DESCRIBED IN PART 7 OF ARTICLE 31 OF THIS TITLE.

SECTION 2. 34-63-102 (5) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBPARAGRAPH to read:

34-63-102. Creation of mineral leasing fund - distribution - advisory committee - definition. (5) (a) (III) FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2007, OF THE MONEYS TRANSFERRED PURSUANT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH (a) TO THE WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS FUND CREATED IN SECTION 23-31-309 (4), C.R.S., TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE WILDFIRE EMERGENCY RESPONSE FUND CREATED IN SECTION 23-31-309 (1), C.R.S.

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, and safety.

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