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STATE OF COLORADO Second Regular Session

Fourteenth Legislative Day

Tuesday, January 22, 2002

1	Prayer by Re	presentative Mitchell.								
3	The Speaker Pro Tempore called the House to order at 9:00 a.m. The roll was called with the following result: Present62.									
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8	Presen Excus	nt62. edRepresentatives Daniel, Stafford, Mr. Speaker3.								
9 10 11	The Speaker	Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.								
12 13 14 15 16 17	On motion of Representative White, the reading of the journal of January 21, 2002, was declared dispensed with and approved as corrected by the Chief Clerk.									
18 19 20	REP	PORTS OF COMMITTEES OF REFERENCE								
21 22 23 24	EDUCATION After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:									
25 26	<u>HB02-1108</u>	be postponed indefinitely.								
27 28 29 30 31	<u>HB02-1137</u>	be postponed indefinitely.								
32 33 34 35 36	HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, WELFARE, & INSTITUTIONS After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:									
37 38 39	<u>HB02-1022</u>	be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.								
40 41 42 43	HB02-1063	be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.								

1	PRINTING REPORT
2 3 4 5	The Chief Clerk reports the following bills have been correctly printed: HB02-1204, 1205, 1206, 1207, 1208, 1209, 1210.
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7 8 9	INTRODUCTION OF BILLS First Reading
10 11 12	The following bills were read by title and referred to the committees indicated:
13 14 15 16 17	HB02-1209 by Representative(s) Spradley, Cloer; also Senator(s) EppsConcerning the older Coloradans program, and making an appropriation in connection therewith. Committee on Health, Environment, Welfare, & Institutions Committee on Appropriations
19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	by Representative(s) Spradley; also Senator(s) Musgrave-Concerning requirements for disabled persons to obtain special license plates, and, in connection therewith, allowing such persons to apply for such license plates for a motor vehicle owned by a trust set up for the person with
25 26 27 28	a disability. Committee on Transportation & Energy
31 32 33	On motion of Representative Hefley, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole for consideration of General Orders, and she was called to the Chair to act as Chairman.
34 35	GENERAL ORDERSSECOND READING OF BILLS
36 37 38 39 40	The Committee of the Whole having risen, the Chairman reported the titles of the following bills had been read (reading at length had been dispensed with by unanimous consent), the bills considered and action taken thereon as follows:
12 13	(Amendments to the committee amendment are to the printed committee report which was printed and placed in the members' bill file.)
14 15 16 17	On motion of Representative Spradley, consideration of HB02-1016 , 1072 , 1043 was laid over until January 23, retaining place on Calendar.
18 19	HB02-1092 by Representative(s) Williams T.; also Senator(s) TateConcerning activities of trust companies.
50 51 52 53	Amendment No. 1, Business Affairs & Labor Report, dated January 15, 2002, and placed in member's bill file; Report also printed in House Journal, January 16, page 101.

55 As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and Final Passage.

HB02-1020 by Representative(s) White; also Senator(s) Arnold--2 3 4 Concerning the application of enhanced penalties for violation of driving restrictions imposed by the state when dangerous driving conditions exist. 5 6 Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and 7 Final Passage. 9 by Representative(s) Swenson; also Senator May--**HB02-1066** 10 Concerning measures that will stabilize the cash flow 11 associated with the issuance of license plates. 12 13 <u>Amendment No. 1</u>, by Representative Swenson. Amend printed bill, page 3, line 25, after "ELIGIBLE", insert "AS 14 DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT". 15 16 17 As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third 18 Reading and Final Passage. 19 20 HB02-1033 by Representative(s) Webster; also Senator(s) Musgrave--21 Concerning the reform of state statutes, and, in connection therewith, deleting the fat content requirement for 23 whipped butter and eliminating the license application fee 24 for dealers in farm products who conduct transactions with 25 cash. 26 27 Declared **lost** on Second Reading. 28 (For change in action, see Amendments to Report.) 29 30 by Representative(s) Rippy; also Senator(s)Taylor--**HB02-1041** 31 Concerning the maintenance of a sufficient balance in the 32 operational account of the severance tax trust fund to fund 33 the recommended programs for two state fiscal years. 34 35 Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and 36 Final Passage. 37 38 by Representative(s) Miller, Mace, Webster; also Sen-HB02-1032 39 ator(s) Hanna--Concerning the authorization for members 40 of the statewide defined benefit plan to acquire service 41 credit for prior employment not covered by the plan. 42 43 Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and 44 Final Passage. 45 46 HB02-1057 by Representative(s) Swenson; also Senator(s) Musgrave--47 Concerning the modification of the existing state excess 48 revenue refund mechanism that reduces the sales tax rate 49 on specified vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating in 50 excess of twenty-six thousand pounds to allow the 51 determination of whether the mechanism will be utilized 52 in a given state fiscal year to be made prior to the end of 53 the preceding state fiscal year.

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HB02-1085 by Representative(s) Cloer; also Senator(s) Phillips--2 3 4 Concerning changes in the deadlines for taxpayers to give notice of objection to valuation of real property by assessors. 5 6 Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and 7 Final Passage. 9 **HB02-1110** by Representative(s) Scott, Ragsdale, Swenson, Webster, 10 Weddig; also Senator(s) Tate, Phillips--Concerning 11 bonded indebtedness of metropolitan sewage disposal 12 districts. 13 14 Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and 15 Final Passage. 16 17 HB02-1042 by Representative(s) Stafford, Boyd, Clapp, Romanoff; 18 also Senator(s) Linkhart, Hernandez--Concerning exten-19 sions under the Colorado works program for persons who 20 have reached the sixty-month lifetime limit for receipt of 21 TANF assistance. 23 Laid over until January 23, retaining place on Calendar. 24 25 HB02-1061 by Representative(s) Garcia; also Senator(s) Entz--26 Concerning applications for absentee ballots. 27 28 Amendment No. 1, by Representative Garcia. 29 30 Amend printed bill, page 3, line 1, strike "SECTION." and substitute "SECTION AND CONTAINS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT: "UNDER 31 32 COLORADO LAW, YOUR ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATION MUST CONTAIN YOUR PRINTED NAME, SIGNATURE, RESIDENCE ADDRESS, MAILING ADDRESS 34 IF YOU WISH TO RECEIVE THE BALLOT BY MAIL, AND DATE OF BIRTH. IF 35 YOU DO NOT PROVIDE ALL OF THIS INFORMATION, YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE 36 AN ABSENTEE BALLOT."". 37 38 As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third 39 Reading and Final Passage. 40 41 HB02-1021 by Representative(s) Hefley, Rhodes; also Senator(s) 42 Hernandez--Concerning the waiver of parole consideration 43 by inmates. 44 45 Amendment No. 1, Criminal Justice Report, dated January 17, 2002, and 46 placed in member's bill file; Report also printed in House Journal, 47 January 18, page 117. 48 49 As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third 50 Reading and Final Passage. by Representative(s) Coleman, Scott, Vigil, Williams T.; 52 HB02-1077 also Senator(s) Anderson, Taylor, Tupa--Concerning 53 54 audits performed by the division of criminal justice to

determine levels of compliance by community corrections

programs with established standards.

Amendment No. 1, Criminal Justice Report, dated January 17, 2002, and placed in member's bill file; Report also printed in House Journal, January 18, page 117.

As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and Final Passage.

<u>HB02-1095</u> by Representative(s) Clapp; also Senator(s) Andrews-Concerning Governor Ralph Carr Day.

Ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and Final Passage.

HB02-1105 by Representative(s) Hodge--Concerning a requirement that electors voting by mail be given information as to the amount of postage required on the returned ballot.

Amendment No. 1, by Representative Saliman.

Amend printed bill, page 3, line 5, strike "2002," and substitute "2003,".

As amended, ordered engrossed and placed on the Calendar for Third Reading and Final Passage.

AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE REPORT

Representative Webster moved to amend the Report of the Committee of the Whole to show that **HB02-1033** did pass.

The amendment was declared **passed** by the following roll call vote:

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36	Alexander	Y	Groff	Y	Marshall	Y	Spence	Y
37	Bacon	Y	Grossman	ı Y	Miller	Y	Spradley	Y
38	Berry	Y	Harvey	Y	Mitchell	Y	Stafford	Ε
39	Borodkin	Y	Hefley	Y	Paschall	Y	Stengel	-
40	Boyd	Y	Hodge	Y	Plant	Y	Swenson	Y
41	Cadman	Y	Hoppe	Y	Ragsdale	Y	Tapia	Y
42	Chavez	Y	Jahn	Y	Rhodes	Y	Tochtrop	Y
43	Clapp	Y	Jameson	Y	Rippy	Y	Veiga	Y
44	Cloer	Y	Johnson	Y	Romanoff	Y	Vigil	Y
45	Coleman	Y	Kester	Y	Saliman	Y	Webster	Y
46	Crane	Y	King	Y	Sanchez	Y	Weddig	Y
47	Daniel	\mathbf{E}	Larson	Y	Schultheis	Y	White	Y
48	Decker	Y	Lawrence	Y	Scott	Y	Williams S.	-
49	Fairbank	Y	Lee	Y	Sinclair	Y	Williams T.	Y
50	Fritz	Y	Mace	Y	Smith	Y	Witwer	Y
51	Garcia	Y	Madden	Y	Snook	Y	Young	Y
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Pursuant to House Rule 16, Representative Sinclair moved "Shall the main question be now put?" The motion was declared **passed** by the following roll call vote:

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14	Borodkin	N	Hefley	Y	Paschall	Y	Stengel	-
15	Boyd	N	Hodge	N	Plant	N	Swenson	Y
16	Cadman	Y	Hoppe	Y	Ragsdale	N	Tapia	-
17	Chavez	N	Jahn	N	Rhodes	Y	Tochtrop	N
18	Clapp	Y	Jameson	N	Rippy	Y	Veiga	N
19	Cloer	Y	Johnson	Y	Romanoff	N	Vigil	N
20	Coleman	N	Kester	Y	Saliman	N	Webster	Y
21	Crane	Y	King	Y	Sanchez	N	Weddig	N
22	Daniel	E	Larson	Y	Schultheis	Y	White	Y
23	Decker	Y	Lawrence	Y	Scott	Y	Williams S.	N
24	Fairbank	Y	Lee	Y	Sinclair	Y	Williams T.	Y
25	Fritz	Y	Mace	N	Smith	Y	Witwer	N
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The Crane amendment was declared **lost** by the following roll call vote:

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35	Alexander	N	Groff	N	Marshall	N	Spence	Y
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37	Berry	N	Harvey	Y	Mitchell	Y	Stafford	E
38	Borodkin	N	Hefley	Y	Paschall	Y	Stengel	Y
39	Boyd	N	Hodge	N	Plant	N	Swenson	Y
40	Cadman	Y	Hoppe	Y	Ragsdale	N	Tapia	N
41	Chavez	N	Jahn	N	Rhodes	Y	Tochtrop	N
42	Clapp	Y	Jameson	N	Rippy	Y	Veiga	N
43	Cloer	Y	Johnson	Y	Romanoff	N	Vigil	N
44	Coleman	N	Kester	Y	Saliman	N	Webster	Y
45	Crane	Y	King	Y	Sanchez	N	Weddig	N
46	Daniel	Е	Larson	N	Schultheis	Y	White	Y
47	Decker	Y	Lawrence	Y	Scott	Y	Williams S.	N
48	Fairbank	Y	Lee	Y	Sinclair	N	Williams T.	Y
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ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE REPORT

Passed Second Reading: HB02-1092 amended, 1020, 1066 amended, 1033, 1041, 1032, 1057, 1085, 1110, 1061 amended, 1021 amended, 1077 amended, 1095, 1105 amended.

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Laid over until date indicated retaining place on Calendar: **HB02-1016**, **1072, 1043, 1042**--January 23, 2002.

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The Chairman moved the adoption of the Committee of the Whole Report. As shown by the following roll call vote, a majority of those elected to the House voted in the affirmative, and the Report was adopted.

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17	Alexander	Y	Groff	Y	Marshall	Y	Spence	Y
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19	Berry	Y	Harvey	Y	Mitchell	Y	Stafford	E
20	Borodkin	Y	Hefley	Y	Paschall	Y	Stengel	Y
21	Boyd	Y	Hodge	Y	Plant	Y	Swenson	Y
22	Cadman	Y	Hoppe	Y	Ragsdale	Y	Tapia	Y
23	Chavez	Y	Jahn	Y	Rhodes	Y	Tochtrop	Y
24	Clapp	Y	Jameson	Y	Rippy	Y	Veiga	Y
25	Cloer	Y	Johnson	-	Romanoff	Y	Vigil	Y
26	Coleman	Y	Kester	Y	Saliman	Y	Webster	Y
27	Crane	Y	King	Y	Sanchez	Y	Weddig	Y
28	Daniel	E	Larson	Y	Schultheis	Y	White	Y
29	Decker	Y	Lawrence	Y	Scott	Y	Williams S.	Y
30	Fairbank	Y	Lee	Y	Sinclair	Y	Williams T.	Y
31	Fritz	Y	Mace	Y	Smith	Y	Witwer	Y

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE

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HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, WELFARE, & INSTITUTIONS

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

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be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

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Amend printed bill, strike everything below the enacting clause and substitute the following:

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"**SECTION 1.** Part 4 of article 4 of title 26, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to read:

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26-4-422. Providers - home health care - homemaker services - personal care services - alternative care facilities - case-mix methodology feasibility study - repeal. (1) Home health services.

SIMULATION OF A CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM, AS DEFINED IN SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION, FOR AGENCIES THAT PROVIDE HOME 4 HEALTH SERVICES. THE FEASIBILITY STUDY SHALL BE VOLUNTARY AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL SPECIFY HOW MANY PROVIDERS MAY 6 PARTICIPATE IN THE STUDY, ANY CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION, AND HOW PROVIDERS MAY APPLY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STUDY.

(a) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY WITH

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(b) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL ESTABLISH AND SEEK INPUT 10 FROM AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF HOME CARE PROVIDERS AND CONSUMERS FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (1).

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THE STATE DEPARTMENT MAY CONTRACT WITH AN 14 INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT TO CONDUCT THE CASE-MIX FEASIBILITY 15 STUDY AND SIMULATION SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (1).

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(2) Homemaker services - personal care services - alternative 18 care facilities. (a) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONDUCT A 19 FEASIBILITY STUDY OF A CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM, AS DEFINED 20 IN SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION, FOR REIMBURSING HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR HOMEMAKER AND PERSONAL CARE SERVICES WITH THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING A PROPOSED METHODOLOGY FOR A CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM FOR SUCH THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL SEEK INPUT FROM THE SERVICES. ADVISORY COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT UNDER 26 SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS PARAGRAPH (a).

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(b) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL CONDUCT A FEASIBILITY STUDY 30 OF A CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM, AS DEFINED IN SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION, FOR REIMBURSING HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR ALTERNATIVE CARE SERVICES WITH THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING A PROPOSED METHODOLOGY FOR A CASE-MIX 34 REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM FOR SUCH SERVICES. THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL ESTABLISH AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF AND SEEK INPUT FROM 36 MEDICAID-CERTIFIED ALTERNATIVE CARE SERVICE PROVIDERS, ALTERNATIVE CARE FACILITY OPERATORS, AND ALTERNATIVE CARE FACILITY CONSUMERS FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS PARAGRAPH (b).

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(c) THE FEASIBILITY STUDIES CONDUCTED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION (2) SHALL BE VOLUNTARY AND THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL SPECIFY HOW MANY PROVIDERS MAY PARTICIPATE IN EACH STUDY, ANY CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION, AND HOW MANY PROVIDERS MAY APPLY TO PARTICIPATE IN EACH STUDY.

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THE STATE DEPARTMENT MAY CONTRACT WITH AN 47 INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT TO CONDUCT THE CASE-MIX FEASIBILITY 48 STUDIES SPECIFIED IN THIS SUBSECTION (2).

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(3) **Definitions.** FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, A "CASE-MIX 51 REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM" MEANS A SYSTEM THAT REIMBURSES EACH 52 PROVIDER AGENCY ACCORDING TO THE RESOURCE CONSUMPTION IN TREATING THE PROVIDER'S CASE-MIX OF MEDICAID CLIENTS, WHICH MAY 54 BE BASED UPON SUCH FACTORS AS AGE, HEALTH STATUS, RESOURCE 55 UTILIZATION, AND DIAGNOSES OF THE MEDICAID CLIENTS. SUCH SYSTEM 56 FOR HOME HEALTH AGENCIES MAY BE BASED UPON THE FEDERAL CASE-MIX ADJUSTED PROSPECTIVE PAYMENT SYSTEM TO INCLUDE OTHER ELEMENTS APPROPRIATE FOR COLORADO MEDICAID CLIENTS.

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(4) **Reporting.** (a) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL REPORT THE RESULTS OF EACH OF THE FEASIBILITY STUDIES UNDER THIS SECTION TO THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THE HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, WELFARE, AND INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AND THE HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT, CHILDREN AND FAMILIES COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF EACH STUDY. THE REPORT SHALL INCLUDE THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S RECOMMENDATION ON WHETHER THE CASE-MIX 12 REIMBURSEMENT METHODOLOGY SHOULD BE IMPLEMENTED FOR HOME HEALTH CARE AND FOR HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES AND WHAT CHANGES, IF ANY, WOULD NEED TO BE MADE IN THE AUTHORIZING 15 LEGISLATION.

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(b) A CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM SHALL ONLY BE 18 INSTITUTED IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT AND THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DETERMINE, PRIOR TO 20 IMPLEMENTATION, THAT SUCH A REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM WILL NOT INCREASE ANNUAL STATE EXPENDITURES FOR HOME HEALTH CARE AND HOME- AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT APPROPRIATE ADJUSTMENTS FOR COST OF LIVING.

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(5) The state department is authorized to accept and 26 EXPEND GRANTS AND DONATIONS FROM PRIVATE AND PUBLIC SOURCES FOR THE PURPOSES OF IMPLEMENTING THIS SECTION. THE CASE-MIX REIMBURSEMENT SYSTEM FEASIBILITY STUDIES SPECIFIED UNDER SUBSECTIONS (1) AND (2) OF THIS SECTION SHALL NOT BE CONDUCTED 30 UNTIL SUFFICIENT GIFTS, GRANTS, AND DONATIONS ARE OBTAINED TO SUPPORT THE STUDIES. ANY GIFTS, GRANTS, AND DONATIONS SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE CASE-MIX CASH FUND, WHICH FUND IS HEREBY CREATED IN THE STATE TREASURY, AND REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "FUND". THE MONEYS IN THE FUND SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING THE FEASIBILITY STUDIES AS DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION. ALL INTEREST DERIVED FROM THE DEPOSIT AND INVESTMENT OF MONEYS IN THE CASE-MIX CASH FUND SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE FUND. ANY MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND AT THE END OF EACH FISCAL YEAR SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND AND SHALL NOT BE TRANSFERRED OR REVERT TO THE GENERAL FUND; EXCEPT THAT ANY UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND AS OF JULY 1, 2007, SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE GENERAL FUND, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ACTING BY BILL.

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(6) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROMULGATE RULES AS MAY BE NECESSARY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS SECTION.

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(7) This section is repealed, effective July 1, 2007.

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SECTION 2. Effective date. This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly that is allowed for submitting a referendum petition pursuant to article V, section 1 (3) of the state constitution; except that, if a referendum petition is filed against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part, if approved by the people, shall take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by proclamation of the governor.".

HB02-1090 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

Amend printed bill, strike everything below the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. 12-38-109, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

12-38-109. Advisory committee. (1) The board may appoint advisory committees including professional review committees to assist in the performance of its duties. Each advisory committee shall consist of at least three licensees who have expertise in the area under review. Members of the advisory committees shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be reimbursed for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

(2) THIS SECTION SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE 26 APPOINTED TO STUDY THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 12-38.1-108.5, C.R.S.

12-38.1-102, Colorado Revised Statutes, is SECTION 2. amended BY THE ADDITION OF THE FOLLOWING NEW SUBSECTIONS to read:

12-38.1-102. Definitions. As used in this article, unless the context otherwise requires:

(3.3) "DIVISION" MEANS THE DIVISION OF REGISTRATIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES.

(3.5) "Home Health Agency" means a provider of home 40 HEALTH SERVICES AS DEFINED IN SECTION 26-4-103, C.R.S., THAT IS 41 CERTIFIED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT.

(3.7) "NURSING FACILITY" SHALL HAVE THE SAME MEANING AS SET 44 FORTH IN SECTION 26-4-103 (11), C.R.S.

SECTION 3. Article 38.1 of title 12, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to read:

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12-38.1-108.5. Medication administration advisory committee 50 - created - repeal. (1) ON OR BEFORE JULY 1, 2002, THE BOARD, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DIVISION, SHALL APPOINT AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS BY CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES IN NURSING FACILITIES AND THROUGH HOME 54 HEALTH CARE AGENCIES.

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(2) THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SHALL CONSIST OF ELEVEN

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54 55 MEMBERS AS FOLLOWS:

- (a) ONE REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE DIVISION;
- 5 (b) ONE GERIATRIC PHYSICIAN LICENSED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 36 6 OF THIS TITLE;
- 8 (c) One pharmacist experienced in the delivery of 9 pharmaceutical products in a health care-based setting who is 10 licensed pursuant to article 22 of this title;
- 12 (d) One advocate who represents the residents or patients 13 in Nursing facilities;
 - (e) ONE HOME HEALTH CARE NURSE;
 - (f) ONE DIRECTOR OF A HOME HEALTH AGENCY;
- 19 (g) One director of a nursing home located in an urban 20 Area;
- 22 (h) ONE DIRECTOR OF A NURSING HOME LOCATED IN A RURAL 23 AREA;
- 25 (i) One registered nurse who has experience teaching 26 medication administration;
- 28 (j) ONE REGISTERED NURSE WHO HAS EXPERIENCE TEACHING THE 29 CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE PROGRAM; AND
- 31 (k) ONE CLINICAL RESEARCHER WHO HAS STUDIED CARE DELIVERY 32 IN LONG-TERM CARE SETTINGS AND IN HOME HEALTH CARE.
- 34 (3) THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SHALL STUDY THE ISSUE OF 35 ALLOWING CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES TO ADMINISTER MEDICATIONS IN NURSING FACILITIES AND THROUGH HOME HEALTH AGENCIES. THE STUDY 37 SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING:
- 39 (a) The Benefits and Risks associated with training 40 certified nurse aides to become medication aides;
- 42 (b) THE EFFECT OF THE USE OF MEDICATION AIDES ON THE LEVEL 43 OF PATIENT CARE;
- 45 (c) THE LEVEL OF EXPERIENCE A CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE MUST HAVE 46 IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR TRAINING AS A MEDICATION AIDE;
- 48 (d) THE EXTENT AND CONTENT OF CLASSROOM TRAINING AND 49 EDUCATION REQUIRED TO BE A MEDICATION AIDE; AND
- 51 (e) THE EXTENT AND LIMIT TO THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF A 52 CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE WHO HAS COMPLETED TRAINING AS A MEDICATION 53 AIDE.
- 55 (4) THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SHALL DEVELOP 56 RECOMMENDATIONS RESULTING FROM ITS STUDY ON THE TRAINING OF

 CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES TO BE MEDICATION AIDES AND THE USE OF MEDICATION AIDES TO ADMINISTER MEDICATIONS IN NURSING FACILITIES AND THROUGH HOME HEALTH CARE AGENCIES.

- (5) The advisory committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the senate health, environment, children and families committee, the house health, environment, welfare, and institutions committee, and the joint committee of legislative council on or before November 1, 2002.
 - (6) (a) This section is repealed, effective July 1, 2003.
- 13 (b) PRIOR TO SAID REPEAL, THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO STUDY
 14 THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS BY CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES SHALL
 15 BE REVIEWED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 2-3-1203, C.R.S.
- SECTION 4. 2-3-1203 (3) (p), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:
 - **2-3-1203.** Sunset review of advisory committees. (3) The following dates are the dates for which the statutory authorization for the designated advisory committees is scheduled for repeal:
 - (p) July 1, 2003:
 - (I) The advisory committee in the department of health care policy and financing created in section 26-4-529 (3), C.R.S.;
 - (II) THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS BY CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES IN SECTION 12-38.1-108.5, C.R.S.
 - **SECTION 5. 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.".

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

The following resolution was read by title and referred to the committee indicated:

HJR02-1007 by Representative(s) Stengel, Young, Berry, Saliman; also Senator(s) Fitz-Gerald, Reeves, Tate, Owen--Concerning the certification by the general assembly of its estimate of state general fund revenues and allowable state general fund appropriations for the 2002-03 budget year.

Committee on Finance

WHEREAS, The general assembly is required by section 24-75-201.3, Colorado Revised Statutes, to make an annual certification of its estimate of general fund revenues for the next fiscal year to the controller; and

WHEREAS, Gross general fund revenues for the 2002-03 fiscal

 year, as estimated in this joint resolution, have already been obligated by law as follows:

- (1) \$111,089,168 for transfer to the capital construction fund pursuant to section 24-75-302 (2) (n), Colorado Revised Statutes;
- (2) Amounts required by statute to be used for: Payments to local governments based on state cigarette tax collections; property tax and heat or fuel expense grants; and payments to the fire and police members' benefit fund; and

WHEREAS, Under current law, general fund revenues must be used first to fund the obligations set forth above, second to fund appropriations for the executive, legislative, and judicial departments, and third to fund the reserve mandated by section 24-75-201.1 (1) (d), Colorado Revised Statutes; and

WHEREAS, The general assembly recognizes that new programs can be funded from the general fund only after these three priorities are satisfied; and

WHEREAS, If appropriate statutes are amended, additional general fund revenues could be realized; and

WHEREAS, The estimate of general fund revenues certified in this joint resolution does not include the balance carried forward from the 2001-02 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, The general assembly intends to make an annual certification of its estimate of the total allowable state general fund appropriations under section 24-75-201.1, Colorado Revised Statutes; and

WHEREAS, In accordance with the provisions of section 24-75-201.1, Colorado Revised Statutes, the estimate of the allowable state general fund appropriations for the 2002-03 fiscal year will be based upon the following conclusions:

- (1) State general fund appropriations for the 2001-02 fiscal year, prior to the enactment of any supplemental appropriations during the 2002 regular session, are \$5,659.9 million;
- (2) The allowable increase in state general fund appropriations for the 2002-03 fiscal year is the cost of reappraisal of taxable property for property tax purposes as required by section 39-1-105.5, Colorado Revised Statutes, plus six percent of the 2001-02 state general fund appropriations; and

WHEREAS, The revenue estimate and the estimate of allowable state general fund appropriations made pursuant to this joint resolution are made for the purpose of providing direction and guidance to the joint budget committee in the preparation of the 2002-03 general appropriation act and does not affect the ability of the general assembly to make spending decisions in the general appropriation act; and

WHEREAS, The revenue estimate and the estimate of allowable state general fund appropriations made pursuant to this joint resolution