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SENATE BILL 08-003

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE FAMILY PLANNING PILOT PROGRAM.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not necessarily reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted.)

Health Care Task Force. Directs that the percentage of the federal poverty level used to determine eligibility for the family planning pilot program be established in the request for a federal waiver.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** 25.5-5-319 (1) and (2), Colorado Revised Statutes,

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

1 are amended to read:

2 **25.5-5-319. Family planning pilot program - rules - federal**

3 **waiver - repeal.** (1) There is hereby established a family planning pilot

4 program for the provision of family planning services to categorically

5 eligible individuals who are at or below ~~one hundred fifty percent~~ A

6 PERCENTAGE of the federal poverty level ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO THE

7 FEDERAL WAIVER SOUGHT PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION.

8 The state board shall promulgate rules setting forth the family planning

9 services to be provided under the family planning pilot program.

10 (2) The executive director of the state department, in consultation

11 with the department of public health and environment, shall seek a federal

12 waiver that is cost-neutral to the state general fund for the implementation

13 of the family planning pilot program established pursuant to this section

14 such that ten percent of the family planning services provided to

15 low-income families pursuant to the program as described in subsection

16 (1) of this section would be funded with state general fund moneys and

17 ninety percent would be funded with federal matching funds. IN THE

18 FEDERAL WAIVER, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL NOT SEEK AUTHORITY

19 TO WAIVE OR DISREGARD THE PROVISIONS OF 42 U.S.C. SEC. 1396a (a)

20 (23) (B).

21 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,

22 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate

23 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.