

WAIVER REQUEST -- June 16, 2010

FY 2010-11 Request to Waive the Six-Month Encumbrance Deadline Pursuant to Section 24-30-1404 (7), C.R.S.

Labor and Employment
Consolidated Enterprise System, Division of Oil and Public Safety

MOTION Approve the waiver request for the FY 2010-11 appropriation to this project (\$855,049, including \$641,287 CF and \$213,762 FF).

SUMMARY

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The division says it is currently processing numerous projects that have received American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) funds. According to the division, the procurement process required by the use of these federal funds is more time-consuming than when other federal, state, or cash funds are used. Although the source of federal funds for the requested project is a grant from the Environmental Protection Agency, the additional reporting and accounting requirements triggered by the use of ARRA funds for other projects have delayed the encumbrance process for this project. Therefore, additional time is needed to encumber the funds.

The division requested a waiver of the six-month encumbrance deadline concurrent with the project approval during the 2010 session. This request was erroneously overlooked at the time the cash-funded request was considered and recommended for inclusion in the 2010 Long Bill. This request corrects the oversight and provides the division with the needed waiver.

FY 2010-11 APPROPRIATION AMOUNT

Fund Source	Appropriation
CF	\$641,287
FF	\$213,762
Total	\$855,049

STAFF NOTES

None