## PROPOSED CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT ON HB14-1298

## [See Explanation at End of Amendment]

## BY SENATOR Renfroe

## HB14-1298 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend the proposed conference committee report (CLHB1298.001),
- 2 page 2, line 4, strike ""29"." and substitute ""30".".
- 3 Page 2, line 6, strike ""30"." and substitute ""31".".
- 4 Page 2, line 8, strike ""30"." and substitute ""31".".
- 5 Page 2, strike line 18 and substitute:
- 6 "SECTION 24. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-30.5-515.5,
- 7 **amend** (1) (c) as follows:

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- 22-30.5-515.5. Institute charter school assistance fund -
- 9 created grants loans rules. (1) (c) Except as otherwise provided in
- paragraph (d) of this subsection (1), the balance of unexpended and
- unencumbered moneys in the fund at the end of a budget year must not
- exceed seven hundred fifty thousand dollars. If ANY AMOUNT OF unexpended and unencumbered moneys remaining in the fund at the end
- of a budget year exceed THAT EXCEEDS seven hundred fifty thousand
- dollars or the limit set pursuant to paragraph (d) of this subsection (1), IS
- 16 CONTINUOUSLY APPROPRIATED TO the institute, AND THE INSTITUTE shall
- allocate the excess amount to the institute charter schools on a per-pupil
- basis by dividing the excess amount by the total pupil enrollment of the
- institute charter schools for the applicable budget year. The state treasurer
- shall ensure that any unexpended and unencumbered moneys that are in
- 21 the fund at the end of a budget year up to seven hundred fifty thousand
- dollars or the limit set pursuant to paragraph (d) of this subsection (1)
- remain in the fund and are not credited or transferred to the general fund
- 24 or another fund.
- 25 **SECTION 25.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-7-1210, **amend**".
- 26 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.



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**Explanation:** The amendment gives the state charter school institute authority to allocate to institute charter schools any amount remaining at the end of a budget year in the institute charter school assistance fund over \$750,000. With this authority, the institute does not need to annually seek spending authority to allocate the excess amount.

This amendment is outside the scope of the differences between the two houses.

