

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

April 15, 2009  
Date

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

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

HB09-1199 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 12, line 15, strike "FIVE HUNDRED" and
- 2 substitute "FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE";
  
- 3 line 17, strike "TWO HUNDRED FIFTY" and substitute "TWO HUNDRED
- 4 TWENTY-FIVE";
  
- 5 strike line 25;
  
- 6 line 27, strike "SECTION." and substitute "SECTION; AND";
  
- 7 after line 27, insert the following:
  
- 8           "(VII) UP TO FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS MAY BE EXPENDED FOR
- 9 THE PURPOSES SPECIFIED IN SECTION 25-7-111 (5), C.R.S."
  
- 10 Page 14, line 26, after "treasury.", insert "ANY MONEYS IN THE FUND IN
- 11 EXCESS OF THOSE NEEDED FOR THE TRAINING OF DIRECTORS OF FIRE
- 12 PROTECTION DISTRICTS SHALL BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING
- 13 FIREFIGHTERS WITH BASIC WILDLAND FIREFIGHTING AND
- 14 WILDLAND-URBAN INTERFACE FIREFIGHTING TRAINING THROUGH EXISTING
- 15 WILDLAND FIRE TRAINING PROGRAMS."
  
- 16 Page 15, after line 6, insert the following:

1           "(c) THE DIVISION SHALL COORDINATE WITH THE FOREST SERVICE,  
2 AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN SECTION 23-31-302, C.R.S., IN DETERMINING  
3 HOW TO ALLOCATE STATE FUNDING FOCUSED ON FIREFIGHTER TRAINING."

4 Page 16, after line 1, insert the following:

5           "(c) THE DIVISION'S OBLIGATION TO PERFORM ITS DUTIES SPECIFIED  
6 IN THIS SUBSECTION (5) IS CONTINGENT UPON ITS RECEIPT OF REVENUES  
7 NECESSARY TO COVER ITS DIRECT AND INDIRECT COSTS FOR SUCH  
8 PERFORMANCE FROM THE HEALTHY FORESTS AND VIBRANT COMMUNITIES  
9 FUND CREATED IN SECTION 23-31-312 (10), C.R.S.";

10 Reletter succeeding paragraph accordingly.

11 Page 16, line 7, strike the first "department of";

12 line 10, strike "districts." and substitute "districts and basic wildland  
13 firefighting and wildland-urban interface firefighting training of  
14 firefighters.";

15 line 12, strike "stationary sources control" and substitute "healthy forests  
16 and vibrant communities";

17 line 13, strike "25-7-114.7 (2) (b) (I)," and substitute "23-31-312 (10),";

18 line 14, strike the first "department of".

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