JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

CONCERNING THE FUNDING OF PROGRAMS THAT HELP PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES OBTAIN BENEFITS BY THE SALE OF UNIQUELY VALUABLE REGISTRATION NUMBERS FOR VEHICLES.

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<u>Summary of Amendments Made to the Bill After the 02/15/11 Legislative Council Staff Fiscal</u> <u>Note Was Prepared (Amended by the House Transportation Committee 02/17/11)</u>

The House Transportation Committee report:

- Clarified the duties of the Disabled-benefit support contract committee, including the ability to sue or be sued;
- Allowed transfers from the Disability-benefit Support Fund to the Registration Number Fund for administrative expenses;
- Changed the composition of the License Plate Auction Group; and
- Clarified that administrative expenses will be paid from the Registration Number Fund and be subject to appropriation by the General Assembly.

These changes do not alter the fiscal impact of the bill identified in the Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note dated February 15, 2011.

| JBC Staff Concurrence with Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note | | | | | |
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| XXX | Concurs | | Does Not Concur | | Updated Analysis |

Amendments/Appropriation Status

Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to add a provision appropriating \$2,960 cash funds from the Colorado State Titling and Registration System account of the Highway Users Tax Fund to the Department of Revenue in 2011-12 for programing costs related to the bill. The bill indicates that ongoing administrative costs are to be paid from the Registration Number Fund, but that fund can't earn revenue other than from donations until the programming changes are made by the Department of Revenue.

Bill Sponsor Amendments

Staff is not aware of any sponsor amendments to be offered.

Points to Consider

None.