

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

May 2, 2013  
Date

Committee on Finance.

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

SB13-173 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation and with a recommendation that it be placed on the consent calendar:

1 Amend printed bill, page 11, after line 14 insert:

2 "SECTION 15. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-47.1-1601,  
3 amend (4) (a.5) (I) and (4) (a.5) (III) as follows:

4 **12-47.1-1601. Local government limited gaming impact fund**  
5 **- rules - repeal.** (4) (a.5) (I) For the 2008-09 fiscal year and each fiscal  
6 year thereafter, the executive director of the department of human  
7 services shall use the moneys in the gambling addiction account to award  
8 grants for the purpose of providing gambling addiction counseling  
9 services to Colorado residents. The department of human services may  
10 use a portion of the moneys in the gambling addiction account, not to  
11 exceed ten percent in the 2008-09 fiscal year and five percent in each  
12 fiscal year thereafter, to cover the department's direct and indirect costs  
13 associated with administering the grant program authorized in this  
14 paragraph (a.5). ~~Grants~~ THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT  
15 OF HUMAN SERVICES shall ~~be awarded~~ AWARD GRANTS to state or local  
16 public or private entities or programs that provide gambling addiction  
17 counseling services and that have or are seeking nationally accredited  
18 gambling addiction counselors. ~~For the 2008-09 through 2011-12 fiscal~~  
19 ~~years,~~ The executive director of the department of human services shall  
20 award ten percent of the moneys in the gambling addiction account in  
21 grants to addiction counselors who are actively pursuing national  
22 accreditation as gambling addiction counselors. In order to qualify for an

1 accreditation grant, an addiction counselor applicant ~~shall~~ MUST provide  
2 sufficient proof that he or she has completed at least half of the  
3 counseling hours required for national accreditation. The executive  
4 director of the department of human services shall adopt rules  
5 establishing the procedure for applying for a grant from the gambling  
6 addiction account, the criteria for awarding grants and prioritizing  
7 applications, and any other provision necessary for the administration of  
8 the grant applications and awards. Neither the entity, program, or  
9 gambling addiction counselor providing the gambling addiction  
10 counseling services nor the recipients of the counseling services need to  
11 be located within the jurisdiction of an eligible local governmental entity  
12 in order to receive a grant or counseling services. At the end of ~~any~~ A  
13 fiscal year, all unexpended and unencumbered moneys in the gambling  
14 addiction account ~~shall~~ remain in the account and ~~shall~~ DO not revert to  
15 the general fund or any other fund or account.

16 (III) This paragraph (a.5) is repealed, effective ~~July 1, 2013~~. Any  
17 SEPTEMBER 1, 2022. THE STATE TREASURER SHALL TRANSFER ANY  
18 moneys remaining in the gambling addiction account on ~~June 30, 2013~~,  
19 ~~shall be transferred~~ AUGUST 31, 2022, to the limited gaming impact  
20 account.".

21 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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