Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note

STATE FISCAL IMPACT

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Prime Sponsor(s): Rep. Holbert **Bill Status:** House Transportation and Energy

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COLLECTOR ITEM MOTOR VEHICLE EMISSION INSPECTION SHORT TITLE:

Fiscal Impact Summary	FY 2014-2015	FY 2015-2016
State Revenue		
State Expenditures	Minimal workload impact. See State Expenditures section.	
FTE Position Change		
Appropriation Required: None		

Summary of Legislation

This bill clarifies that emission inspection requirements continue to apply to a collector's item motor vehicle registered before September 1, 2009, until the vehicle is transferred to a new owner.

Background

House Bill 13-1071 allowed vehicles with a model year that is at least 32 years old to become a collector's item. The bill required a collector's item motor vehicle to pass an emissions test within 12 months of registration, if the vehicle is in the Enhanced Emissions Program (EEP) area. Currently, the EEP area for gas powered vehicles includes the entire counties of Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, and Jefferson, parts of Larimer and Weld counties, and those parts of Adams and Arapahoe counties that are west of Kiowa Creek. The EEP area for diesel powered vehicles includes the counties listed above, and in addition, includes parts of El Paso county.

State Expenditures

This bill is anticipated to increase workload and programming costs by a minimal amount for the Department of Revenue. The bill requires programming changes to be made to the Colorado State Titling and Registration System (CSTARS) and that training be provided to state and county office staff. Any activities associated with updating the CSTARS system and training staff are expected to be minimal and can be accomplished within existing appropriations.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.

State and Local Government Contacts

Public Health and Environment Revenue Clerk and Recorders

Counties