

HB1304_L.001

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

 Chairman of Committee

 Date
Committee on Education.

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

HB09-1304 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 4, after "(5)", insert "(a)";
 2 after line 16, insert the following:

3 "(b) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH (a) OF
 4 THIS SUBSECTION (5), THE DEPARTMENT, IN THE 2009-10 AND 2010-11
 5 SCHOOL YEARS, MAY ADMINISTER THE STATEWIDE ASSESSMENTS IN
 6 WRITING AND THE STATEWIDE ASSESSMENTS TO STUDENTS ENROLLED IN
 7 GRADES NINE AND TEN SO LONG AS THE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT USE STATE
 8 MONEYS TO ADMINISTER THE ASSESSMENTS, BUT USES OTHER MONEYS,
 9 INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO FEDERAL MONEYS, AVAILABLE TO THE
 10 DEPARTMENT.

11 **SECTION 2.** 22-43.7-201 (1), Colorado Revised Statutes, is
 12 amended to read:

13 **22-43.7-201. Full-day kindergarten facility capital**
 14 **construction fund - creation - definitions.** (1) (a) There is hereby
 15 established in the state treasury the full-day kindergarten facility capital
 16 construction fund, referred to in this part 2 as the "fund". The fund shall
 17 consist of any moneys annually appropriated thereto by the general
 18 assembly for the purposes of this part 2. All interest and income earned
 19 on the deposit of moneys in the fund shall be credited to the fund. Any
 20 unexpended and unencumbered moneys remaining in the fund at the end
 21 of a budget year shall remain in the fund and shall not be credited or
 22 transferred to the general fund or any other fund.



1 (b) FOR THE 2009-10 FISCAL YEAR, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
2 SHALL APPROPRIATE TO THE FUND AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO NINETY-FIVE
3 PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT OF GENERAL FUND MONEYS SAVED AS A RESULT
4 OF SUSPENDING THE ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN STATEWIDE
5 ASSESSMENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-409 (5). FOR THE 2010-11
6 FISCAL YEAR, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE TO THE FUND
7 AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT OF
8 GENERAL FUND MONEYS SAVED AS A RESULT OF SUSPENDING THE
9 ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN STATEWIDE ASSESSMENTS PURSUANT TO
10 SECTION 22-7-409 (5).

11 **SECTION 3.** 22-7-1007, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended
12 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

13 **22-7-1007. Postsecondary and workforce readiness**
14 **assessments pilot program - rules.** (5) FOR THE 2009-10 FISCAL YEAR,
15 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR
16 THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PILOT PROGRAM AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO FIVE
17 PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT OF GENERAL FUND MONEYS SAVED AS A RESULT
18 OF SUSPENDING THE ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN STATEWIDE
19 ASSESSMENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 22-7-409 (5)."

20 Renumber succeeding section accordingly.

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