

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

February 21, 2019

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Chair of Committee

Date

Committee on Finance.

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

HB19-1128 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, line 7, strike "CRIMINAL".

2 Page 2, after line 22 insert:

3 "SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 16-18.5-106.5,  
4 **amend** (5) as follows:

5 **16-18.5-106.5. Lottery winnings offset - restitution.** (5) If a  
6 lottery winner owes restitution in a criminal or juvenile case and also  
7 owes a child support debt or arrearages as described in section 26-13-118  
8 (1), the lottery winnings offset described in sections 26-13-118 and  
9 44-40-113 (6), shall take priority and be applied first. Any remaining  
10 lottery winnings shall be disbursed and distributed in accordance with this  
11 section, SECTION 44-40-113, AND SECTION 44-40-114.

12 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 44-40-113, **amend**  
13 (6)(e)(I) as follows:

14 **44-40-113. Prizes.** (6) (e) (I) Notwithstanding any provision of  
15 this subsection (6) to the contrary, if, in addition to owing an outstanding  
16 debt, a lottery winner owes ~~either~~ restitution, FINES, FEES, COSTS, OR  
17 SURCHARGES, as described in section 44-40-114 or a child support debt  
18 or arrearages or child support costs as described in this subsection (6), any  
19 lottery winnings offset against the restitution, FINES, FEES, COSTS, OR  
20 SURCHARGES, or child support debt or arrearages or child support costs  
21 shall take priority and be applied first. If, in such instance, the lottery  
22 winner owes ~~both~~ THESE types of debts, ~~both~~ THESE offsets shall take

- 1 priority and the provisions of section 44-40-114 (3) shall apply."
- 2 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.
- 3 Page 4, line 2, after "applied" insert "SECOND" and after "restitution,"
- 4 insert "AND THEN TOWARD".
- 5 Page 4, strike line 4 and substitute "section."
- 6 Page 1, line 103, strike "CRIMINAL".

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