

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

	April 10, 2025
Chair of Committee	Date

Committee on Health & Human Services.

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

SB25-195 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 18 through 22 and substitute:

2 "(3)(a) and (4)(a) as follows:

3       **27-80-117. Rural alcohol and substance abuse prevention and**  
4 **treatment program - creation - administration - cash fund -**  
5 **definitions - repeal.** (3) (a) There is created in the state treasury the rural  
6 alcohol and substance abuse cash fund, referred to in this section as the  
7 "fund", that consists of the rural youth alcohol and substance abuse  
8 prevention and treatment account, referred to in this section as the "youth  
9 account", and the rural detoxification account, referred to in this section  
10 as the "detoxification account". The fund is comprised of money collected  
11 from surcharges assessed pursuant to sections 18-19-103.5, 42-4-1307  
12 (10)(d)(I), and 42-4-1701 (4)(f). The money collected from the surcharges  
13 must be divided equally between the youth account and the detoxification  
14 account. The fund also includes any money credited to the fund pursuant  
15 to subsection (3)(b) of this section. Money in the fund credited pursuant  
16 to subsection (3)(b) of this section must be divided equally between the  
17 youth account and the detoxification account unless the grantee or donor  
18 specifies to which account the grant, gift, or donation is to be credited.  
19 The money in the fund is subject to annual appropriation by the general  
20 assembly to the BHA for the purpose of implementing the program. All  
21 interest derived from the deposit and investment of money in the fund  
22 remains in the fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered money remaining  
23 in the fund at the end of a fiscal year remains in the fund and shall not be  
24 transferred or credited to the general fund or another fund; except that any  
25 unexpended and unencumbered money remaining in the fund as of  
26 ~~August 30, 2025~~ AUGUST 30, 2030, is credited to the general fund.

27       (4) (a) This section is repealed, effective ~~September 1, 2025~~

1    SEPTEMBER 1, 2030."

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