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STATE OF COLORADO

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HOUSE BILL 16-1163

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Rankin, Hamner, Young

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Grantham, Lambert, Steadman

House Committees
Local Government

Senate Committees
Appropriations

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE NOXIOUS WEED**
102 **MANAGEMENT FUND.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

Joint Budget Committee. The bill specifies that all state moneys in the noxious weed management fund are subject to annual appropriation and that any unexpended and unencumbered moneys from an appropriation from the fund remain available for expenditure by the department of agriculture in the next fiscal year without further appropriation.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

SENATE
3rd Reading Unamended
March 16, 2016

SENATE
2nd Reading Unamended
March 15, 2016

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
March 1, 2016

HOUSE
2nd Reading Unamended
February 29, 2016

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 35-5.5-116, **amend**
3 (1) as follows:

4 **35-5.5-116. Noxious weed management fund - creation -**
5 **allocation of funds.** (1) There is hereby created in the office of the state
6 treasurer the noxious weed management fund. The fund ~~shall consist~~
7 CONSISTS of any civil penalties collected pursuant to section 35-5.5-118;
8 any gifts, donations, and grants received pursuant to section 35-1-104 (1)
9 (cc); and any moneys ~~approved~~ APPROPRIATED OR TRANSFERRED THERETO
10 by the general assembly. ~~for the purpose of funding noxious weed~~
11 ~~management projects.~~ All interest derived from the deposit and
12 investment of moneys in the fund shall be credited to the fund. The
13 general assembly shall annually appropriate STATE moneys in the fund to
14 the department of agriculture for the purposes specified in ~~subsection (2)~~
15 ~~of this section.~~ ANY UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS FROM AN
16 APPROPRIATION FROM THE FUND REMAIN AVAILABLE FOR EXPENDITURE BY
17 THE DEPARTMENT IN THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR WITHOUT FURTHER
18 APPROPRIATION.

19 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
20 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
21 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.