CHAPTER 16

HEALTH CARE POLICY AND FINANCING

HOUSE BILL 22-1190

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AN ACT

CONCERNING A SUPPLEMENTAL STATE PAYMENT TO URBAN INDIAN ORGANIZATIONS TO ADDRESS HEALTH-CARE DISPARITIES AMONG THE URBAN INDIAN COMMUNITY, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 25.5-4-426 as follows:

- 25.5-4-426. Supplemental state payment to urban Indian organizations definition repeal. (1) As used in this section, unless the context otherwise requires, "urban Indian organization" has the same meaning as set forth in 25 U.S.C. sec. 1603(29).
- (2) The state department shall distribute money appropriated for supplemental, state-only payments to urban Indian organizations to address health-care disparities among the urban Indian community.
 - (3) This section is repealed, effective July 1, 2023.
- **SECTION 2. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$70,825 is appropriated to the department of health care policy and financing for use for other medical services. This appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the department may use this appropriation for state-only payments to urban Indian organizations.
 - (2) For the 2022-23 state fiscal year, \$48,025 is appropriated to the department

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SECTION 3. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety.

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