

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

Date

June 1, 2021

Committee on Appropriations.

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

SB21-292 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation and with a recommendation that it be placed on the consent calendar:

1 Amend printed bill, page 5, line 9, strike "2021-22." and substitute
2 "2021-2022;"

3 Page 7, line 5, strike "MAY" and substitute "SHALL".

4 Page 7, line 7, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228," and strike
5 "21-___," and substitute "21-291,"

6 Page 7, after line 16 insert:

7 "SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 24-4.1-117.7
8 as follows:

9 **24-4.1-117.7. State crime victims compensation program -**
10 **creation - appropriation.** THERE IS CREATED IN THE DIVISION OF
11 CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY THE STATE
12 VICTIM COMPENSATION PROGRAM. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL
13 APPROPRIATE MONEY FROM THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND RELIEF CASH
14 FUND, CREATED IN SECTION 24-75-228, AS ENACTED BY SENATE BILL
15 21-291, ENACTED IN 2021, TO THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN THE
16 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO BE USED FOR THE COMPENSATION OF
17 VICTIMS PURSUANT TO THIS PART 1 THAT ALSO CONFORMS WITH THE
18 ALLOWABLE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THE FEDERAL "AMERICAN RESCUE
19 PLAN ACT OF 2021", PUB.L. 117-2, AS THE ACT MAY BE SUBSEQUENTLY
20 AMENDED. THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF

1 PUBLIC SAFETY SHALL DISTRIBUTE THE MONEY APPROPRIATED PURSUANT
2 TO THIS SECTION BASED ON NEED."

3 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

4 Page 7, line 24, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228,".

5 Page 7, line 25, strike "21-___," and substitute "21-291,".

6 Page 8, strike line 2 and substitute "24-4.2-103 AND 24-4.2-105.".

7 Page 8, line 5, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228," and strike
8 "21-___," and substitute "21-291,".

9 Page 8, line 9, after the period add "THE OFFICE OF THE STATE COURT
10 ADMINISTRATOR SHALL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DIVISION OF
11 CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND THE VICTIMS AND WITNESS ASSISTANCE AND LAW
12 ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS IN EACH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,
13 DISTRIBUTE THE MONEY APPROPRIATED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION
14 (1.7) BASED ON NEED.".

15 Page 8, after line 18 insert:

16 "(d) THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN SECTION 24-4.2-105 (1) DO
17 NOT APPLY TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.7).

18 **SECTION 5.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-33.5-506, **amend**
19 (1.5) as follows:

20 **24-33.5-506. Victims assistance and law enforcement fund -**
21 **creation.** (1.5) (a) In addition to the annual appropriations specified in
22 subsection (1) of this section, the general assembly shall make annual
23 appropriations of the ~~moneys~~ MONEY in the victims assistance and law
24 enforcement fund for payment of the direct and indirect costs of
25 implementing the provisions of section 17-2-201 (5)(g). ~~C.R.S.~~

26 (b) IN ADDITION TO THE MONEY PAID INTO THE FUND PURSUANT TO
27 THIS SUBSECTION (1.5) AND SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION, THE
28 GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE MONEY FROM THE ECONOMIC
29 RECOVERY AND RELIEF CASH FUND, CREATED IN SECTION 24-75-228, AS
30 ENACTED BY SENATE BILL 21-291, ENACTED IN 2021, TO THE DIVISION OF
31 CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO BE USED FOR
32 THE PROGRAMS AND PURPOSES DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS
33 SECTION.

34 (c) MONEY APPROPRIATED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.5)



1 FROM THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY AND RELIEF CASH FUND, CREATED IN
2 SECTION 24-75-228, AS ENACTED BY SENATE BILL 21-291, ENACTED IN
3 2021, MUST ONLY FUND PROGRAMS AND PURPOSES THAT ALSO CONFORM
4 WITH THE ALLOWABLE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THE FEDERAL "AMERICAN
5 RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021", PUB.L. 117-2, AS THE ACT MAY BE
6 SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDED. THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN THE
7 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY MAY USE UP TO TEN PERCENT OF ANY
8 MONEY APPROPRIATED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.5) FOR
9 DEVELOPMENT AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS INCURRED PURSUANT TO THIS
10 SECTION IN THE PROVISION OF PROGRAMS AND SERVICES ALLOWED
11 PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL "AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021",
12 PUB.L. 117-2, AS THE ACT MAY BE SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDED."

13 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

14 Page 9, line 13, strike "MAY" and substitute "SHALL".

15 Page 9, line 15, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228," and strike
16 "21-___," and substitute "21-291,".

17 Page 10, line 10, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228," and
18 strike "21-___," and substitute "21-291,".

19 Page 11, line 3, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228,".

20 Page 11, after line 7 insert:

21 "(2) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$1,500,000 is appropriated
22 to the department of public safety for use by the division of criminal
23 justice. This appropriation is from the economic recovery and relief cash
24 fund created in section 24-75-228, C.R.S., and of money the state receives
25 from the federal coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund. To implement this
26 act, the division may use this appropriation for the state victim
27 compensation program created in section 24-4.1-117.7, C.R.S."

28 Page 11, line 8, strike "(2)" and substitute "(3)" and strike "\$6,500,000"
29 and substitute "\$3,500,000".

30 Page 11, line 11, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228,".

31 Page 11, after line 14 insert:



1 "(4) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$1,500,000 is appropriated
2 to the victims assistance and law enforcement fund created in section 24-
3 33.5-506 (1), C.R.S. This appropriation is from the economic recovery
4 and relief cash fund created in section 24-75-228, C.R.S., and of money
5 the state received from the federal coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund.
6 The department of public safety is responsible for the accounting related
7 to this appropriation.

8 (5) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$1,500,000 is appropriated
9 to the department of public safety for use by the division of criminal
10 justice. This appropriation is from reappropriated funds in the Colorado
11 domestic abuse program fund under subsection (4) of this section. To
12 implement this act, the division may use this appropriation for the state
13 victims assistance and law enforcement program."

14 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.

15 Page 11, line 18, strike "24-75-226," and substitute "24-75-228,".

16 Page 11, strike lines 22 through 27 and substitute:

17 "(7) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$5,000,000 is appropriated
18 to the Colorado domestic abuse program fund created in section 39-22-
19 802 (1), C.R.S. This appropriation is from the economic recovery and
20 relief cash fund created in section 24-75-228, C.R.S., and of money the
21 state received from the federal coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund. The
22 department of human services is responsible for the accounting related to
23 this appropriation.

24 (8) For the 2021-22 state fiscal year, \$5,000,000 is appropriated
25 to the department of human services for use by the office of self
26 sufficiency. This appropriation is from reappropriated funds in the
27 Colorado domestic abuse program fund under subsection (7) of this
28 section. To implement this act, the office may use this appropriation for
29 the domestic abuse program."

30 Page 12, strike line 1.

31 Page 12, line 2, strike "upon passage".

32 Page 12, line 3, strike "21-___ and Senate Bill 21-___" and substitute
33 "21-288 and Senate Bill 21-291" and strike "law and" and substitute "law,
34 in which case this act".



- 1 Page 12, line 4, strike "either upon" and substitute "on" and strike
- 2 "21-___," and substitute "21-288,".

- 3 Page 12, line 5, strike "21-___," and substitute "21-291,".

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