JBC STAFF FISCAL ANALYSIS SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

CONCERNING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF VOTER-APPROVED CHANGES TO THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION THAT MAKE IT MORE DIFFICULT TO AMEND THE STATE CONSTITUTION, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, PROHIBITING A PETITION FOR AN INITIATED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION FROM BEING SUBMITTED TO VOTERS UNLESS THE PETITION IS SIGNED BY THE CONSTITUTIONALLY REQUIRED NUMBER OF REGISTERED ELECTORS WHO RESIDE IN EACH STATE SENATE DISTRICT AND TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED ELECTORS, AND REQUIRING AT LEAST FIFTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE VOTES CAST ON ANY AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO ADOPT THE AMENDMENT UNLESS THE AMENDMENT ONLY REPEALS IN WHOLE OR IN PART A PROVISION OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION, IN WHICH CASE REQUIRING A MAJORITY OF THE VOTES CAST ON THE AMENDMENT TO ADOPT THE AMENDMENT.

Prime Sponsors: Senator Court JBC Analyst: Scott Thompson

Phone: 303-866-2061 Date Prepared: February 22, 2017

Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date

The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 02/08/2017.

XXX	No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to new information or technical issues
	Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to amendment adopted after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
	Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

The State, Veterans, & Military Affairs Committee Report (02/15/2017) includes amendments to the bill, however, Legislative Council Staff and JBC Staff agree that the committee amendments do not change the fiscal impact of the bill.

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

Amendment	Description
J.001	Staff-prepared appropriation amendment

Current Appropriations Clause in Bill

The bill requires but does not contain an appropriation clause.

Description of Amendments in This Packet

J.001 Staff has prepared amendment **J.001** (attached) to add a provision appropriating a total of \$4,120 cash funds from the Department of State Cash Fund to the Department of State for FY 2017-18.

Points to Consider

None.