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SENATE BILL 14-105

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF THE REQUIREMENT THAT A
102 PORTION OF THE FEES COLLECTED FOR THE WATER RESOURCES
103 CASH FUND BE TRANSFERRED TO THE STATE GENERAL 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 division of water resources collects and administers multiple fees that are deposited into the water resources cash fund. For some of those fees, a portion is currently required to be credited to the general fund. Commencing July 1, 2014, the bill repeals

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.

this requirement so that all of the fee revenue goes to the water resources cash fund.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 37-80-111.7, **amend**
3 (2) (b) as follows:

4 **37-80-111.7. Water resources cash fund - created - uses.**
5 (2) The state engineer shall collect the following fees and transmit them
6 to the state treasurer, who shall credit them to the fund, except as
7 specified in paragraph (b) of this subsection (2):

8 (b) The state engineer shall collect fees pursuant to sections
9 37-90-105 (3) (a) and (4); 37-90-107 (7) (c) (I) and (7) (d) (I); 37-90-108
10 (4) and (6); 37-90-116 (1) (a), (1) (c), (1) (h), and (1) (i); 37-90-137 (2),
11 (3) (a), and (3) (c); 37-90.5-106; 37-92-305 (17); 37-92-308; and
12 37-92-602 (1) (g) (III) (C), (3) (a), and (5). The treasurer shall credit the
13 fees collected pursuant to this paragraph (b) to the fund except as
14 specified in section 37-80-111.5 (1) (d). ~~and except that, of each fee~~
15 ~~collected pursuant to the following sections, the treasurer shall credit the~~
16 ~~following amounts to the general fund:~~

17 ~~(I) Section 37-90-107 (7) (c) (I) and (7) (d) (I) and section~~
18 ~~37-90-116 (1) (a), (1) (h), and (1) (i), thirty dollars;~~

19 ~~(II) Section 37-90-137 (2) and (3) (a) (I) and section 37-92-602~~
20 ~~(3) (a) for wells applied for pursuant to section 37-92-602 (3) (b);~~
21 ~~twenty-five dollars;~~

22 ~~(III) Section 37-90-116 (1) (c), ten dollars; and~~

23 ~~(IV) Section 37-90-105 (3) (a) and (4) (a) and section 37-92-602~~
24 ~~(3) (a) for wells applied for pursuant to section 37-92-602 (3) (c) and (5);~~
25 ~~five dollars.~~

1 **SECTION 2. Effective date.** This act takes effect July 1, 2014.

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