

SB027_L.001

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

SB21-027 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 9 through 27 and substitute:

2 "SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 26-2-140 as
3 follows:

4 **26-2-140. Colorado diaper distribution program - diapering**
5 **essentials - report - rules - definitions - repeal.** (1) AS USED IN THIS
6 SECTION, UNLESS THE CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:

7 (a) "DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTER" MEANS A COMMUNITY-BASED
8 DIAPER BANK OR DISTRIBUTION CENTER OPERATING IN COLORADO, A
9 PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY, OR A COLORADO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION
10 WITH A MINIMUM OF THREE YEARS EXPERIENCE DISTRIBUTING BABY OR
11 TODDLER PRODUCTS.

12 (b) "DIAPERING ESSENTIALS" INCLUDES DIAPERS, WIPES, AND
13 DIAPER CREAMS.

14 (c) "ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUAL" MEANS A PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR
15 FAMILY MEMBER OF A CHILD WHO WEARS DIAPERS AND RESIDES IN
16 COLORADO.

17 (d) "PROGRAM" MEANS THE COLORADO DIAPER DISTRIBUTION
18 PROGRAM CREATED IN SECTION SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION.

19 (2) THERE IS CREATED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT THE COLORADO
20 DIAPER DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM TO PROVIDE DIAPERING ESSENTIALS TO
21 ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS.

22 (3) NO LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
23 THIS SECTION, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL SOLICIT INTEREST AND COST
24 DISTRIBUTION PROPOSALS FROM DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTERS TO
25 ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM. UPON THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S APPROVAL,
26 THE DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTERS MAY SUBCONTRACT MONEY RECEIVED
27 PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION TO THEIR PARTNERS AS NECESSARY TO SERVE
28 ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS. THE SELECTED DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTERS
29 MUST BE OPERATIONAL NO LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER ENTERING
30 INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT. THE SELECTION
31 PROCESS DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBSECTION (3) IS NOT SUBJECT TO THE
32 "PROCUREMENT CODE", ARTICLES 101 TO 112 OF TITLE 24.

33 (4) THE STATE DEPARTMENT MAY PROMULGATE RULES FOR THE
34 IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS SECTION.

35 (5) FOR THE 2021-22 STATE FISCAL YEAR, THE STATE DEPARTMENT
36 SHALL SUBMIT A PRELIMINARY REPORT, AND BEGINNING IN STATE FISCAL
37 YEAR 2022-23, AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE STATE
38 DEPARTMENT SHALL REPORT TO THE PUBLIC THROUGH THE ANNUAL
39 HEARING, PURSUANT TO THE "STATE MEASUREMENT FOR ACCOUNTABLE,
40 RESPONSIVE, AND TRANSPARENT (SMART) GOVERNMENT ACT", PART 2

1 OF ARTICLE 7 OF TITLE 2. AT A MINIMUM, THE REPORT MUST INCLUDE:
2 (a) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTERS
3 CONTRACTED WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION
4 (2) OF THIS SECTION, INCLUDING ANY SUBCONTRACTORS;
5 (b) THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY AWARDED TO EACH DIAPER
6 DISTRIBUTION CENTER;
7 (c) THE LOCATION OF EACH DIAPER DISTRIBUTION CENTER AND THE
8 COUNTIES SERVED; AND
9 (d) THE TOTAL NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS WHO RECEIVED
10 DIAPERING ESSENTIALS EACH YEAR, DISAGGREGATED BY EACH MONTH.
11 (6) (a) FOR STATE FISCAL YEARS 2021-22 AND 2022-23, THE
12 GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL APPROPRIATE TWO MILLION DOLLARS FROM
13 THE GENERAL FUND TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR USE BY THE DIAPER
14 DISTRIBUTION CENTERS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS SECTION. THE
15 STATE DEPARTMENT MAY USE UP TO ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS
16 OR SEVEN AND A HALF PERCENT OF ANY MONEY APPROPRIATED BY THE
17 GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS INCURRED BY THE STATE
18 DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION.
19 (b) THIS SUBSECTION (6) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024."

20 Page 4, strike lines 1 through 24.

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