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**HOUSE BILL 13-1001** 

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	A BILL FOR AN ACT
101	CONCERNING AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY GRANT PROGRAM, AND, IN
102	CONNECTION THEREWITH, ENACTING THE "ADVANCED
103	INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION ACT"; ADDING REPRESENTATIVES
104	FROM ADVANCED INDUSTRIES TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
105	COMMISSION; REPEALING THE BIOSCIENCE DISCOVERY
106	EVALUATION GRANT PROGRAM AND THE CLEAN TECHNOLOGY
107	DISCOVERY EVALUATION GRANT PROGRAM; AND CREATING THE
108	COLORADO ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION CASH FUND
109	TO BE USED TO PROVIDE PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANTS,
110	EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL AND RETENTION GRANTS, AND
111	INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING GRANTS.

# **Bill Summary**

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not necessarily 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.)

The bill creates the advanced industries acceleration grant program (program) in the Colorado office of economic development (office). The following industries are defined to be advanced industries: Advanced manufacturing, aerospace, bioscience, electronics, energy and natural resources, infrastructure engineering, and information technology.

The program includes the following types of grants:

- ! A proof-of-concept grant for an advanced industry research project to an eligible office of technology transfer;
- ! An early-stage capital and retention grant to an eligible company for the purpose of accelerating the commercialization of advanced industry products or services to be manufactured or performed in the state; and
- ! An infrastructure grant for an advanced industry project that builds or utilizes infrastructure to support or enhance the commercialization of advanced industry products or services or that contributes to the development of an advanced industry workforce.

Each type of grant has its own eligibility requirements, preferences, and maximum grant amounts. If an applicant qualifies for a preference, the maximum grant amounts do not apply. All grant applicants are required to identify the anticipated number of jobs created or retained in the state, capital invested or attracted in the state, and any other economic impacts that may result from the grant.

The program absorbs the bioscience discovery evaluation grant program and the clean technology discovery evaluation grant program, which are both repealed in the bill.

In administering the program, the office is required to:

- ! Consult with the economic development commission about all of the potential grants and monetary incentives that a grant applicant is eligible for;
- ! Consult with Colorado-based advanced industries or representatives from advanced industries about the program;
- ! Require a minimum amount of grant moneys for bioscience and clean technology projects and companies, which is based on existing funding from the repealed programs that provide grants for those industries; and
- ! Annually report to legislative committees about the program.

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All program grants are made from the advanced industries acceleration cash fund. The fund consists of moneys transferred from the bioscience discovery evaluation cash fund prior to the fund's repeal; limited gaming moneys that were previously used in the bioscience discovery evaluation grant program; income tax withholdings that were to be split between the bioscience discovery evaluation grant program and the clean technology discovery evaluation grant program; gifts, grants, or donations; and any moneys that the general assembly appropriates to the fund.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 1 2 **SECTION 1. Short title.** This act shall be known and may be 3 cited as the "Colorado Advanced Industries Acceleration Act". 4 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-47.1-701, amend 5 as amended by Senate Bill 13-133 (2) (a) (II) as follows: 6 **12-47.1-701.** Limited gaming fund - created. (2) (a) Except as 7 provided in paragraph (b) of this subsection (2), at the end of the 2012-13 8 state fiscal year and at the end of each state fiscal year thereafter, the state 9 treasurer shall transfer the state share as follows: 10 (II) (A) FOR THE 2012-13 AND 2013-14 STATE FISCAL YEARS, five 11 million five hundred thousand dollars to the bioscience discovery 12 evaluation cash fund for the implementation of the bioscience discovery 13 evaluation grant program created in section 24-48.5-108, C.R.S. THIS 14 SUB-SUBPARAGRAPH (A) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2015; 15 (B) FOR THE 2014-15 STATE FISCAL YEAR AND EACH STATE FISCAL 16 YEAR THEREAFTER, FIVE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO 17 THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION CASH FUND, CREATED IN 18 SECTION 24-48.5-117, C.R.S.; 19 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-46-102, amend 20 (3) as follows:

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1	24-46-102. Colorado economic development commission -
2	creation - membership - definition. (3) (a) The commission shall
3	consist of the governor or the governor's designee and eight members
4	who shall be appointed no later than August 1, 1996, as follows: Four
5	members shall be appointed by the governor; two members shall be
6	appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives; and two
7	members shall be appointed by the president of the senate.
8	(b) On and after September 1, 2013, the commission
9	INCLUDES TWO ADDITIONAL MEMBERS TO REPRESENT ADVANCED
10	INDUSTRIES. THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE
11	PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE SHALL EACH APPOINT ONE MEMBER, AND THESE
12	MEMBERS MUST HAVE ADVANCED INDUSTRY BUSINESS AND RESEARCH
13	EXPERIENCE. IN MAKING THESE APPOINTMENTS, THE SPEAKER AND THE
14	PRESIDENT SHALL GIVE PREFERENCE TO A PERSON WHOSE EXPERIENCE IS
15	IN MORE THAN ONE ADVANCED INDUSTRY.
16	(c) No member of the general assembly shall be appointed as a
17	member of the commission. The governor shall appoint at least one
18	person from west of the continental divide and one person from the
19	eastern slope predominately from the rural area. Members shall serve at
20	the pleasure of their appointing authority.
21	(d) As used in this subsection (3), "advanced industry"
22	MEANS THE FOLLOWING INDUSTRIES:
23	(I) ADVANCED MANUFACTURING;
24	(II) AEROSPACE;
25	(III) BIOSCIENCE;
26	(IV) ELECTRONICS;
27	(V) ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES;

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1	(VI) INFRASTRUCTURE ENGINEERING; AND
2	(VII) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.
3	SECTION 4. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-46-104, amend
4	(1) (o); and <b>add</b> (1) (p) as follows:
5	24-46-104. Powers and duties of commission. (1) The
6	commission has the following powers and duties:
7	(o) To oversee the Colorado office of film, television, and media
8	loan guarantee program pursuant to section 24-48.5-115 and the
9	performance-based incentive for film production in Colorado pursuant to
10	section 24-48.5-116; AND
11	(p) To consult with the Colorado office of economic
12	DEVELOPMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-48.5-117.
13	SECTION 5. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-48.5-108, amend
14	(6); and <b>add</b> (5) (c) as follows:
15	24-48.5-108. Bioscience research - evaluation - grants - fund
16	- definitions - repeal. (5) Fund. (c) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION
17	OF THIS SUBSECTION $(5)$ TO THE CONTRARY, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL
18	TRANSFER ANY UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS IN THE FUND
19	AS OF JANUARY 1, 2015, TO THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION
20	CASH FUND CREATED IN SECTION 24-48.5-117 (7) (a). THE COLORADO
21	OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL MAKE PROGRAM GRANTS IN
22	ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION UNTIL THE MONEYS IN THE FUND ARE
23	TRANSFERRED.
24	(6) This section is repealed, effective July 1, 2024 JANUARY 2,
25	2015.
26	SECTION 6. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 24-48.5-117 as
27	follows:

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1	24-48.5-117. Advanced industry - grants - fund - definitions -
2	repeal. (1) Legislative declaration. (a) The General assembly finds
3	AND DECLARES THAT COLORADO IS HOME TO A NETWORK OF ASSETS AND
4	RESOURCES, WHICH INCLUDE RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES, COMMUNITY
5	COLLEGES, FEDERAL LABORATORIES, INNOVATIVE COMPANIES,
6	MANUFACTURING INFRASTRUCTURE, WORKFORCE TRAINING INSTITUTIONS,
7	AND ENTREPRENEURS. TO DRIVE GROWTH IN COLORADO'S ECONOMY, THE
8	STATE MUST FOCUS ON INCREASING THE CAPACITY AND COMPETITIVENESS
9	OF THESE ASSETS AND RESOURCES AND THEREBY ATTRACT GREATER
10	INVESTMENT AND PROVIDE A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE FOR COLORADO'S
11	ADVANCED INDUSTRIES. INVESTMENT IN ADVANCED INDUSTRIES WILL
12	BUILD PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS, DRIVE INNOVATION, AND INCREASE
13	CAPITAL INVESTMENT IN COLORADO'S ECONOMY.
14	(b) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FURTHER FINDS AND DECLARES THAT
15	INVESTMENT IN ADVANCED INDUSTRIES WILL:
16	(I) DRIVE GROWTH IN HIGH-PAYING, HIGH-SKILL JOBS;
17	(II) ALIGN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO CREATE THE
18	WORKFORCE FOR ADVANCED INDUSTRY NEEDS;
19	(III) INCREASE EXPORTS AND COMPETITIVENESS IN GLOBAL
20	MARKETS;
21	(IV) ACCELERATE THE COMMERCIALIZATION OF TECHNOLOGIES;
22	AND
23	(V) PROMOTE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CAPABILITIES
24	ACROSS RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES, COMMUNITY COLLEGES, AND FEDERAL
25	LABORATORIES.
26	(c) The general assembly recognizes the value of
27	CDOSS_SECTOD COLLABORATION AND DARTNERSHIPS WITH DESEADOR

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1	INSTITUTIONS AND INDUSTRY AND ENCOURAGES THE COLORADO OFFICE
2	OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO PLAY AN ACTIVE ROLE IN ALIGNING
3	RESOURCES TO CREATE AND IMPLEMENT STRATEGIC INITIATIVES ACROSS
4	ADVANCED INDUSTRIES.
5	(2) <b>Definitions.</b> AS USED IN THIS SECTION:
6	(a) "ADVANCED INDUSTRY" MEANS THE FOLLOWING INDUSTRIES:
7	(I) ADVANCED MANUFACTURING;
8	(II) AEROSPACE;
9	(III) BIOSCIENCE;
10	(IV) ELECTRONICS;
11	(V) ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES;
12	(VI) Infrastructure engineering; and
13	(VII) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.
14	(b) "FUND" MEANS THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION
15	CASH FUND CREATED IN PARAGRAPH (a) OF SUBSECTION (7) OF THIS
16	SECTION.
17	(c) "OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT" OR "OFFICE" MEANS THE
18	COLORADO OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CREATED IN SECTION
19	24-48.5-101.
20	(d) "Office of technology transfer" means an office that:
21	(I) IS AFFILIATED WITH A RESEARCH INSTITUTE;
22	(II) IS RESPONSIBLE FOR TECHNOLOGY TRANSFERS; AND
23	(III) ARRANGES FOR THE SALE OR LICENSURE OF AN ADVANCED
24	INDUSTRY PROJECT TO A PRIVATE ENTITY.
25	(e) "PROGRAM" MEANS THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES
26	ACCELERATION GRANT PROGRAM CREATED IN SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS
27	SECTION.

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1	(I) RESEARCH INSTITUTION MEANS AN INSTITUTION LOCATED
2	AND OPERATING IN COLORADO THAT IS A:
3	(I) PUBLIC OR PRIVATE, NONPROFIT INSTITUTION OF HIGHER
4	EDUCATION OR TEACHING HOSPITAL;
5	(II) FEDERAL LABORATORY;
6	(III) PRIVATE TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH CENTER; OR
7	(IV) PRIVATE, NONPROFIT MEDICAL AND RESEARCH CENTER.
8	(3) <b>Program.</b> (a) The advanced industries acceleration
9	GRANT PROGRAM IS CREATED WITHIN THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC
10	DEVELOPMENT. THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM IS TO ACCELERATE
11	ECONOMIC GROWTH THROUGH GRANTS THAT IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE
12	DEVELOPMENT OF ADVANCED INDUSTRIES, FACILITATE THE
13	COLLABORATION OF ADVANCED INDUSTRY STAKEHOLDERS, AND FURTHER
14	THE DEVELOPMENT OF NEW ADVANCED INDUSTRY PRODUCTS AND
15	SERVICES. THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL ADMINISTER
16	THE PROGRAM, WHICH INCLUDES PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANTS,
17	EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL AND RETENTION GRANTS, AND INFRASTRUCTURE
18	FUNDING GRANTS. ALL GRANTS ARE FROM MONEYS IN THE ADVANCED
19	INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION CASH FUND CREATED IN SUBSECTION (7) OF
20	THIS SECTION. EXCEPT FOR THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT IN SUBSECTION
21	(6) OF THIS SECTION, THE PROGRAM ENDS ON JULY 1, 2024, AND ALL
22	GRANTS MUST BE DISBURSED PRIOR TO THAT DATE.
23	(b) (I) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY AWARD A
24	PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANT FOR AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY RESEARCH
25	PROJECT TO AN ELIGIBLE OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER.
26	(II) TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANT, AN OFFICE
27	OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER MUST:

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1	(A) SUBMIT A DESCRIPTION OF THE ADVANCED INDUSTRY
2	RESEARCH PROJECT;
3	(B) PROVIDE AN ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATING THAT THE PROJECT
4	WILL PROVIDE SIGNIFICANT ECONOMIC IMPACT OR COMPETITIVE
5	ADVANTAGE FOR THE STATE AND ADVANCED INDUSTRIES AND THAT IT
6	WILL ACCELERATE THE PACE OF APPLIED RESEARCH LEADING TO RAPID
7	COMMERCIALIZATION OF PRODUCTS AND SERVICES RESULTING FROM THE
8	PROJECT; AND
9	(C) HAVE A DEDICATED, MATCHING SOURCE OF MONEYS FROM ITS
10	AFFILIATED RESEARCH INSTITUTION THAT IS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO
11	ONE-THIRD OF THE AMOUNT OF THE REQUESTED GRANT.
12	(III) IN SELECTING THE RECIPIENTS OF A PROOF-OF-CONCEPT
13	GRANT, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL GIVE PREFERENCE
14	TO PROJECTS SPONSORED BY AN OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER THAT:
15	(A) INCLUDE IMPACTS ACROSS MORE THAN ONE ADVANCED
16	INDUSTRY;
17	(B) INVOLVE MORE THAN ONE RESEARCH INSTITUTION OR
18	ADVANCED INDUSTRY STAKEHOLDER; OR
19	(C) ORIGINATE FROM A NONPROFIT RESEARCH INSTITUTION.
20	(IV) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH (b) OF SUBSECTION (4)
21	OF THIS SECTION, THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF A PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANT
22	IS ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.
23	(V) A RECIPIENT OF A PROOF-OF-CONCEPT GRANT SHALL USE THE
24	GRANT ONLY TO ACCELERATE PRODUCT OR SERVICE COMMERCIALIZATION
25	AND SHALL NOT USE THE GRANT TO SUPPORT BASIC RESEARCH.
26	(c) (I) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY AWARD AN
27	EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL AND RETENTION GRANT TO AN ELIGIBLE COMPANY

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1	FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACCELERATING THE COMMERCIALIZATION OF
2	ADVANCED INDUSTRY PRODUCTS OR SERVICES TO BE MANUFACTURED OR
3	PERFORMED IN COLORADO.
4	(II) TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR AN EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL AND
5	RETENTION GRANT, A COMPANY MUST:
6	(A) BE IN AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY;
7	(B) HAVE ITS HEADQUARTERS LOCATED IN COLORADO OR HAVE AT
8	LEAST FIFTY PERCENT OF ITS EMPLOYEES BASED IN COLORADO;
9	(C) HAVE RECEIVED LESS THAN TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS FROM
10	OTHER GRANTS AND THIRD-PARTY INVESTORS;
11	(D) HAVE ANNUAL REVENUES OF LESS THAN TEN MILLION
12	DOLLARS;
13	(E) PROVIDE AN ANALYSIS DEMONSTRATING THAT THE SCOPE OF
14	THE PROJECT IS REQUIRED TO ENHANCE THE COMMERCIALIZATION OF ONE
15	OR MORE ADVANCED INDUSTRY PRODUCTS OR SERVICES WITHIN THE
16	STATE; AND
17	(F) HAVE A DEDICATED, MATCHING SOURCE OF MONEYS THAT IS
18	GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO TWICE THE AMOUNT OF THE REQUESTED
19	GRANT.
20	(III) IN SELECTING THE RECIPIENT OF AN EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL
21	AND RETENTION GRANT, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL
22	GIVE PREFERENCE TO A COMPANY WHOSE TECHNOLOGY OR RESEARCH AND
23	DEVELOPMENT HAS APPLICATION TO MORE THAN ONE ADVANCED
24	INDUSTRY.
25	(IV) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH (b) OF SUBSECTION (4)
26	OF THIS SECTION, THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF AN EARLY-STAGE CAPITAL
27	AND RETENTION GRANT IS TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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1	(a) (1) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY AWARD AN
2	INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING GRANT FOR AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY PROJECT
3	THAT BUILDS OR UTILIZES INFRASTRUCTURE TO SUPPORT OR ENHANCE THE
4	COMMERCIALIZATION OF ADVANCED INDUSTRY PRODUCTS OR SERVICES OR
5	THAT CONTRIBUTES TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY
6	WORKFORCE.
7	(II) TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR AN INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING GRANT, A
8	PROJECT MUST:
9	(A) Substantially increase alignment between private
10	COMPANIES WITHIN AN ADVANCED INDUSTRY AND RESEARCH
11	INSTITUTIONS; AND
12	(B) HAVE A MATCHING SOURCE OF MONEYS THAT IS GREATER
13	THAN OR EQUAL TO TWICE THE AMOUNT OF THE REQUESTED GRANT.
14	$(III)\ In selecting {\it recipients}\ for\ the\ infrastructure\ funding$
15	GRANTS, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL GIVE
16	PREFERENCE TO PROJECTS THAT:
17	(A) ACCELERATE ECONOMIC GROWTH IN MORE THAN ONE
18	ADVANCED INDUSTRY OR INCLUDE MORE THAN ONE RESEARCH
19	INSTITUTION OR ADVANCED INDUSTRY STAKEHOLDER;
20	(B) ORIGINATE FROM NONPROFIT RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS;
21	(C) FOCUS ON APPLIED RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT,
22	TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATION, OR PRODUCTION-ORIENTED OR
23	MANUFACTURING-ORIENTED FACILITIES; OR
24	(D) FOCUS ON WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT THAT ADDRESSES THE
25	ADVANCED INDUSTRIES' WORKFORCE SKILLS THAT ARE NEEDED TO
26	FACILITATE COMMERCIALIZATION OF PRODUCTS OR SERVICES.
27	(IV) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH (b) OF SUBSECTION (4)

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1	OF THIS SECTION, THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF AN INFRASTRUCTURE
2	FUNDING GRANT IS FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.
3	(4) Common grant policies. Any grant awarded pursuant to
4	SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING:
5	(a) IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A GRANT, A GRANT APPLICANT
6	MUST:
7	(I) IDENTIFY THE NUMBER OF JOBS THAT WILL BE CREATED OR
8	RETAINED IN THE STATE, ANTICIPATED CAPITAL INVESTED OR RETAINED IN
9	THE STATE, AND ANY OTHER PROJECTED ECONOMIC IMPACTS THAT WILL
10	RESULT FROM THE GRANT; AND
11	(II) SUBMIT ANY INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE OFFICE OF
12	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A GRANT;
13	(b) A LIMIT ON THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF GRANTS DOES NOT
14	APPLY TO ANY APPLICANT THAT QUALIFIES FOR A PREFERENCE IDENTIFIED
15	IN SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION;
16	(c) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL NOT PAY A
17	GRANT TO A RECIPIENT UNLESS THE RECIPIENT HAS RECEIVED THE
18	MATCHING SOURCE OF MONEYS THAT IS REQUIRED FOR THE GRANT;
19	(d) (I) UPON COMPLETION OF A PROJECT THAT WAS THE BASIS OF
20	A GRANT, A RECIPIENT SHALL IDENTIFY HOW THE GRANT WAS USED, THE
21	NUMBER OF JOBS CREATED OR RETAINED IN THE STATE, CAPITAL INVESTED
22	OR RETAINED IN THE STATE, AND ANY OTHER ECONOMIC IMPACTS THAT
23	RESULTED FROM THE GRANT; AND
24	(II) RETURN ANY UNUSED GRANT MONEYS TO THE OFFICE OF
25	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, WHICH SHALL TRANSFER THE MONEYS TO THE
26	STATE TREASURER FOR DEPOSIT IN THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES
27	ACCELERATION CASH FUND.

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1	(5) <b>Grant administration.</b> (a) ON OR BEFORE <b>S</b> EPTEMBER 1,
2	2013, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL ESTABLISH
3	PROCEDURES AND TIMELINES FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS; CRITERIA FOR
4	DETERMINING GRANT AMOUNTS, INCLUDING HOW PREFERENCES WILL BE
5	APPLIED; GRANTEE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND ANY OTHER PROGRAM
6	POLICIES. THE OFFICE MAY AMEND THESE POLICIES AT ANY TIME.
7	(b) Prior to awarding a grant, the office of economic
8	DEVELOPMENT SHALL CONSULT WITH THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
9	COMMISSION ABOUT ALL OF THE POTENTIAL GRANTS AND OTHER
10	MONETARY INCENTIVES THAT AN OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER,
11	COMPANY, OR PROJECT IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE FROM THE STATE.
12	(c) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL CONSULT WITH
13	COLORADO-BASED ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATIONS OR OTHER
14	REPRESENTATIVES FROM ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ABOUT THE PROGRAM.
15	THIS CONSULTATION MUST INCLUDE REVIEWING OF PROGRAM GRANT
16	APPLICATIONS AND MONITORING AND EVALUATING THE GRANTEES AND
17	THE ADVANCED INDUSTRY PROJECTS.
18	(d) SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABLE MONEYS, THERE IS NO LIMIT ON
19	THE NUMBER OF GRANTS THAT THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
20	MAY ANNUALLY AWARD.
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22	(e) (I) In the 2014 calendar year, the office of economic
23	DEVELOPMENT SHALL AWARD, AT A MINIMUM, AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO
24	ONE-HALF OF THE AMOUNT CREDITED TO THE FUND ON MARCH 1, 2014,
25	PURSUANT TO SECTION 39-22-604.3, C.R.S., FOR PROGRAM GRANTS TO
26	CLEAN TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES OR PROJECTS.
27	(II) IN THE 2015 CALENDAR YEAR AND EACH CALENDAR YEAR

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1	THEREAFTER, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL AWARD, AT
2	A MINIMUM:
3	(A) FIVE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR
4	PROGRAM GRANTS TO BIOSCIENCE COMPANIES OR PROJECTS; AND
5	(B) AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO ONE-HALF OF THE AMOUNT CREDITED
6	TO THE FUND DURING THE YEAR PURSUANT TO SECTION 39-22-604.3,
7	C.R.S., FOR PROGRAM GRANTS TO CLEAN TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES OR
8	PROJECTS.
9	(III) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY USE ANY
10	MONEYS IN THE FUND THAT ARE NOT REQUIRED FOR THE MANDATORY
11	GRANTS UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH (e) FOR PROGRAM
12	GRANTS TO COMPANIES OR PROJECTS FROM ANY OF THE SEVEN ADVANCED
13	INDUSTRIES.
14	(f) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL AWARD AT
15	LEAST FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THE TOTAL PROGRAM GRANTS IN A CALENDAR
16	YEAR TO EACH OF THE THREE TYPES OF GRANTS. IF THE OFFICE IS UNABLE
17	TO AWARD THIS PERCENTAGE IN A GIVEN YEAR DUE TO A LACK OF
18	QUALIFIED APPLICANTS, THE DEFICIENCY DOES NOT ROLL FORWARD TO THE
19	NEXT YEAR.
20	(6) <b>Reporting.</b> (a) On or before November 1, 2014, and
21	NOVEMBER 1 OF THE NEXT TEN YEARS THEREAFTER, THE OFFICE OF
22	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE FINANCE AND
23	THE BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
24	COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND TO THE BUSINESS,
25	LABOR, AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE FINANCE COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE,
26	OR ANY SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES, SUMMARIZING ALL OF THE GRANTS
27	AWARDED IN THE PROGRAM DURING THE PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR. AT A

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1	MINIMUM, THE REPORT MUST INCLUDE THE AMOUNT THAT EACH RECIPIENT
2	RECEIVED, A DESCRIPTION OF EACH RECIPIENT'S USE OF THE GRANT, THE
3	NUMBER OF JOBS CREATED OR RETAINED IN THE STATE, CAPITAL INVESTED
4	OR RETAINED IN THE STATE, AND ANY OTHER ECONOMIC IMPACTS THAT
5	RESULTED FROM THE GRANT.
6	(b) Section 24-1-136 (11) does not apply to the report
7	REQUIRED BY PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION (6).
8	(7) <b>Fund.</b> (a) The advanced industries acceleration cash
9	FUND IS CREATED IN THE STATE TREASURY. THE FUND CONSISTS OF:
10	(I) Moneys transferred to it pursuant to section
11	24-48.5-108 (5) (c);
12	(II) MONEYS CREDITED TO IT PURSUANT TO SECTION 39-22-604.3,
13	C.R.S.;
14	(III) Moneys transferred to it pursuant to section
15	12-47.1-701 (2), C.R.S;
16	(IV) MONEYS CREDITED TO IT PURSUANT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (II)
17	OF PARAGRAPH (d) OF SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION;
18	(V) ANY GIFTS, GRANTS, OR DONATIONS CREDITED TO IT PURSUANT
19	TO PARAGRAPH (b) OF THIS SUBSECTION (7); AND
20	(VI) ANY OTHER MONEYS THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
21	APPROPRIATES TO IT.
22	(b) (I) THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS AUTHORIZED
23	TO SEEK AND ACCEPT GIFTS, GRANTS, OR DONATIONS FROM PRIVATE OR
24	PUBLIC SOURCES FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE PROGRAM; EXCEPT THAT THE
25	OFFICE MAY NOT ACCEPT A GIFT, GRANT, OR DONATION THAT IS SUBJECT
26	TO CONDITIONS THAT ARE INCONSISTENT WITH THIS SECTION OR ANY
27	OTHER LAW OF THE STATE. THE OFFICE SHALL TRANSMIT ALL PRIVATE AND

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1	PUBLIC MONEYS RECEIVED THROUGH GIFTS, GRANTS, OR DONATIONS TO
2	THE STATE TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT THE SAME TO THE FUND.
3	(II) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS THAT THE IMPLEMENTATION
4	OF THIS PROGRAM DOES NOT RELY ENTIRELY OR IN ANY PART ON THE
5	RECEIPT OF ADEQUATE FUNDING THROUGH GIFTS, GRANTS, OR DONATIONS
6	THEREFORE, THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS NOT SUBJECT TO
7	THE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 24-75-1303 (3).
8	(c) THE MONEYS IN THE FUND ARE CONTINUOUSLY APPROPRIATED
9	TO THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF
10	AWARDING GRANTS ALLOWED BY THIS SECTION AND FOR ITS
11	ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROGRAM. THE OFFICE'S
12	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES FOR THE PROGRAM IN A FISCAL YEAR SHALL
13	NOT EXCEED FIVE PERCENT OF THE MONEYS TRANSFERRED OR
14	APPROPRIATED TO THE FUND IN THE FISCAL YEAR.
15	(d) As provided by LAW, the state treasurer may invest any
16	UNEXPENDED MONEYS IN THE ADVANCED INDUSTRIES ACCELERATION
17	CASH FUND. ALL INTEREST AND INCOME DERIVED FROM THE INVESTMENT
18	AND DEPOSIT OF MONEYS IN THE FUND ARE CREDITED TO THE FUND. ANY
19	UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND AT
20	THE END OF A FISCAL YEAR SHALL NOT BE CREDITED OR TRANSFERRED TO
21	THE GENERAL FUND OR ANOTHER FUND; EXCEPT THAT ANY UNEXPENDED
22	AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE FUND UPON THE REPEAL
23	OF THIS SECTION ARE TRANSFERRED TO THE GENERAL FUND.
24	(8) <b>Repeal.</b> This section is repealed, effective January 1.
25	2025.
26	SECTION 7. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-22-604.3, amend
27	(3) (b) and (4) as follows:

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1	39-22-604.3. Innovation reinvestment - withholding - transfers
2	- bioscience - clean technology - short title - legislative declaration -
3	definitions - repeal. (3) As used in this section, unless the context
4	otherwise requires:
5	(b) "Bioscience or clean technology industry code" means any of
6	the following codes within the North American industry classification
7	system established by the federal office of management and budget:
8	311221, 311222, 311223, 325193, 325199, 325221, 325311, 325312,
9	325314, 325320, 325411, 325412, 325413, 325414, 334510, 334516,
10	334517, 339111, 339112, 339113, 339114, 339115, 339116, 541380,
11	541710, 621511, 621512, 221111, <del>221119, 221330, 237110, 237130,</del>
12	238220, 325188, 333414, 333611, 334413, 334512, 335312, 335911,
13	<del>335999, 336111, 423720, 541620, 541690, and 541712</del> 221114, 221115,
14	221116, 221117, 221118, 221330, 237110, 237130, 238220, 325188,
15	333414, 333611, 334413, 334512, 335312, 335911, 335999, 336111,
16	336510, 423720, 541620, 541690, 541712, AND ANY SUCCESSOR CODES.
17	(4) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary,
18	beginning March 1, 2014, and March 1 of the next nine years thereafter,
19	the state treasurer shall credit an amount equal to one-half of the
20	bioscience and clean technology income tax withholding growth from the
21	moneys remitted by employers to the department of revenue pursuant to
22	section 39-22-604 to the bioscience discovery evaluation cash fund
23	created in section 24-48.5-108 (5), C.R.S., and the clean technology
24	discovery evaluation cash fund created in section 24-48.5-111 (5), C.R.S.,
25	with each fund receiving an equal share ADVANCED INDUSTRIES
26	ACCELERATION CASH FUND CREATED IN SECTION 24-48.5-117 (7), C.R.S.
27	<b>SECTION 8.</b> In Colorado Revised Statutes, <b>repeal</b> 24-48.5-111.

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SECTION 9. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act
takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August
7, 2013, if adjournment sine die is on May 8, 2013); except that, if a
referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the
state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act
within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect
unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
November 2014 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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