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**SENATE BILL 13-185**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101     **CONCERNING EXPANSION OF THE TYPES OF ACTIVITIES THAT ARE**  
102             **ELIGIBLE FOR GRANTS UNDER THE TOBACCO EDUCATION,**  
103             **PREVENTION, AND CESSATION GRANT PROGRAM.**

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**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>.)*

Under existing law, the department of public health and environment (department) awards grants through the tobacco education, prevention, and cessation grant program. The department uses revenue from the tobacco sales and use tax to fund the grants. The statute specifies

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.*  
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several types of programs that are eligible for grants, including education programs and other programs related to preventing the use of tobacco products, reducing the exposure to secondhand smoke, and eliminating health disparities among segments of the population that have higher than average tobacco burdens. The bill allows the department to award grants for other activities related to these issues.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-3.5-805, **amend**  
3 (1) (j); and add (1) (k) as follows:

4 **25-3.5-805. Tobacco education, prevention, and cessation**  
5 **programs - requirements.** (1) An entity that applies for a grant pursuant  
6 to the provisions of this part 8 shall in the application demonstrate that the  
7 tobacco education, prevention, or cessation program provides at least one  
8 of the following:

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10 (j) Programs        that are designed to eliminate health disparities  
11 among segments of the population that have higher than average tobacco  
12 burdens; OR

13 (k) ACTIVITIES TO EXPAND SMOKE-FREE AREAS IN COMMUNITIES,  
14 INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ON CAMPUSES, AT WORK SITES, IN PUBLIC  
15 OUTDOOR AREAS, AND IN MULTI-UNIT HOUSING.

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