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HOUSE BILL 16-1290

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING AN EXTENSION OF THE TRANSITIONAL JOBS PROGRAM.

**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>.)*

Current law provides money to employers to hire eligible persons for transitional jobs through June 30, 2017, with no new jobs offered after December 31, 2016. The bill extends these dates to June 30, 2022, and December 31, 2021.

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

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.*

1           **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-2-1103, **amend**  
2 (1) (a) as follows:

3           **26-2-1103. Transitional jobs programs.** (1) The state  
4 department shall administer a transitional jobs program. The transitional  
5 jobs program must:

6           (a) Seek to offer the opportunity to work in transitional jobs to  
7 eligible individuals from July 1, 2013, through ~~June 30, 2017~~ JUNE 30,  
8 2022; except that no new transitional jobs shall be offered after ~~December~~  
9 ~~31, 2016~~ DECEMBER 31, 2021;

10           **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 26-2-1104 as  
11 follows:

12           **26-2-1104. Repeal.** This part 11 is repealed, effective ~~July 1,~~  
13 ~~2017~~ JULY 1, 2022.

14           **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
15 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
16 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August  
17 10, 2016, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2016); except that, if a  
18 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the  
19 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act  
20 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect  
21 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in  
22 November 2016 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the  
23 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.