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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE "UNIFORM REGISTRATION OF CANADIAN MONEY  
102 JUDGMENTS ACT".

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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://leg.colorado.gov/>.)*

**Colorado Commission on Uniform State Laws.** The bill enacts the "Uniform Registration of Canadian Money Judgments Act" as an alternative to the current "Uniform Foreign-country Judgments Registration Act".

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Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.  
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** article 62.3 to  
3 title 13 as follows:

4 **ARTICLE 62.3**

5 **Uniform Registration of Canadian**

6 **Money Judgments Act**

7 **13-62.3-101. Short title.** THIS ARTICLE 62.3 MAY BE CITED AS THE  
8 "UNIFORM REGISTRATION OF CANADIAN MONEY JUDGMENTS ACT".

9 **13-62.3-102. Definitions.** IN THIS ARTICLE 62.3:

10 (1) "CANADA" MEANS THE SOVEREIGN NATION OF CANADA AND  
11 ITS PROVINCES AND TERRITORIES. "CANADIAN" HAS A CORRESPONDING  
12 MEANING.

13 (2) "CANADIAN JUDGMENT" MEANS A JUDGMENT OF A COURT OF  
14 CANADA, OTHER THAN A JUDGMENT THAT RECOGNIZES THE JUDGMENT OF  
15 ANOTHER FOREIGN COUNTRY.

16 **13-62.3-103. Applicability.** (1) THIS ARTICLE 62.3 APPLIES TO A  
17 CANADIAN JUDGMENT TO THE EXTENT THE JUDGMENT IS WITHIN THE  
18 SCOPE OF SECTION 13-62-103, IF RECOGNITION OF THE JUDGMENT IS  
19 SOUGHT TO ENFORCE THE JUDGMENT.

20 (2) A CANADIAN JUDGMENT THAT GRANTS BOTH RECOVERY OF A  
21 SUM OF MONEY AND OTHER RELIEF MAY BE REGISTERED UNDER THIS  
22 ARTICLE 62.3, BUT ONLY TO THE EXTENT OF THE GRANT OF A SUM OF  
23 MONEY.

24 (3) A CANADIAN JUDGMENT REGARDING SUBJECT MATTER BOTH  
25 WITHIN AND NOT WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THIS ARTICLE 62.3 MAY BE  
26 REGISTERED UNDER THIS ARTICLE 62.3, BUT ONLY TO THE EXTENT THE  
27 JUDGMENT RELATES TO SUBJECT MATTER WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THIS

1 ARTICLE 62.3.

2 **13-62.3-104. Registration of Canadian judgment.** (1) A PERSON  
3 SEEKING RECOGNITION OF A CANADIAN JUDGMENT TO ENFORCE THE  
4 JUDGMENT MAY REGISTER THE JUDGMENT IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF  
5 A COURT IN WHICH AN ACTION FOR RECOGNITION OF THE JUDGMENT COULD  
6 BE FILED UNDER SECTION 13-62-106.

7 (2) A REGISTRATION UNDER SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION  
8 MUST BE EXECUTED BY THE PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT OR THE  
9 PERSON'S ATTORNEY AND INCLUDE:

10 (a) A COPY OF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT AUTHENTICATED AS  
11 ACCURATE BY THE COURT THAT ENTERED THE JUDGMENT;

12 (b) THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON REGISTERING THE  
13 JUDGMENT;

14 (c) IF THE PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT IS NOT THE PERSON  
15 IN WHOSE FAVOR THE JUDGMENT WAS RENDERED, A STATEMENT  
16 DESCRIBING THE INTEREST IN THE JUDGMENT OF THE PERSON REGISTERING  
17 THE JUDGMENT THAT ENTITLES THE PERSON TO SEEK ITS RECOGNITION  
18 AND ENFORCEMENT;

19 (d) THE NAME AND LAST-KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE PERSON  
20 AGAINST WHOM THE JUDGMENT IS BEING REGISTERED;

21 (e) IF THE JUDGMENT IS OF THE TYPE DESCRIBED IN SECTION  
22 13-62.3-103 (2) OR (3), A DESCRIPTION OF THE PART OF THE JUDGMENT  
23 BEING REGISTERED;

24 (f) THE AMOUNT OF THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT  
25 BEING REGISTERED, IDENTIFYING:

26 (I) THE AMOUNT OF INTEREST ACCRUED AS OF THE DATE OF  
27 REGISTRATION ON THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING

1 REGISTERED, INCLUDING THE RATE OF INTEREST, THE PART OF THE  
2 JUDGMENT TO WHICH INTEREST APPLIES, AND THE DATE WHEN INTEREST  
3 BEGAN;

4 (II) COSTS AND EXPENSES INCLUDED IN THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF  
5 THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED, OTHER THAN AN AMOUNT AWARDED  
6 FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES; AND

7 (III) THE AMOUNT OF AN AWARD OF ATTORNEY'S FEES INCLUDED  
8 IN THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED;

9 (g) THE AMOUNT OF POST-JUDGMENT COSTS, EXPENSES, AND  
10 ATTORNEY'S FEES AS OF THE DATE OF REGISTRATION CLAIMED BY THE  
11 PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT;

12 (h) THE AMOUNT OF THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT  
13 BEING REGISTERED THAT HAS BEEN SATISFIED AS OF THE DATE OF  
14 REGISTRATION;

15 (i) A STATEMENT THAT:

16 (I) THE JUDGMENT IS FINAL, CONCLUSIVE, AND ENFORCEABLE  
17 UNDER THE LAW OF THE CANADIAN JURISDICTION IN WHICH IT WAS  
18 RENDERED;

19 (II) THE JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED  
20 IS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THIS ARTICLE 62.3; AND

21 (III) IF A PART OF THE JUDGMENT IS BEING REGISTERED, THE  
22 AMOUNTS STATED IN THE REGISTRATION AS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTIONS  
23 (2)(f), (2)(g), AND (2)(h) OF THIS SECTION RELATE TO THE PART;

24 (j) IF THE JUDGMENT IS NOT IN ENGLISH, A CERTIFIED  
25 TRANSLATION OF THE JUDGMENT INTO ENGLISH; AND

26 (k) THE DOCKET FEE STATED IN SECTION 13-53-106.

27 (3) ON RECEIPT OF A REGISTRATION THAT INCLUDES THE

1 DOCUMENTS, INFORMATION, AND DOCKET FEE REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION  
2 (2) OF THIS SECTION, THE CLERK SHALL FILE THE REGISTRATION, ASSIGN A  
3 DOCKET NUMBER, AND ENTER THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT IN THE COURT'S  
4 DOCKET.

5 (4) A REGISTRATION SUBSTANTIALLY IN THE FOLLOWING FORM,  
6 WHICH INCLUDES THE ATTACHMENTS SPECIFIED IN THE FORM, COMPLIES  
7 WITH THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION FOR  
8 REGISTRATION:

9 REGISTRATION OF CANADIAN MONEY JUDGMENT  
10 **THIS COMPLETED FORM, TOGETHER WITH THE DOCUMENTS REQUIRED**  
11 **BY SUBPART V, SHOULD BE FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE DISTRICT**  
12 **COURT. WHEN STATING A SUM OF MONEY, IDENTIFY THE CURRENCY IN**  
13 **WHICH THE SUM IS STATED.**

14 **I. IDENTIFICATION OF CANADIAN JUDGMENT**

15 CANADIAN COURT RENDERING THE JUDGMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

16 CASE/DOCKET NUMBER IN CANADIAN COURT: \_\_\_\_\_

17 NAME OF PLAINTIFF: \_\_\_\_\_

18 NAME OF DEFENDANT: \_\_\_\_\_

19 THE CANADIAN COURT ENTERED THE JUDGMENT ON \_\_\_\_\_ [DATE] IN  
20 \_\_\_\_\_ [CITY] IN \_\_\_\_\_ [PROVINCE OR TERRITORY].

21 THE JUDGMENT INCLUDES AN AWARD FOR THE PAYMENT OF MONEY IN  
22 FAVOR OF \_\_\_\_\_ IN THE AMOUNT OF \_\_\_\_\_.

23 IF ONLY PART OF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT IS SUBJECT TO REGISTRATION  
24 (SEE SECTIONS 13-62.3-103 (2) AND (3), COLORADO REVISED STATUTES),  
25 DESCRIBE THE PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED.  
26 \_\_\_\_\_.

27 **II. IDENTIFICATION OF PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT AND**

1     **PERSON AGAINST WHOM JUDGMENT IS BEING REGISTERED**

2     NAME OF PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT: \_\_\_\_\_.

3     IF THE PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT IS NOT THE PERSON IN WHOSE  
4     FAVOR THE JUDGMENT WAS RENDERED, DESCRIBE THE INTEREST IN THE  
5     JUDGMENT OF THE PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT THAT ENTITLES  
6     THE PERSON TO SEEK ITS RECOGNITION AND ENFORCEMENT. \_\_\_\_\_

7     ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

8     ADDITIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PERSON REGISTERING  
9     JUDGMENT (OPTIONAL):

10    TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

11    E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

12    NAME OF ATTORNEY FOR PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT, IF ANY:

13    \_\_\_\_\_

14    ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

15    TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

16    E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

17    NAME OF PERSON AGAINST WHOM JUDGMENT IS BEING REGISTERED:

18    \_\_\_\_\_

19    ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ (PROVIDE THE  
20    MOST RECENT ADDRESS KNOWN)

21    ADDITIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PERSON AGAINST WHOM  
22    JUDGMENT IS BEING REGISTERED (OPTIONAL) (PROVIDE MOST RECENT  
23    INFORMATION KNOWN):

24    TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

25    E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

26           **III. CALCULATION OF AMOUNT FOR WHICH ENFORCEMENT IS**  
27    **SOUGHT**

1 THE AMOUNT OF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE JUDGMENT  
2 BEING REGISTERED IS \_\_\_\_\_.

3 THE AMOUNT OF INTEREST ACCRUED AS OF THE DATE OF REGISTRATION ON  
4 THE PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED IS \_\_\_\_\_.

5 THE APPLICABLE RATE OF INTEREST IS \_\_\_\_\_. THE DATE WHEN  
6 INTEREST BEGAN IS \_\_\_\_\_. THE PART OF THE JUDGMENT TO  
7 WHICH THE INTEREST APPLIES IS \_\_\_\_\_.

8 THE CANADIAN COURT AWARDED COSTS AND EXPENSES RELATING TO THE  
9 PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED IN THE AMOUNT OF  
10 \_\_\_\_\_ (EXCLUDE ANY AMOUNT INCLUDED IN THE AWARD OF  
11 COSTS AND EXPENSES THAT REPRESENTS AN AWARD OF ATTORNEY'S FEES).

12 THE CANADIAN COURT AWARDED ATTORNEY'S FEES RELATING TO THE  
13 PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED IN THE AMOUNT OF \_\_\_\_\_.

14 THE PERSON REGISTERING THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT CLAIMS  
15 POST-JUDGMENT COSTS AND EXPENSES OF \_\_\_\_\_ AND  
16 POST-JUDGMENT ATTORNEY'S FEES OF \_\_\_\_\_ RELATING TO THE  
17 PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED (INCLUDE ONLY COSTS,  
18 EXPENSES, AND ATTORNEY'S FEES INCURRED BEFORE REGISTRATION).

19 THE AMOUNT OF THE PART OF THE JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED THAT  
20 HAS BEEN SATISFIED AS OF THE DATE OF REGISTRATION IS \_\_\_\_\_.

21 THE TOTAL AMOUNT FOR WHICH ENFORCEMENT OF THE PART OF THE  
22 JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED IS SOUGHT IS \_\_\_\_\_.

23 **IV. STATEMENT OF PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT**

24 I, \_\_\_\_\_ [PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT OR ATTORNEY  
25 FOR PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT], STATE:

26 1. THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT IS FINAL, CONCLUSIVE, AND  
27 ENFORCEABLE UNDER THE LAW OF THE CANADIAN JURISDICTION IN WHICH

1 IT WAS RENDERED.

2 2. THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT OR PART OF THE CANADIAN  
3 JUDGMENT BEING REGISTERED IS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF ARTICLE 62.3 OF  
4 TITLE 13, COLORADO REVISED STATUTES.

5 3. IF ONLY A PART OF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT IS BEING  
6 REGISTERED, THE AMOUNTS STATED IN SUBPART III OF THE REGISTRATION  
7 RELATE TO THAT PART.

8 **V. ITEMS REQUIRED TO BE INCLUDED WITH REGISTRATION**

9 ATTACHED ARE (CHECK TO SIGNIFY REQUIRED ITEMS ARE INCLUDED):

10 \_\_\_\_\_ A COPY OF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT AUTHENTICATED AS  
11 ACCURATE BY THE CANADIAN COURT THAT ENTERED THE JUDGMENT IN  
12 ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 13-53-103, COLORADO REVISED STATUTES.

13 \_\_\_\_\_ IF THE CANADIAN JUDGMENT IS NOT IN ENGLISH, A CERTIFIED  
14 TRANSLATION OF THE JUDGMENT INTO ENGLISH.

15 \_\_\_\_\_ A DOCKET FEE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$201.00.

16 I DECLARE THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ON THIS FORM IS  
17 TRUE AND CORRECT, EXCEPT AS TO MATTERS STATED TO BE ON  
18 INFORMATION AND BELIEF AND, AS TO THOSE MATTERS, I BELIEVE THEM  
19 TO BE TRUE.

20 SUBMITTED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
21 PERSON REGISTERING JUDGMENT OR  
22 ATTORNEY FOR PERSON REGISTERING  
23 JUDGMENT (SPECIFY WHETHER SIGNER IS THE  
24 PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT OR  
25 THAT PERSON'S ATTORNEY)

26 DATE OF SUBMISSION: \_\_\_\_\_

27 **13-62.3-105. Effect of registration.** (1) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION



1 (2) OF THIS SECTION, A CANADIAN JUDGMENT REGISTERED UNDER SECTION  
2 13-62.3-104 HAS THE SAME EFFECT PROVIDED IN SECTION 13-62-107 FOR  
3 A JUDGMENT DETERMINED BY A COURT TO BE ENTITLED TO RECOGNITION.

4 (2) A CANADIAN JUDGMENT REGISTERED UNDER SECTION  
5 13-62.3-104 MAY NOT BE ENFORCED BY SALE OR OTHER DISPOSITION OF  
6 PROPERTY, OR BY SEIZURE OF PROPERTY OR GARNISHMENT, UNTIL  
7 THIRTY-FIVE CALENDAR DAYS AFTER SERVICE OF NOTICE OF REGISTRATION  
8 UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-106. THE COURT FOR CAUSE MAY PROVIDE FOR  
9 A SHORTER OR LONGER TIME. THIS SUBSECTION (2) DOES NOT PRECLUDE  
10 USE OF RELIEF AVAILABLE UNDER LAW OF THIS STATE OTHER THAN THIS  
11 ARTICLE 62.3 TO PREVENT DISSIPATION, DISPOSITION, OR REMOVAL OF  
12 PROPERTY.

13 **13-62.3-106. Notice of registration.** (1) A PERSON THAT  
14 REGISTERS A CANADIAN JUDGMENT UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-104 SHALL  
15 CAUSE NOTICE OF REGISTRATION TO BE SERVED ON THE PERSON AGAINST  
16 WHOM THE JUDGMENT HAS BEEN REGISTERED.

17 (2) NOTICE UNDER THIS SECTION MUST BE SERVED IN THE SAME  
18 MANNER THAT A SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT MUST BE SERVED IN AN  
19 ACTION UNDER SECTION 13-62-106 SEEKING RECOGNITION OF A  
20 FOREIGN-COUNTRY JUDGMENT.

21 (3) NOTICE UNDER THIS SECTION MUST INCLUDE:

22 (a) THE DATE OF REGISTRATION AND COURT IN WHICH THE  
23 JUDGMENT WAS REGISTERED;

24 (b) THE DOCKET NUMBER ASSIGNED TO THE REGISTRATION;

25 (c) THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF:

26 (I) THE PERSON REGISTERING THE JUDGMENT; AND

27 (II) THE PERSON'S ATTORNEY, IF ANY;

1 (d) A COPY OF THE REGISTRATION, INCLUDING THE DOCUMENTS  
2 REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-104 (2); AND

3 (e) A STATEMENT THAT:

4 (I) THE PERSON AGAINST WHOM THE JUDGMENT HAS BEEN  
5 REGISTERED HAS THIRTY-FIVE DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF  
6 NOTICE IN WHICH TO PETITION THE COURT TO VACATE THE REGISTRATION;  
7 AND

8 (II) THE COURT FOR CAUSE MAY PROVIDE FOR A SHORTER OR  
9 LONGER TIME.

10 (4) PROOF OF SERVICE OF NOTICE UNDER THIS SECTION MUST BE  
11 FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE COURT.

12 **13-62.3-107. Petition to vacate registration.** (1) NOT LATER  
13 THAN THIRTY-FIVE DAYS AFTER NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-106 IS  
14 SERVED, THE PERSON AGAINST WHOM THE JUDGMENT WAS REGISTERED  
15 MAY PETITION THE COURT TO VACATE THE REGISTRATION. THE COURT FOR  
16 CAUSE MAY PROVIDE FOR A SHORTER OR LONGER TIME.

17 (2) A PETITION UNDER THIS SECTION MAY ASSERT ONLY:

18 (a) A GROUND THAT COULD BE ASSERTED TO DENY RECOGNITION  
19 OF THE JUDGMENT UNDER THE "UNIFORM FOREIGN-COUNTRY MONEY  
20 JUDGMENTS RECOGNITION ACT", ARTICLE 62 OF THIS TITLE 13; OR

21 (b) A FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS  
22 ARTICLE 62.3 FOR REGISTRATION OF THE JUDGMENT.

23 (3) A PETITION UNDER THIS SECTION DOES NOT ITSELF STAY  
24 ENFORCEMENT OF THE REGISTERED JUDGMENT.

25 (4) IF THE COURT GRANTS A PETITION UNDER THIS SECTION, THE  
26 REGISTRATION IS VACATED AND ANY ACT UNDER THE REGISTRATION TO  
27 ENFORCE THE REGISTERED JUDGMENT IS VOID.

1 (5) IF THE COURT GRANTS A PETITION UNDER THIS SECTION ON A  
2 GROUND UNDER SUBSECTION (2)(a) OF THIS SECTION, THE COURT ALSO  
3 SHALL RENDER AN ORDER DENYING RECOGNITION OF THE CANADIAN  
4 JUDGMENT. AN ORDER RENDERED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION (5) HAS THE  
5 SAME EFFECT AS A ORDER DENYING RECOGNITION TO A JUDGMENT ON THE  
6 SAME GROUND UNDER THE "UNIFORM FOREIGN-COUNTRY MONEY  
7 JUDGMENTS RECOGNITION ACT", ARTICLE 62 OF THIS TITLE 13.

8 **13-62.3-108. Stay of enforcement proceedings.** A PERSON THAT  
9 FILES A PETITION UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-107 (1) TO VACATE  
10 REGISTRATION OF A CANADIAN JUDGMENT MAY REQUEST THE COURT TO  
11 STAY ENFORCEMENT OF THE JUDGMENT PENDING DETERMINATION OF THE  
12 PETITION. THE COURT SHALL GRANT THE STAY IF THE COURT DETERMINES  
13 THAT THE PERSON HAS ESTABLISHED A LIKELIHOOD OF SUCCESS ON THE  
14 MERITS WITH REGARD TO A GROUND UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-107 (2) FOR  
15 VACATING A REGISTRATION. THE COURT MAY REQUIRE THE PERSON TO  
16 PROVIDE SECURITY IN AN AMOUNT DETERMINED BY THE COURT.

17 **13-62.3-109. Relationship to "Uniform Foreign-country**  
18 **Money Judgments Recognition Act".** (1) THIS ARTICLE 62.3  
19 SUPPLEMENTS THE "UNIFORM FOREIGN-COUNTRY MONEY JUDGMENTS  
20 RECOGNITION ACT", ARTICLE 62 OF THIS TITLE 13, AND THAT ACT, OTHER  
21 THAN SECTION 13-62-106, APPLIES TO A REGISTRATION UNDER THIS  
22 ARTICLE 62.3.

23 (2) A PERSON MAY SEEK RECOGNITION OF A CANADIAN JUDGMENT  
24 EITHER:

- 25 (a) BY REGISTRATION UNDER THIS ARTICLE 62.3; OR
- 26 (b) AS PROVIDED UNDER SECTION 13-62-106.
- 27 (3) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (4) OF THIS SECTION, A PERSON MAY

1 NOT SEEK RECOGNITION IN THIS STATE OF THE SAME JUDGMENT OR PART  
2 OF A JUDGMENT DESCRIBED IN SECTION 13-62.3-103 (2) OR (3) WITH  
3 REGARD TO THE SAME PERSON UNDER BOTH THIS ARTICLE 62.3 AND  
4 SECTION 13-62-106.

5 (4) IF THE COURT GRANTS A PETITION TO VACATE A REGISTRATION  
6 SOLELY ON A GROUND UNDER SECTION 13-62.3-107 (2)(b), THE PERSON  
7 SEEKING REGISTRATION MAY:

8 (a) IF THE DEFECT IN THE REGISTRATION IS ONE THAT CAN BE  
9 CURED, FILE A NEW REGISTRATION UNDER THIS ARTICLE 62.3; OR

10 (b) SEEK RECOGNITION OF THE JUDGMENT UNDER SECTION  
11 13-62-106.

12 **13-62.3-110. Uniformity of application and interpretation.** IN  
13 APPLYING AND CONSTRUING THIS UNIFORM ACT, CONSIDERATION MUST BE  
14 GIVEN TO THE NEED TO PROMOTE UNIFORMITY OF THE LAW WITH RESPECT  
15 TO ITS SUBJECT MATTER AMONG STATES THAT ENACT IT.

16 **13-62.3-111. Transitional provision.** THIS ARTICLE 62.3 APPLIES  
17 TO THE REGISTRATION OF A CANADIAN JUDGMENT ENTERED IN A  
18 PROCEEDING COMMENCED IN CANADA ON OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE  
19 OF THIS ARTICLE 62.3.

20 **13-62.3-112. Effective date.** THIS ARTICLE 62.3 TAKES EFFECT  
21 JULY 1, 2021.

22 **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
23 takes effect July 1, 2021; except that, if a referendum petition is filed  
24 pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this  
25 act or an item, section, or part of this act within the ninety-day period  
26 after final adjournment of the general assembly, then the act, item,

1 section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the  
2 general election to be held in November 2020 and, in such case, will take  
3 effect on July 1, 2021.