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**HOUSE BILL 24-1277**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE YOUTH RESTRAINT AND**  
102 **SECLUSION WORKING GROUP, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH,**  
103 **IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATION IN THE 2023 SUNSET**  
104 **REPORT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES.**

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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/>.)*

**Sunset Process - House Health and Human Services Committee.** The youth restraint and seclusion working group (working group) is set to repeal September 1, 2024. The bill implements the

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*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing law.*  
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SENATE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
March 27, 2024

SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
March 26, 2024

HOUSE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
March 4, 2024

HOUSE  
Amended 2nd Reading  
March 1, 2024

department of regulatory agencies' recommendation to continue the working group indefinitely.

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

2           **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-20-110, **amend**  
3 (7) as follows:

4           **26-20-110. Youth restraint and seclusion working group -**  
5 **membership - purpose.** (7) (a) This section is repealed, effective  
6 ~~September 1, 2024~~ SEPTEMBER 1, 2034.

7           (b) Prior to the repeal, the working group shall be reviewed as  
8 provided in section 2-3-1203. C.R.S.

9           **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **repeal**  
10 (15)(a)(V); and **add** (25)(a)(III) as follows:

11           **2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees - legislative**  
12 **declaration - definition - repeal.** (15) (a) The following statutory  
13 authorizations for the designated advisory committees are scheduled for  
14 repeal on September 1, 2024:

15           (V) ~~The youth restraint and seclusion working group in the~~  
16 ~~division of youth services created in section 26-20-110;~~

17           (25) (a) The following statutory authorizations for the designated  
18 advisory committees will repeal on September 1, 2034:

19           (III) THE YOUTH RESTRAINT AND SECLUSION WORKING GROUP IN  
20 THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES CREATED IN SECTION 26-20-110.

21           **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
22 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
23 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except  
24 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V  
25 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this

1 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take  
2 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in  
3 November 2024 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the  
4 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.