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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING IMPLEMENTATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE  
102 COMMITTEE ON LEGAL SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH  
103 LEGISLATIVE REVIEW OF RULES AND REGULATIONS OF STATE  
104 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://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)*

**Committee on Legal Services.** Based on the findings and recommendations of the committee on legal services, the bill extends all state agency rules and regulations that were adopted or amended on or

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.*

after November 1, 2014, and before November 1, 2015, with the exception of the rules and regulations specifically listed in the bill. Those specified rules and regulations will expire as scheduled in the "State Administrative Procedure Act" on May 15, 2016, on the grounds that the rules and regulations either conflict with statute or lack or exceed statutory authority.

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

2 **SECTION 1. Rules and regulations scheduled for expiration**

3 **May 15, 2016 - extension.** (1) Except as indicated, the expiration of all  
4 rules and regulations of agencies in the following principal departments,  
5 which rules and regulations were adopted or amended on or after  
6 November 1, 2014, and before November 1, 2015, and that are therefore  
7 scheduled for expiration May 15, 2016, is postponed, and the provisions  
8 of section 24-4-108 or 24-34-104, Colorado Revised Statutes, shall apply:

9 (a) Department of agriculture;

10 (b) Department of corrections;

11 (c) Department of education; except that the following rules of the  
12 state charter school institute concerning administration of the state charter  
13 school institute (1 CCR 302-1) are not extended:

14 (I) Rule 4.00 2), concerning if the applicant is an existing school,  
15 the application shall contain a modified subset of the information;

16 (II) Rule 9.00 6), concerning following adoption of content  
17 standards pursuant to this section, each institute charter school shall  
18 review and revise such content standards;

19 (d) Department of health care policy and financing; except that the  
20 following rules are not extended:

21 (I) The following rules of the medical services board concerning  
22 medical assistance rules on long-term care (10 CCR 2505-10):

- 1 (A) The definition of "deficiency" in Rule 8.435.1;
- 2 (B) Rule 8.435.2.B. 5., concerning requirements and guidelines  
3 for selecting remedies;
- 4 (C) Rule 8.435.2.C. 3. c., concerning the notice requirement for  
5 CMP;
- 6 (D) Rule 8.443.9.A. 1. a., concerning appraised value means the  
7 determination by a qualified appraiser who is a member of an institute of  
8 real estate appraisers or its equivalent;
- 9 (E) Rule 8.443.9.A. 1. h., concerning index means the square foot  
10 construction costs for nursing facilities in the Means Square Foot Costs  
11 Book;
- 12 (F) Rule 8.481, concerning medical review/independent  
13 professional review;
- 14 (G) Rule 8.481.1, concerning responsibility of nursing homes in  
15 medical review process;
- 16 (H) Rule 8.482.46 A., concerning services and equipment which  
17 are a benefit of Medicare;
- 18 (I) Rule 8.497.1.C., concerning PACE organizations must comply  
19 with federal marketing regulations;
- 20 (J) Rule 8.497.2.B., concerning PACE organizations and eligible  
21 persons shall comply with all applicable federal regulations regarding  
22 PACE enrollment and disenrollment;
- 23 (II) The following rule of the medical services board concerning  
24 medical assistance (10 CCR 2505-10): Rule 8.960, concerning the  
25 Colorado dental health care program for low-income seniors, including  
26 Rules 8.960.1 through 8.960.3.F;
- 27 (e) Department of higher education;

- 1 (f) Department of human services;
- 2 (g) Department of labor and employment;
- 3 (h) Department of law;
- 4 (i) Department of local affairs;
- 5 (j) Department of military and veterans affairs;
- 6 (k) Department of natural resources;
- 7 (l) Department of personnel;
- 8 (m) Department of public health and environment;
- 9 (n) Department of public safety; except that the following rules of
- 10 the director of the division of fire prevention and control concerning the
- 11 fire suppression program (8 CCR 1507-11) are not extended:
- 12 (I) Rule 6.2.1 3., concerning any work described in this rule that
- 13 is conducted at any facility owned and operated by a mining company;
- 14 (II) Rule 9.5 1., concerning an exemption from the incorporation
- 15 by reference in which the director has the authority to adopt by policy
- 16 Tentative Interim Amendments (TIAs) issued by the promulgating body
- 17 of the national code or standard;
- 18 (III) Rule 10.7.2, concerning all fines collected pursuant to this
- 19 rule will be deposited in the fire suppression cash fund;
- 20 (o) Department of regulatory agencies; except that the following
- 21 rules are not extended:
- 22 (I) The following rule of the Colorado dental board, concerning
- 23 dentists and dental hygienists (3 CCR 709-1): Rule II, concerning
- 24 financial responsibility exemptions;
- 25 (II) The following rule of the division of real estate, concerning
- 26 community association managers (4 CCR 725-7): Rule A-5), concerning
- 27 community association manager license examination expiration and

1 application requirements;

2 (p) Department of revenue; except that the following rules are not  
3 extended:

4 (I) The following rule of the taxpayer service division - tax group,  
5 concerning income tax (1 CCR 201-2): Regulation 39-22-622 (3) (a),  
6 concerning a return is "filed" on the date the department physically or  
7 electronically receives the return;

8 (II) The following rule of the marijuana enforcement division,  
9 concerning sales, manufacturing, and dispensing of medical marijuana (1  
10 CCR 212-1): Rule M 231.5 B. 1., concerning fingerprints required--any  
11 individual applying for a permitted economic interest shall be  
12 fingerprinted for a fingerprint-based criminal history record check at the  
13 division's discretion;

14 (III) The following rule of the marijuana enforcement division,  
15 concerning the retail marijuana code (1 CCR 212-2): Rule R 231.5 B. 1.,  
16 concerning fingerprints required--any individual applying for a permitted  
17 economic interest shall be fingerprinted for a fingerprint-based criminal  
18 history record check at the division's discretion;

19 (q) Department of state; except that the following rules of the  
20 secretary of state concerning elections (8 CCR 1505-1) are not extended:

21 (I) Rule 2.10.2, concerning if after the 20-day period outlined in  
22 section 1-2-509 (3), C.R.S., the United States Postal Service returns a new  
23 voter notification to the county clerk as undeliverable;

24 (II) Rule 6.4, concerning a supervisor judge in a voter service and  
25 polling center must complete a training course provided by or approved  
26 by the secretary of state;

27 (r) Department of transportation;

1           (s) Department of the treasury.

2           (2) The expiration of all rules and regulations of the public  
3 employees' retirement association, which rules and regulations were  
4 adopted or amended on or after November 1, 2014, and before November  
5 1, 2015, and which are therefore scheduled for expiration May 15, 2016,  
6 is postponed.

7           (3) The recommendations of the committee on legal services as  
8 reflected in this act apply to the specified rules in the form in which said  
9 rules were considered and acted upon by the committee. Any amendments  
10 or other changes in the specified rules that became effective before  
11 November 1, 2015, that comply with the recommendations of the  
12 committee on legal services are not affected by this act. Any subsequent  
13 amendments or other changes in the specified rules that became effective  
14 on or after November 1, 2015, are not affected by this act.

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