

SB25-157

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENT

Second Reading

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1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 15 through 20 and substitute "the
2 fifteenth highest reporting numbers;

3 (j) Certain populations, including seniors, veterans, active duty
4 military service members, and people with disabilities, are especially
5 targeted and victimized by deceptive acts and practices;

6 (k) By clarifying the availability of remedies available under the
7 "Colorado Consumer Protection Act" for populations especially targeted
8 and victimized by deceptive acts and practices, Colorado can better
9 promote honest competition among businesses, discourage unfair
10 competition, and protect certain consumers who are especially vulnerable;
11 and

12 (l) Under this act, all other persons will maintain the right to
13 pursue claims under the "Colorado Consumer Protection Act" consistent
14 with current law, which considers, among other things, the vulnerabilities
15 of the people harmed by deceptive acts and practices and the asymmetries
16 of power between the parties.

17 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 6-1-102, **add** (6.5)
18 as follows:

19 **6-1-102. Definitions.** As used in this article 1, unless the context
20 otherwise requires:

21 (6.5) "PERSON PARTICULARLY TARGETED BY DECEPTIVE ACTS OR
22 PRACTICES" MEANS:

23 (a) A SENIOR CITIZEN SIXTY YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER;

24 (b) AN INDIVIDUAL CURRENTLY SERVING IN THE UNITED STATES
25 ARMED FORCES;

26 (c) A VETERAN OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES;

27 (d) A GOLD STAR MILITARY SPOUSE;

28 (e) A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
29 24-34-301 (7); OR

30 (f) A PREGNANT INDIVIDUAL."

31 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

32 Amend the Business, Labor, and Technology Committee Report, dated
33 March 11, 2025, page 1, strike lines 1 and 2 and substitute:

34 "Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 24 and 25 and substitute "(5) IN
35 AN ACTION COMMENCED UNDER THIS SECTION, A PERSON PARTICULARLY
36 TARGETED BY DECEPTIVE ACTS OR PRACTICES MAY".

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