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HOUSE BILL 26-1371

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Brown and Taggart, Sirota,

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Amabile and Bridges, Kirkmeyer

House Committees

Appropriations

Senate Committees

Appropriations

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING ADDING REPEAL DATES FOR CERTAIN HIGHER**
102 **EDUCATION PROGRAMS WITH LIMITED PURPOSE**
103 **FEE-FOR-SERVICE CONTRACTS.**

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/>.)

Joint Budget Committee. The bill repeals the Colorado multidisciplinary health-care provider access training program, the career pathways program, and the career and technical education and apprenticeship programs alignment on June 30, 2028.

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

SENATE
2nd Reading Unamended
April 15, 2026

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
April 11, 2026

HOUSE
Amended 2nd Reading
April 9, 2026

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 23-21-1106 as
3 follows:

4 **23-21-1106. Repeal of part.**

5 THIS PART 11 IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30, 2028.

6 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-60-109, **add** (3)
7 as follows:

8 **23-60-109. Career pathways - design - legislative declaration**
9 **- repeal.**

10 (3) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30, 2028.

11 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-18-308, **amend**
12 (1)(a), (1)(c), (1)(e), (1)(l), and (1)(m) as follows:

13 **23-18-308. Fee-for-service contracts - grants to local district**
14 **colleges - limited purpose - repeal.**

15 (1) Subject to available appropriations, the department shall enter
16 into fee-for-service contracts for the following purposes:

17 (a) (I) The creation of career pathways for students DESIGNED
18 pursuant to sections 23-60-109 and 24-46.3-104;

19 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(a) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
20 2028.

21 (c) (I) Cybersecurity and distributed ledger technologies, such as
22 blockchains, as set forth in sections 24-33.5-1904 and 24-33.5-1905.

23 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(c) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
24 2026.

25 (e) (I) The food systems advisory council pursuant to part 11 of
26 article 31 of this title 23.

1 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(e) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
2 2026.

3 (I) (I) The Colorado multidisciplinary health-care provider access
4 training program created in section 23-21-1103;

5 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(I) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
6 2028.

7 (m) (I) The creation of education programs ALIGNED pursuant to
8 section 8-15.7-201; and

9 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(m) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
10 2028; AND

11 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-33.5-1905, add
12 (4)(e) as follows:

13 **24-33.5-1905. Research and development - repeal.**

14 (4) (e) THIS SUBSECTION (4) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30,
15 2026.

16 **SECTION 5.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 8-15.7-201, add (6)
17 as follows:

18 **8-15.7-201. State apprenticeship agency - community college**
19 **system - career and technical education - apprenticeship programs**
20 **- alignment - repeal.**

21 (6) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JUNE 30, 2028.

22 **SECTION 6. Safety clause.** The general assembly finds,
23 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
24 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety or for appropriations for
25 the support and maintenance of the departments of the state and state
26 institutions.