

**First Regular Session  
Seventy-fifth General Assembly  
STATE OF COLORADO**

**ENGROSSED**

*This Version Includes All Amendments Adopted  
on Second Reading in the House of Introduction*

LLS NO. 25-0396.01 Alana Rosen x2606

**SENATE BILL 25-177**

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**Senate Committees**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101      **CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE EARLY CHILDHOOD**  
102      **LEADERSHIP COMMISSION.**

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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 - Senate Education Committee.** The bill continues the early childhood leadership commission housed in the department of early childhood for 5 years, repealing on September 1, 2030. Before its repeal, the commission is subject to a sunset review.

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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 law.  
Dashes through the words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law.

SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
March 28, 2025

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

2             **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **repeal**  
3     (16)(a)(VII); and **add** (21)(a)(II) as follows:

4             **2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees - legislative**  
5     **declaration - definition - repeal.** (16) (a) The following statutory  
6     authorizations for the designated advisory committees will repeal on  
7     September 1, 2025:

8             (VII) ~~The early childhood leadership commission created in~~  
9     ~~section 26.5-1-302.~~

10            (21) (a) The following statutory authorizations for designated  
11    advisory committees will repeal on September 1, 2030:

12            (II) THE EARLY CHILDHOOD LEADERSHIP COMMISSION CREATED IN  
13    SECTION 26.5-1-302.

14            **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 26.5-1-304  
15    as follows:

16            **26.5-1-304. Repeal of part.** This part 3 is repealed, effective  
17    ~~September 1, 2025~~ SEPTEMBER 1, 2030. Before its repeal, the commission  
18    is subject to review in accordance with section 2-3-1203.

19            **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
20    takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
21    ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except  
22    that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V  
23    of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this  
24    act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take  
25    effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in  
26    November 2026 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the  
27    official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.