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**HOUSE BILL 19-1302**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE BREAST AND CERVICAL**  
102 **CANCER PREVENTION AND TREATMENT PROGRAM.**

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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>.)*

The bill extends the repeal date of the breast and cervical cancer prevention and treatment program 10 years to July 1, 2029.

The bill creates the underinsured breast and cervical cancer treatment program (program) in the department of public health and environment (department) to provide treatment to uninsured and underinsured persons who have breast or cervical cancer. The state board

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.  
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of health is required to adopt such rules as are necessary to administer the program.

The bill creates the underinsured breast and cervical cancer treatment fund, which consists of money credited from the sale of breast cancer awareness license plates. The department may use money in the fund to provide treatment for breast and cervical cancer through the program.

The bill increases the surcharge associated with the purchase, replacement, or renewal of a breast cancer awareness license plate from \$25 to \$30. Of this amount, \$10 is credited to the fund and \$20 continues to be credited to the breast and cervical cancer prevention and treatment fund. On and after July 1, 2021, \$5 of the surcharge is credited to the underinsured breast and cervical cancer treatment fund and \$25 of the surcharge is credited to the breast and cervical cancer prevention and treatment fund.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25.5-5-308, **amend**  
3 (9)(g) and (10) as follows:

4 **25.5-5-308. Breast and cervical cancer prevention and**  
5 **treatment program - creation - legislative declaration - definitions -**  
6 **funds - repeal.** (9) (g) For the fiscal years 2014-15 ~~through 2018-19~~  
7 THROUGH 2028-29, the general assembly shall annually appropriate one  
8 hundred percent of the state costs of the breast and cervical cancer  
9 prevention and treatment program from the ~~moneys~~ MONEY credited to  
10 the breast and cervical cancer prevention and treatment fund to ~~such~~ THE  
11 program; except that, if the ~~moneys~~ MONEY in the breast and cervical  
12 cancer prevention and treatment fund ~~are~~ IS insufficient to fully fund the  
13 program, the general assembly shall appropriate sufficient ~~moneys~~ MONEY  
14 from the general fund.

15 (10) This section is repealed, effective ~~July 1, 2019~~ JULY 1, 2029,  
16 unless, in any fiscal year before such date, ~~moneys~~ MONEY received as  
17 federal financial participation provided pursuant to the federal "Breast

1 and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000", enacted  
2 October 24, 2000, Pub.L. 106-354, as amended, ~~are~~ IS no longer available  
3 to the fund or the rate of federal financial participation has been  
4 decreased, in which case the general assembly may repeal this section at  
5 the regular session of the general assembly immediately following such  
6 decrease or discontinuation of federal ~~moneys~~ MONEY.

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