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SENATE BILL 21-136

BY SENATOR(S) Ginal and Coram, Donovan, Fields, Sonnenberg, Bridges, Fenberg, Hansen, Moreno, Rankin, Simpson, Winter, Woodward; also REPRESENTATIVE(S) Cutter and Carver, Bennett, Esgar, Froelich, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Hooton, Jackson, Kennedy, Lontine, Lynch, McCluskie, McCormick, McLachlan, Michaelson Jenet, Pico, Ricks, Roberts, Titone, Valdez D., Van Beber, Will, Young.

CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE FOREST HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATION CONTAINED IN THE 2020 SUNSET REPORT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES TO CONTINUE THE ADVISORY COUNCIL AND CONTINUING IT FOR FIVE YEARS.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-31-316, **amend** (3) as follows:

23-31-316. Forest health advisory council - repeal. (3) This section is repealed, effective September 1, ~~2021~~ 2026. Before ~~its~~ THE repeal, this section is scheduled for review in accordance with section 2-3-1203. ~~C.R.S.~~

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.

SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **repeal** (12)(a)(III); and **add** (17)(a)(IV) as follows:

2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees - legislative declaration - definition - repeal. (12) (a) The following statutory authorizations for the designated advisory committees will repeal on September 1, 2021:

(III) ~~The forest health advisory council created in section 23-31-316, C.R.S.;~~

(17) (a) The following statutory authorizations for the designated advisory committees will repeal on September 1, 2026:

(IV) THE FOREST HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL CREATED IN SECTION 23-31-316.

SECTION 3. Effective date. This act takes effect September 1, 2021.

SECTION 4. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety.

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THE SENATE

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APPROVED _____
(Date and Time)

Jared S. Polis
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO