First Regular Session Seventy-fifth General Assembly STATE OF COLORADO

DRAFT 9/5/24

BILL 6

LLS NO. 25-0187.01 Caroline Martin x5902

INTERIM COMMITTEE BILL

Wildfire Matters Review Committee

BILL TOPIC: Wildfire Information & Resource Center Website

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING UPDATING THE WILDFIRE INFORMATION AND RESOURCE

102 CENTER WEBSITE.

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/.)

Wildfire Matters Review Committee. The division of fire prevention and control is currently required to host the wildfire information and resource center website and to provide information regarding active wildfires on the website. The bill requires the website to include hyperlinks to websites that display emergency information and wildfire updates for each county in Colorado and requires the division to

coordinate with county governments in order to provide the hyperlinks.

1	Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:
2	SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-33.5-1230, add
3	(5) as follows:
4	24-33.5-1230. Wildfire information and resource center. (5) IN
5	ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS IN SUBSECTION (2)(b) OF THIS SECTION,
6	THE CENTER'S WEBSITE MUST ALSO INCLUDE HYPERLINKS TO WEBSITES
7	THAT DISPLAY EMERGENCY INFORMATION AND WILDFIRE UPDATES FOR
8	EACH COUNTY IN COLORADO. THE DIVISION SHALL COORDINATE WITH
9	COUNTY GOVERNMENTS IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE HYPERLINKS REQUIRED
10	BY THIS SUBSECTION (5).
11	SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act
12	takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
13	ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except
14	that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V
15	of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this
16	act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take
17	effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
18	November 2026 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
19	official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.