

CHAPTER 22

GOVERNMENT - STATE

HOUSE BILL 97-1069

BY REPRESENTATIVES Bacon and Allen;
also SENATORS Rizzuto and Mutzebaugh.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE NONAPPLICABILITY OF SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR A SELF-INSURANCE PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE THAT PROVIDES COVERAGE FOR WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS OF STATE EMPLOYEES.

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

SECTION 1. 8-44-201, Colorado Revised Statutes, 1986 Repl. Vol., as amended, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

8-44-201. Employer as own insurance carrier - revocation of permission.

(4) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL NOT PRESCRIBE OR APPLY SECURITY REQUIREMENTS IN GRANTING OR CONTINUING PERMISSION FOR A SELF-INSURANCE PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-30-1510.7, C.R.S.

SECTION 2. 24-30-1510.7 (5), Colorado Revised Statutes, 1988 Repl. Vol., as amended, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW PARAGRAPH to read:

24-30-1510.7. Workers' compensation for state employees.

(5) (c) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 8-44-201 (1), C.R.S., IF THE STATE ELECTS TO SELF-INSURE WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS AS AUTHORIZED IN THIS SECTION, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT SHALL NOT PRESCRIBE OR APPLY SECURITY REQUIREMENTS IN GRANTING OR CONTINUING PERMISSION FOR SUCH STATE SELF-INSURANCE PROGRAM.

SECTION 3. Effective date. This act shall take effect July 1, 1997.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

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, and safety.

Approved: March 21, 1997