

## CHAPTER 15

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**GOVERNMENT - LOCAL**

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**HOUSE BILL 09-1024**

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) McNulty, Kerr J., Primavera, Miklosi, Nikkel, Stephens, Waller;  
also SENATOR(S) Tochtrop, Isgar, Schultheis.

**AN ACT**

**CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF SPECIFIED AUDIT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS WITHIN THE COLORADO LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUDIT LAW TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT ARE OTHERWISE NOT REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS.**

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

**SECTION 1.** 29-1-602 (5) (b), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**29-1-602. Definitions.** As used in this part 6, unless the context otherwise requires:

(5) (b) Except for purposes of ~~section 29-1-603 (4)~~ SECTIONS 29-1-603, 29-1-604, AND 29-1-606, "local government" does not include the fire and police pension association, any county or municipal housing authority, any public entity insurance pool formed pursuant to state law, the Colorado sheep and wool authority, the Colorado beef council authority, the Colorado horse development authority, the statewide internet portal authority, or any association of political subdivisions formed pursuant to section 29-1-401.

**SECTION 2.** 29-1-606 (1), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW PARAGRAPH to read:

**29-1-606. Submission of reports.** (1) (c) THE AUDIT REQUIRED BY THIS PART 6 FOR HOUSING AUTHORITIES SHALL BE COMPLETED AND THE AUDIT REPORT THEREON SUBMITTED BY THE AUDITOR TO THE HOUSING AUTHORITY WITHIN SEVEN MONTHS AFTER THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY.

**SECTION 3.** 29-1-606, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

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

**29-1-606. Submission of reports.** (8) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER REQUIREMENT OF THIS PART 6, IN PREPARING THE AUDIT REPORT REQUIRED BY SECTION 29-1-603 (4), THE ENTITIES LISTED IN SECTION 29-1-602 (5) (b) SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE ENTITY IS OTHERWISE SUBJECT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS PART 6.

**SECTION 4. Act subject to petition - effective date.** (1) This act shall take effect September 1, 2009.

(2) However, if a referendum petition is filed against this act or an item, section, or part of this act during the 90-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly that is allowed for submitting a referendum petition pursuant to article V, section 1 (3) of the state constitution, then the act, item, section, or part, shall not take effect unless approved by the people at a biennial regular general election and shall take effect on the date specified in subsection (1) or on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by proclamation of the governor, whichever is later.

Approved: March 18, 2009