

## CHAPTER 104

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**PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS**


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**HOUSE BILL 11-1013**

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 also SENATOR(S) Bacon, Aguilar, Boyd, Brophy, Cadman, Carroll, Foster, Giron, Grantham, Guzman, Heath, Hodge, Hudak, Jahn, King K., King S., Kopp, Lambert, Lundberg, Morse, Newell, Nicholson, Renfroe, Roberts, Scheffel, Schwartz, Shaffer B., Spence, Steadman, Tochtrop, White, Williams S.

**AN ACT****CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS FROM PROFESSIONAL REGULATION FOR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL.**

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

**SECTION 1.** Article 70 of title 12, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to read:

**12-70-102. Active military personnel - exemptions from licensing requirements.** EACH BOARD OR DIVISION, EXCEPT THE DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE, THAT REGULATES PERSONS LICENSED, CERTIFIED, OR REGISTERED PURSUANT TO THIS TITLE SHALL EXEMPT LICENSED, CERTIFIED, OR REGISTERED MILITARY PERSONNEL WHO HAVE BEEN CALLED TO FEDERALLY FUNDED ACTIVE DUTY FOR MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED TWENTY DAYS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SERVING IN A WAR, EMERGENCY, OR CONTINGENCY FROM THE PAYMENT OF ANY PROFESSIONAL OR OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE, CERTIFICATION, OR REGISTRATION FEES, INCLUDING RENEWAL FEES, AND FROM ANY CONTINUING EDUCATION OR PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO THIS TITLE FOR A RENEWAL CYCLE THAT FALLS WITHIN THE PERIOD OF SERVICE OR WITHIN THE SIX MONTHS FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF SERVICE IN THE WAR, EMERGENCY, OR CONTINGENCY.

**SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 10, 2011, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2011); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part

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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.*

of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2012 and shall take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: April 13, 2011