

CHAPTER 262

HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

SENATE BILL 13-264

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also REPRESENTATIVE(S) McLachlan and Vigil, Buckner, Coram, Court, Duran, Garcia, Ginal, Hamner, Hullinghorst, Kraft-Tharp, Labuda, Lebsock, Levy, Mitsch Bush, Moreno, Rosenthal, Ryden, Salazar, Schafer, Singer, Young.

AN ACT

CONCERNING REQUIRING THE COMMISSION ON FAMILY MEDICINE TO SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF RURAL FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY PROGRAMS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-1-903, **add** (1) (f) as follows:

25-1-903. Duties of commission - repeal. (1) The commission shall:

(f) (I) SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF FAMILY MEDICINE RESIDENCY PROGRAMS IN RURAL AREAS FOR PURPOSES OF CULTIVATING FAMILY MEDICINE PRACTITIONERS WHO ARE LIKELY TO CONTINUE PRACTICING IN RURAL AREAS AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE RESIDENCY PROGRAMS.

(II) THIS PARAGRAPH (f) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016.

SECTION 2. Appropriation. In addition to any other appropriation, there is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated, to the department of health care policy and financing, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013, the sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for allocation to other medical services, for the commission on family medicine residency training programs, for the development of family medicine residency programs in rural areas. Said sum is subject to the "(M)" notation as defined in the general appropriation act. In addition to said appropriation, the general assembly anticipates that, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013, the department of health care policy and financing will receive the sum of \$500,000 in

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federal funds, for allocation to other medical services, for the commission on family medicine residency training programs, for the development of family medicine residency programs in rural areas. Although the federal funds are not appropriated in this act, they are noted for the purpose of indicating the assumptions used relative to these funds in developing the state appropriation amounts.

SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes 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 7, 2013, if adjournment sine die is on May 8, 2013); 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 of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2014 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: May 24, 2013