AN ACT

CONCERNING AUTHORIZING INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO ENTER INTO EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS FOR LIBRARIANS.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-19-104, amend (1.5) (d) introductory portion as follows:

24-19-104. Terms of employment contracts - public inspection. (1.5) (d) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of this section or paragraph (a) of this subsection (1.5), each system of higher education and each campus of each state institution of higher education may, subject to the approval of the chief executive officer of the system or institution and any rules or limitations established by the chief executive officer, have in effect an unlimited number of term employment contracts or term employment contract extensions having a duration of not more than three years with an unlimited number of government-supported officials or employees if the term employment contracts or term employment contract extensions are for half-time or longer, non-tenure-track classroom teaching appointments OR LIBRARIAN APPOINTMENTS. A person employed IN A CLASSROOM TEACHING APPOINTMENT pursuant to a term employment contract or term employment contract extension described in this paragraph (d) may have duties in addition to classroom teaching, as described in the contract or contract extension. A term employment contract or term employment contract extension executed pursuant to this paragraph (d) at a minimum shall include a provision stating the contract or contract extension is unenforceable if, during the term of the contract or contract extension, the system of higher education or campus of a state institution of higher education that is a party to the contract:

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 2. 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 27, 2014