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HOUSE BILL 10-1071

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A BILL FOR AN ACT CONCERNING ELIMINATION OF THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PERSON EMPLOYED IN A TECHNICAL FORESTRY CAPACITY BY THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM POSSESS AT LEAST TWO YEARS' EXPERIENCE IN FOREST PRACTICE.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries.)

The bill eliminates the requirement that a person employed in a

SENATE 2nd Reading Unam ended March 8, 2010

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HOUSE 2nd Reading Unam ended January 28, 2010 technical forestry capacity by the board of governors of the Colorado state university system possess a minimum of 2 years' experience in forest practice.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:* 2 **SECTION 1.** 23-31-207, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended 3 to read: 4 **23-31-207.** Employees and personnel. The board is authorized 5 to employ such THE necessary professional, clerical, and other personnel 6 needed to carry out the provisions of this part 2. Persons employed in a 7 technical forestry capacity must have completed the requirements for and 8 received a degree from an accredited school of forestry. and have had at 9 least two years' experience in forest practice. Persons employed in other 10 technical fields must have completed the requirements for and received 11 a degree from an accredited school in their professional field. The board 12 may appoint, pursuant to its personnel powers, in consultation with the 13 executive director of the department of natural resources, to carry out the 14 provisions of this part 2 and part 3 of this article, a professional forester, 15 to be known as the state forester, whose duties shall be primarily of an 16 educational or regulatory nature. 17 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, 18 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate

preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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