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STATE OF COLORADO

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HOUSE BILL 14-1257

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Sonnenberg and Nordberg,

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Balmer and King,

House Committees

Health, Insurance, & Environment

Senate Committees

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE AUDITOR TO CONDUCT A
102 PERFORMANCE AUDIT OF THE COLORADO HEALTH BENEFIT
103 EXCHANGE.

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>.)

Legislative Audit Committee. The bill allows the state auditor to conduct a performance audit of the Colorado health benefit exchange and submit a written report to the legislative audit committee with any findings and recommendations. The authority to conduct performance

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

audits continues as long as the state auditor or the legislative audit committee deems it appropriate.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 10-22-105, **add** (4)
3 (c) as follows:

4 **10-22-105. Exchange board of directors.** (4) (c) THE STATE
5 AUDITOR MAY CONDUCT OR CAUSE TO BE CONDUCTED A PERFORMANCE
6 AUDIT OF THE EXCHANGE. UPON COMPLETION OF A PERFORMANCE AUDIT,
7 THE STATE AUDITOR SHALL SUBMIT A WRITTEN REPORT TO THE
8 LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE, TOGETHER WITH ANY FINDINGS AND
9 RECOMMENDATIONS. THE STATE AUDITOR HAS CONTINUING AUTHORITY
10 TO CONDUCT PERFORMANCE AUDITS OF THE EXCHANGE WHENEVER THE
11 STATE AUDITOR OR THE LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE DEEMS
12 APPROPRIATE.

13 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
14 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
15 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.