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LLS NO. 11-0184.01 Troy Bratton

SENATE BILL 11-022

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

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HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

(None),

Senate Committees
Agriculture and Natural Resources

House Committees

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME AS THE STANDARD YEAR-ROUND
102 TIME WITHIN THE STATE.

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>.)

Current law states that "United States Mountain Standard Time" is the standard time within the state, except for the period of daylight saving time between the second Sunday in March and the first Sunday in November, which is one hour in advance of "United States Mountain Standard Time".

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.

The bill makes daylight saving time the year-round standard time within the state.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** 2-4-109 (1) and (2), Colorado Revised Statutes, are
3 amended to read:

4 **2-4-109. Standard time within the state.** (1) The standard time
5 within the state ~~except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, is~~
6 SHALL BE ONE HOUR IN ADVANCE OF THE STANDARD TIME that ~~which~~ is
7 now known and designated by act of congress as "United States Mountain
8 Standard Time".

9 ~~(2) From two o'clock antemeridian on the second Sunday of~~
10 ~~March, until two o'clock antemeridian on the first Sunday of November,~~
11 ~~or such other times and days as may, from time to time, be designated by~~
12 ~~act of congress, the standard time in this state so established shall be one~~
13 ~~hour in advance of the standard time now known as "United States~~
14 ~~Mountain Standard Time".~~

15 **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act
16 shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
17 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August
18 10, 2011, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2011); except that, if a
19 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the
20 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act
21 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect
22 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
23 November 2012 and shall take effect on the date of the official
24 declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.