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SENATE BILL 19-089

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Senate Committees State, Veterans, & Military Affairs

House Committees

	A BILL FOR AN ACT
01	CONCERNING THE EXEMPTION FROM REGULATION BY THE PRIVATE
02	OCCUPATIONAL SCHOOL DIVISION APPROVED BY A
03	PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION THAT PRIMARILY BENEFITS THE
04	ORGANIZATION'S MEMBERSHIP.

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://leg.colorado.gov.)

Under current law, education offered by a bona fide trade, business, professional, or fraternal organization that primarily benefits the organization's membership or mission is exempted from regulation by the

private occupational school division in the department of higher education.

The bill clarifies that the exemption covers educational services approved by the bona fide organization that are offered either by the organization or by an instructor approved by the organization.

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

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2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-64-104, amend 3 (1)(h) as follows: 4 23-64-104. Exemptions. (1) The following educational 5 institutions and educational services are exempt from the provisions of 6 this article 64: 7 (h) Education offered EDUCATIONAL SERVICES APPROVED by a 8 bona fide trade, business, professional, or fraternal organization that 9 primarily benefits BENEFIT the organization's membership or mission AND 10 THAT ARE OFFERED EITHER BY THE ORGANIZATION OR BY AN INSTRUCTOR 11 APPROVED BY THE ORGANIZATION; 12 **SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act 13 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the 14 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 15 2, 2019, if adjournment sine die is on May 3, 2019); except that, if a 16 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the 17 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act 18 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect 19 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in 20 November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the 21 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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