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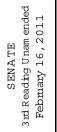
101 CONCERNING THE REPEAL OF THE BENEFIT DESIGN ADVISORY
 102 COMMITTEE.

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.)

Sunset Process - Senate Health and Human Services Committee. The bill implements the recommendation set forth by the department of regulatory agencies in its 2010 sunset review to repeal the benefit design advisory committee. The committee was appointed by the commissioner of insurance in 2006 to make recommendations to the

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general assembly regarding a medical evidence-based health benefit plan option as a choice among the basic health benefit plan options in the small group health insurance market. The committee fulfilled its statutory objective. **Sections 1 and 2** repeal the benefit design advisory committee.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 2 SECTION 1. Repeal. 2-3-1203 (3) (x) (VI), Colorado Revised 3 Statutes, is repealed as follows: 4 2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees. (3) The 5 following dates are the dates for which the statutory authorization for the 6 designated advisory committees is scheduled for repeal: 7 (x) July 1, 2011: 8 (VI) The benefit design advisory committee, appointed pursuant 9 to section 10-16-105 (16), C.R.S.; 10 SECTION 2. Repeal. 10-16-105 (16), Colorado Revised 11 Statutes, is repealed as follows: 12 10-16-105. Small group sickness and accident insurance -13 guaranteed issue - mandated provisions for basic health benefit plans 14 - rules. (16) (a) The commissioner shall appoint a benefit design 15 advisory committee to provide recommendations on the development of 16 the medical evidence-based health benefit plan described in subparagraph 17 (IV) of paragraph (b) of subsection (7.2) of this section. The advisory 18 committee shall consist of actuaries; for-profit and nonprofit health 19 insurers; health insurance brokers; health care consumers; representatives 20 of health care providers; health care professionals; small business owners, 21 including owners of business groups of one; and persons having expertise 22 in health care finance, policy, and evidence-based medicine. The 23 commissioner shall appoint the members of the advisory committee by

1 July 1, 2006.

| 2 | (b) The division may accept gifts, grants, and donations made for |
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| 3 | the purpose of funding the functions of the benefit design advisory |
| 4 | committee. Members of the advisory committee shall serve without |
| 5 | compensation and shall not be reimbursed for expenses incurred while |
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| 6 | serving on the advisory committee. |
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SECTION 3. 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.