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SENATE BILL 14-180

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE COLORADO DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM FOR**
102 **LOW-INCOME SENIORS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH,**
103 **REQUIRING A POST-ENACTMENT REVIEW OF THE**
104 **IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS ACT.**

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>.)

There is currently a program in the department of public health and environment to provide dental services to eligible, low-income seniors.

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 moves the program to the department of health care policy and financing (department). The bill directs the department to make grants to area agencies on aging or other grantees designated by an area agency on aging to arrange for dental services for eligible seniors. The bill directs the medical services board (board) to promulgate rules governing the program including itemizing dental services to be covered and maximum fees to be charged for such services. The bill establishes a senior dental advisory committee to make recommendations to the department and the board.

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

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** part 4 to article
3 3 of title 25.5 as follows:

4 **PART 4**

5 **COLORADO DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM**

6 **FOR LOW-INCOME SENIORS**

7 **25.5-3-401. Short title.** THIS PART 4 IS KNOWN AS AND MAY BE
8 CITED AS THE "COLORADO DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM FOR
9 LOW-INCOME SENIORS".

10 **25.5-3-402. Legislative declaration.** (1) THE GENERAL
11 ASSEMBLY HEREBY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT:

12 (a) THE PURPOSE OF THIS PART 4 IS TO PROMOTE THE HEALTH AND
13 WELFARE OF COLORADO LOW-INCOME SENIORS BY PROVIDING ACCESS TO
14 PATIENT-CENTERED DENTAL CARE AND SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS SIXTY
15 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER WHOSE INCOME AND RESOURCES ARE
16 INSUFFICIENT TO MEET THE COSTS OF SUCH CARE AND THEREBY SUPPORT
17 INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES TO LIVE INDEPENDENTLY WITH A GOOD
18 QUALITY OF LIFE;

19 (b) BY RELOCATING AND REORGANIZING THE "COLORADO DENTAL
20 CARE ACT OF 1977", WHICH PROVIDED DENTAL SERVICES TO CERTAIN

1 ELIGIBLE SENIORS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT CAN ALIGN THOSE DENTAL
2 HEALTH CARE SERVICES WITH ADULT DENTAL BENEFITS PROVIDED
3 THROUGH OTHER DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS FOR SENIORS AND
4 THEREBY TARGET THE RESOURCES EFFECTIVELY TO LOW-INCOME SENIORS
5 WHO MAY NOT QUALIFY FOR THOSE PROGRAMS;

6 (c) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL IMPLEMENT THIS PART 4
7 THROUGH COLLABORATION AMONG VARIOUS EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS,
8 AGENCIES, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE STATE; PRIVATE
9 INDIVIDUALS; AND ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

10 (I) THE LOCAL AREA AGENCIES ON AGING;

11 (II) COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS;

12 (III) SAFETY-NET CLINICS;

13 (IV) PRIVATE PRACTICE DENTAL PROVIDERS; AND

14 (V) FOUNDATIONS; AND

15 (d) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL IMPLEMENT THIS PART 4 AS A
16 GRANT PROGRAM THROUGHOUT ALL GEOGRAPHIC REGIONS OF THE STATE
17 USING BEST PRACTICES AND EXPERIENCE FROM OTHER GRANT PROGRAMS
18 OPERATED BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE MAXIMUM FLEXIBILITY
19 TO SAFETY-NET AND PRIVATE-PRACTICE DENTAL PROVIDERS IN ORDER TO
20 PROMOTE THE HEALTH AND WELFARE OF LOW-INCOME SENIORS.

21 **25.5-3-403. Definitions.** AS USED IN THIS PART 4, UNLESS THE
22 CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:

23 (1) "ADVISORY COMMITTEE" MEANS THE SENIOR DENTAL
24 ADVISORY COMMITTEE CREATED IN SECTION 25.5-3-406.

25 (2) "COVERED DENTAL CARE SERVICES" ARE TO BE DEFINED BY
26 RULES OF THE MEDICAL SERVICES BOARD PURSUANT TO SECTION
27 25.5-3-404 AND INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO DIAGNOSTIC,

1 PREVENTATIVE, AND RESTORATIVE CARE.

2 (3) "DENTAL HEALTH CARE SERVICES GRANT" MEANS A GRANT
3 AWARDED TO A QUALIFIED GRANTEE PURSUANT TO SECTION 25.5-3-404.

4 (4) "ELIGIBLE SENIOR" MEANS AN ADULT WHO IS SIXTY YEARS OF
5 AGE OR OLDER AND WHO IS ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED AS SPECIFIED
6 BY RULE OF THE MEDICAL SERVICES BOARD.

7 (5) "PROGRAM" MEANS THE COLORADO DENTAL HEALTH CARE
8 PROGRAM FOR LOW-INCOME SENIORS CREATED PURSUANT TO SECTION
9 25.5-3-404.

10 (6) "QUALIFIED GRANTEE" MEANS AN ENTITY THAT HAS A
11 DEMONSTRATED TRACK RECORD OF PROVIDING OR ARRANGING FOR THE
12 PROVISION OF COST-EFFECTIVE AND COMPREHENSIVE DENTAL AND ORAL
13 HEALTH CARE SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME SENIORS AND MAY INCLUDE BUT
14 IS NOT LIMITED TO:

15 (a) AN AREA AGENCY ON AGING, AS DEFINED IN SECTION
16 26-11-203, C.R.S.:

17 (b) A COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION OR FOUNDATION;

18 (c) A FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTER, SAFETY-NET CLINIC,
19 OR HEALTH DISTRICT;

20 (d) A LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY; OR

21 (e) A PRIVATE DENTAL PRACTICE.

22 (7) "QUALIFIED PROVIDER" MEANS ANY PERSON WHO IS LICENSED
23 TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN COLORADO OR WHO EMPLOYS A DENTIST
24 LICENSED IN COLORADO AND WHO IS WILLING TO ACCEPT REIMBURSEMENT
25 FOR COVERED DENTAL SERVICES PURSUANT TO THIS PROGRAM. ___

26 **25.5-3-404. Colorado dental health care program for**
27 **low-income seniors - rules. (1) (a) THERE IS CREATED IN THE STATE**

1 DEPARTMENT THE COLORADO DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM FOR
2 LOW-INCOME SENIORS TO PROVIDE COVERED DENTAL CARE SERVICES FOR
3 ELIGIBLE SENIORS WHO ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR DENTAL SERVICES UNDER
4 ANY OTHER DENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAM.

5 (b) TO ENSURE THE CONTINUITY OF DENTAL HEALTH CARE TO
6 LOW-INCOME SENIORS, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL ENSURE THAT ANY
7 INDIVIDUAL WHO MEETS, ON JUNE 30, 2014, THE ELIGIBILITY
8 REQUIREMENTS FOR DENTAL SERVICES UNDER THE "COLORADO DENTAL
9 CARE ACT OF 1977", ARTICLE 21 OF TITLE 25, C.R.S., PRIOR TO ITS
10 REPEAL, REMAINS ELIGIBLE FOR DENTAL SERVICES AFTER JUNE 30, 2014,
11 THROUGH THE "COLORADO DENTAL CARE ACT OF 1977", MEDICAID, THE
12 OLD AGE PENSION HEALTH AND MEDICAL CARE FUND, OR THE PROGRAM.

13 (2) ON AND AFTER MARCH 1, 2015, THE STATE DEPARTMENT
14 SHALL:

15 (a) IN CONSULTATION WITH THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, DEVELOP
16 A GRANT APPLICATION UNDER THE PROGRAM CONSISTENT WITH RULES OF
17 THE MEDICAL SERVICES BOARD;

18 (b) ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS UNDER THE PROGRAM
19 FROM ANY QUALIFIED GRANTEE;

20 (c) AWARD GRANTS TO QUALIFIED GRANTEES TO PROVIDE
21 COVERED DENTAL CARE SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE SENIORS;

22 (d) PAY GRANTS UNDER THE PROGRAM WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER
23 APPROVAL BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT;

24 (e) CONSIDER GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS AMONG
25 URBAN AND RURAL AREAS IN THE STATE WHEN MAKING FUNDING
26 DECISIONS.

27 (3) (a) QUALIFIED GRANTEES SHALL:

1 (I) SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR A GRANT UNDER THE PROGRAM
2 TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE FORM DEVELOPED BY THE STATE
3 DEPARTMENT;

4 (II) PROVIDE OUTREACH TO TARGETED ELIGIBLE SENIORS AND
5 DENTAL CARE PROVIDERS;

6 (III) IDENTIFY ELIGIBLE SENIORS AND QUALIFIED PROVIDERS;

7 (IV) DEMONSTRATE COLLABORATION WITH COMMUNITY
8 ORGANIZATIONS;

9 (V) ENSURE THAT ELIGIBLE SENIORS RECEIVE COVERED DENTAL
10 CARE SERVICES EFFICIENTLY WITHOUT DUPLICATION OF SERVICES;

11 (VI) MAINTAIN RECORDS OF ELIGIBLE SENIORS SERVED, DENTAL
12 CARE SERVICES PROVIDED, AND MONEYS SPENT FOR A MINIMUM OF SIX
13 YEARS;

14 (VII) DISTRIBUTE GRANT FUNDS TO QUALIFIED PROVIDERS IN
15 THEIR SERVICE AREA; AND

16 (VIII) CONDUCT AN EVALUATION OF THE PROGRAM IN ITS SERVICE
17 AREA ON THE PROGRAM'S EFFECTIVENESS AND WEAKNESSES. _____

18 (b) A QUALIFIED GRANTEE MAY EXPEND NO MORE THAN SEVEN
19 PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT OF ITS GRANT FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES.

20 (c) A QUALIFIED GRANTEE MAY ALSO BE A QUALIFIED PROVIDER IF
21 THE PERSON MEETS THE QUALIFICATIONS OF A QUALIFIED PROVIDER.

22 (4) _____ FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STATE
23 DEPARTMENT AND THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, THE MEDICAL SERVICES
24 BOARD SHALL ADOPT RULES PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-4-103, C.R.S.,
25 GOVERNING THE PROGRAM, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

26 (a) A DEFINITION OF "ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED" FOR
27 PURPOSES OF ELIGIBILITY;

1 (b) A DESCRIPTION OF DENTAL SERVICES THAT MAY BE PROVIDED
2 TO ELIGIBLE SENIORS UNDER THE PROGRAM; EXCEPT THAT SUCH SERVICES
3 MUST INCLUDE BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO ORAL EXAMINATION, DIAGNOSIS,
4 TREATMENT PLANNING, EMERGENCY TREATMENT, X RAYS, PARTIAL AND
5 FULL DENTURES, REPLACEMENT OR REPAIR OF PERMANENT TEETH,
6 REMOVAL OF PERMANENT TEETH, FILLINGS, PERIODONTAL TREATMENT,
7 AND SOFT TISSUE TREATMENT;

8 (c) A DISTRIBUTION FORMULA FOR THE AVAILABILITY OF MONEYS
9 TO EACH AREA OF THE STATE; AND

10 (d) PROCEDURES, CRITERIA, AND STANDARDS FOR AWARDING
11 GRANTS UNDER THE PROGRAM.

12 **25.5-3-405. Program reporting.** (1) ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER
13 1, 2015, AND EACH SEPTEMBER 1 THEREAFTER, EACH QUALIFIED GRANTEE
14 RECEIVING A GRANT PURSUANT TO SECTION 25.5-3-404 SHALL REPORT TO
15 THE STATE DEPARTMENT CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF ELIGIBLE SENIORS
16 SERVED, THE TYPES OF DENTAL AND ORAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED,
17 AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STATE
18 DEPARTMENT.

19 (2) ON OR BEFORE NOVEMBER 1, 2015, AND EACH NOVEMBER 1
20 THEREAFTER, THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE
21 JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND TO THE
22 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND THE
23 PUBLIC HEALTH CARE AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF
24 REPRESENTATIVES, OR ANY SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES, ON THE OPERATION
25 AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE PROGRAM, INCLUDING AN ITEMIZATION OF THE
26 DEPARTMENT'S ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURES IN IMPLEMENTING AND
27 ADMINISTERING THE PROGRAM AND ANY RECOMMENDATIONS FOR

1 LEGISLATIVE CHANGES TO THE PROGRAM.

2 **25.5-3-406. Senior dental advisory committee - creation -**

3 **duties - repeal.** (1) (a) THERE IS CREATED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT A

4 SENIOR DENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMPRISED OF ELEVEN MEMBERS

5 APPOINTED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AS FOLLOWS:

6 (I) A MEMBER REPRESENTING THE STATE DEPARTMENT;

7 (II) A DENTIST IN PRIVATE PRACTICE PROVIDING DENTAL CARE TO

8 THE SENIOR POPULATION WHO REPRESENTS A STATEWIDE ORGANIZATION

9 OF DENTISTS;

10 (III) A DENTAL HYGIENIST PROVIDING DENTAL CARE TO SENIORS;

11 (IV) A REPRESENTATIVE OF EITHER AN AGENCY THAT

12 COORDINATES SERVICES FOR LOW-INCOME SENIORS OR THE OFFICE IN THE

13 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERSEEING

14 SERVICES TO THE ELDERLY;

15 (V) A REPRESENTATIVE OF AN ORGANIZATION OF COLORADO

16 COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS, AS DEFINED IN THE FEDERAL "PUBLIC

17 HEALTH SERVICE ACT", 42 U.S.C. SEC. 254b;

18 (VI) A REPRESENTATIVE OF AN ORGANIZATION OF SAFETY-NET

19 HEALTH PROVIDERS THAT ARE NOT COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS;

20 (VII) A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

21 SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE;

22 (VIII) TWO CONSUMER ADVOCATES;

23 (IX) A SENIOR WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICES UNDER THE

24 PROGRAM; AND

25 (X) A REPRESENTATIVE OF A FOUNDATION WITH EXPERIENCE IN

26 MAKING DENTAL CARE GRANTS.

27 (b) MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL SERVE THREE-YEAR

1 TERMS. OF THE MEMBERS INITIALLY APPOINTED TO THE ADVISORY
2 COMMITTEE, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL APPOINT SIX FOR TWO-YEAR
3 TERMS AND FIVE FOR THREE-YEAR TERMS. IN THE EVENT OF A VACANCY
4 ON THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL APPOINT
5 A SUCCESSOR TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED PORTION OF THE TERM OF SUCH
6 MEMBER.

7 (c) (I) THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHALL DESIGNATE A MEMBER TO
8 SERVE AS THE CHAIR OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE. THE ADVISORY
9 COMMITTEE SHALL MEET AS NECESSARY AT THE CALL OF THE CHAIR.

10 (II) MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SERVE WITHOUT
11 COMPENSATION OR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES.

12 (III) PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-18-108.5, C.R.S., A MEMBER OF
13 THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SHALL NOT PERFORM AN OFFICIAL ACT THAT
14 MAY HAVE A DIRECT ECONOMIC BENEFIT ON A BUSINESS OR OTHER
15 UNDERTAKING IN WHICH THE MEMBER HAS A DIRECT OR SUBSTANTIAL
16 FINANCIAL INTEREST.

17 (d) (I) FOR THE INITIAL APPOINTMENTS, THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
18 SHALL CONSIDER APPOINTING MEMBERS WHO SERVED ON THE DENTAL
19 ADVISORY COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-21-107.5,
20 C.R.S., PRIOR TO ITS REPEAL.

21 (II) THIS PARAGRAPH (d) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016.

22 (e) THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHALL PROVIDE STAFF ASSISTANCE TO
23 THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

24 (2) THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE SHALL:

25 (a) ADVISE THE STATE DEPARTMENT ON THE OPERATION OF THE
26 PROGRAM;

27 (b) MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE MEDICAL SERVICES BOARD

1 REGARDING RULES TO BE PROMULGATED PURSUANT TO SECTION
2 25.5-3-304, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

3 (I) DEFINING COVERED DENTAL CARE SERVICES;

4 (II) THE DISTRIBUTION FORMULA FOR THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS
5 TO EACH AREA OF THE STATE;

6 (III) GRANT PROCEDURES, CRITERIA, AND STANDARDS, INCLUDING
7 PREFERENCE FOR QUALIFIED GRANTEES WHO DEMONSTRATE
8 COLLABORATION WITH COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS A LOCAL
9 AREA AGENCY ON AGING; AND

10 (IV) A MAXIMUM AMOUNT PER PROCEDURE THAT CAN BE SPENT BY
11 QUALIFIED GRANTEES AND QUALIFIED PROVIDERS THAT SHALL NOT BE
12 LESS THAN THE REIMBURSEMENT SCHEDULE ADOPTED BY THE STATE
13 BOARD OF HEALTH PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-21-105, C.R.S., PRIOR TO ITS
14 REPEAL.

15 (3) (a) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 2024.

16 (b) PRIOR TO SAID REPEAL, THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MUST BE
17 REVIEWED AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 2-3-1203, C.R.S.

18 **25.5-3-407. Senior dental program cash fund - creation.**

19 (1) THERE IS CREATED IN THE STATE TREASURY THE SENIOR DENTAL
20 PROGRAM CASH FUND, REFERRED TO IN THIS SECTION AS THE "FUND",
21 CONSISTING OF MONEYS TRANSFERRED TO THE FUND PURSUANT TO
22 SECTION 25-21-107.7 PRIOR TO ITS REPEAL AND ANY MONEYS THAT MAY
23 BE APPROPRIATED TO THE FUND BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. THE MONEYS
24 IN THE FUND ARE SUBJECT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION BY THE GENERAL
25 ASSEMBLY TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR THE DIRECT AND INDIRECT
26 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH IMPLEMENTING THE PROGRAM. ==

27 (2) THE STATE TREASURER MAY INVEST ANY MONEYS IN THE FUND

1 NOT EXPENDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM AS PROVIDED BY LAW.
2 THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT ALL INTEREST AND INCOME DERIVED
3 FROM THE INVESTMENT AND DEPOSIT OF MONEYS IN THE FUND TO THE
4 FUND. ANY UNEXPENDED AND UNENCUMBERED MONEYS REMAINING IN
5 THE FUND AT THE END OF A FISCAL YEAR REMAIN IN THE FUND AND SHALL
6 NOT BE CREDITED OR TRANSFERRED TO THE GENERAL FUND OR ANOTHER
7 FUND.

8 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-21-104, **add** (4)
9 as follows:

10 **25-21-104. Dental assistance program for seniors.** (4) (a) FOR
11 SERVICES TO BE PERFORMED AFTER JUNE 30, 2014, THE QUALIFIED
12 GRANTEE SHALL ENCOURAGE THE ELIGIBLE SENIOR TO APPLY FOR DENTAL
13 AND ORAL HEALTH COVERAGE THROUGH THE MEDICAID OR THE OLD AGE
14 PENSION HEALTH AND MEDICAL CARE FUND.

15 (b) IF AN ELIGIBLE SENIOR DOES NOT QUALIFY OR APPLY FOR
16 DENTAL AND ORAL HEALTH COVERAGE THROUGH THESE PROGRAMS, THE
17 QUALIFIED GRANTEE MAY CONTINUE TO PROVIDE SERVICES UNDER THIS
18 ARTICLE; EXCEPT THAT, AFTER FEBRUARY 28, 2015, SERVICES MAY BE
19 PROVIDED ONLY TO THE EXTENT THAT THE SERVICES WERE PART OF A
20 TREATMENT PLAN ESTABLISHED PRIOR TO FEBRUARY 28, 2015.

21 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 25-21-109 as
22 follows:

23 **25-21-109. Repeal of article.** THIS ARTICLE IS REPEALED,
24 EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015.

25 **SECTION 4.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **add** (3)
26 (kk.5) as follows:

27 **2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees.** (3) The

1 following dates are the dates for which the statutory authorization for the
2 designated advisory committees is scheduled for repeal:

3 (kk.5) SEPTEMBER 1, 2024:

4 (I) THE SENIOR DENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE CREATED IN
5 SECTION 25.5-3-406, C.R.S.

6 **SECTION 5. Accountability.** Two years after this act becomes
7 law and in accordance with section 2-2-1201, Colorado Revised Statutes,
8 the legislative service agencies of the Colorado General Assembly shall
9 conduct a post-enactment review of the implementation of this act
10 utilizing the information contained in the legislative declaration set forth
11 in section 26-11-208 (2), Colorado Revised Statutes, enacted in section
12 1 of this act.

13 **SECTION 6. 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.