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SENATE BILL 11-248

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING REPEAL OF THE "BEDDING 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.)

The bill repeals the "Bedding Act", which is administered and enforced by the Colorado department of public health and environment and which regulates the sale of bedding (defined as "any quilted pad, packing pad, mattress pad, hammock pad, mattress, comforter, bunk quilt, sleeping bag, box spring, studio couch, pillow, or cushion, any bag or container made of leather, cloth, or any other material, or any other device that is stuffed or filled in whole or in part with any concealed material in

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addition to the structural units and filling material used therein and its container, all of which can be used by any human being for sleeping or reclining purposes") in Colorado.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:* 2 SECTION 1. Repeal. Part 3 of article 5 of title 25, Colorado 3 Revised Statutes, is repealed. 4 SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act 5 shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the 6 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 7 10, 2011, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2011); except that, if a 8 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the 9 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act 10 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect 11 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in 12 November 2012 and shall take effect on the date of the official 13 declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.