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SENATE BILL 19-149

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE COLORADO HUMAN**
102 **TRAFFICKING COUNCIL.**

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/>.)

Sunset Process - State, Veterans, and Military Affairs Committee. The bill continues the Colorado human trafficking council until September 1, 2024.

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

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
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SENATE
3rd Reading Unamended
April 17, 2019

SENATE
Amended 2nd Reading
April 16, 2019

1 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-3-505, **amend**
2 (1)(b)(XX), (1)(b)(XXII), (2), (3), (4)(f), and (6); repeal (4)(a)(I); and
3 **add (1)(b)(XXIV) and (1)(b)(XXV)** as follows:

4 **18-3-505. Human trafficking council - created - duties - repeal.**
5 (1) (b) The membership of the council must reflect, to the extent
6 possible, representation of urban and rural areas of the state and a balance
7 of expertise, both governmental and nongovernmental, in issues relating
8 to human trafficking. The council must include members with expertise
9 in child welfare and human services to address the unique needs of child
10 victims, including those child victims who are involved in the child
11 welfare system. The membership of the council consists of the following
12 persons, appointed as follows:

13 (XX) ~~Two~~ FOUR persons who are former victims of human
14 trafficking, ~~one~~ TWO who ~~is a~~ ARE former ~~victim~~ VICTIMS of human
15 trafficking for involuntary servitude and ~~one~~ TWO who ~~is a~~ ARE former
16 ~~victim~~ VICTIMS of human trafficking for sexual servitude, each to be
17 appointed by the governor or his or her designee;

18 (XXII) One person to be appointed by the commissioner of
19 agriculture; and

20 (XXIV) A REPRESENTATIVE OF A STATEWIDE COALITION FOR
21 VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR OR
22 HIS OR HER DESIGNEE; AND

23 (XXV) ONE PERSON WHO IS A REPRESENTATIVE OF AN
24 ORGANIZATION FOR VICTIMS OF LABOR TRAFFICKING OR AN INDIVIDUAL
25 WHO HAS EXTENSIVE PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE IN ADVOCATING FOR
26 VICTIMS OF LABOR TRAFFICKING, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR OR
27 HIS OR HER DESIGNEE.

1 (2) Each appointing authority described in subsection (1) of this
2 section shall make his or her appointments to the council on or before
3 August 1, 2014. THE TERM OF A COUNCIL MEMBER SERVING AS OF THE
4 EFFECTIVE DATE OF SENATE BILL 19-149, ENACTED IN 2019, OR ANY
5 COUNCIL MEMBER APPOINTED AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SENATE BILL
6 19-149, ENACTED IN 2019, WILL EXPIRE ON DECEMBER 31 OF THE YEAR
7 THE TERM IS SET TO EXPIRE. THE SUCCEEDING APPOINTEE'S TERM WILL
8 COMMENCE ON THE JANUARY 1 FOLLOWING THE EXPIRATION OF THE
9 PRECEDING TERM. The members of the council shall elect presiding
10 officers for the council, including a chair and vice-chair, from among the
11 council members appointed pursuant to subsection (1) of this section,
12 which presiding officers shall serve terms of two years. Council members
13 may reelect a presiding officer.

14 (3) (a) ~~Each member of the council shall~~ EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY
15 SUBSECTION (3)(b) OF THIS SECTION, EACH COUNCIL MEMBER MUST serve
16 at the pleasure of his or her appointing authority for a term of four years.
17 The appointing authority may reappoint the COUNCIL member for an
18 additional term or terms. ~~Members of the council shall~~ COUNCIL
19 MEMBERS MUST serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for
20 actual travel expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

21 (b) EACH COUNCIL MEMBER APPOINTED PURSUANT TO
22 SUBSECTIONS (1)(b)(I) TO (1)(b)(IV), (1)(b)(XXII), AND (1)(b)(XXIII) OF
23 THIS SECTION AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SENATE BILL 19-149,
24 ENACTED IN 2019, MUST SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF HIS OR HER
25 APPOINTING AUTHORITY FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS. THE APPOINTING
26 AUTHORITY MAY REAPPOINT THE COUNCIL MEMBER FOR AN ADDITIONAL
27 TERM OR TERMS. COUNCIL MEMBERS MUST SERVE WITHOUT

1 COMPENSATION BUT MAY BE REIMBURSED FOR ACTUAL TRAVEL EXPENSES
2 INCURRED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES.

3 (4) The council shall hold its first meeting on or before November
4 1, 2014, at a time and place to be designated by the executive director of
5 the department of public safety, or by his or her designee. The council
6 shall meet at least four times each year and shall carry out the following
7 duties:

8 (a) On or before January 1, 2016, make recommendations to the
9 judiciary committees of the house of representatives and senate, or any
10 successor committees, concerning:

11 (I) Whether the general assembly should establish standards and
12 a process for the certification of organizations that provide services to
13 victims of human trafficking;

14 (f) Identify best practices for the prevention of ALL FORMS OF
15 human trafficking, particularly for the prevention of INCLUDING BUT NOT
16 LIMITED TO child sex trafficking AND INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE
17 TRAFFICKING;

18 (6) This section is repealed, effective ~~September 1, 2019~~
19 SEPTEMBER 1, 2024. Before repeal, the department of regulatory agencies
20 shall review the council pursuant to section 2-3-1203. ~~C.R.S.~~

21 **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **repeal**
22 (9)(a)(V); and **add** (15)(a)(VI) as follows:

23 **2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees - legislative**
24 **declaration - definition - repeal.** (9) (a) The following statutory
25 authorizations for the designated advisory committees will repeal on
26 September 1, 2019:

27 (V) ~~The Colorado human trafficking council created in section~~

1 ~~18-3-505, C.R.S.~~

2 (15) (a) The following statutory authorizations for the designated
3 advisory committees are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2024:

4 (VI) THE COLORADO HUMAN TRAFFICKING COUNCIL CREATED IN
5 SECTION 18-3-505.

6 **SECTION 3. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
7 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
8 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.