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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.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

1 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-3-505, **amend**
2 (1)(b)(XX), (1)(b)(XXII), (4)(f), and (6); repeal (4)(a)(I); and add
3 (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 SPECIALIST IN ISSUES OR RESEARCH
24 REGARDING INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE TRAFFICKING, TO BE APPOINTED BY
25 THE GOVERNOR OR HIS OR HER DESIGNEE.

26 (4) The council shall hold its first meeting on or before November
27 1, 2014, at a time and place to be designated by the executive director of

1 the department of public safety, or by his or her designee. The council
2 shall meet at least four times each year and shall carry out the following
3 duties:

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

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

10 (f) Identify best practices for the prevention of ALL FORMS OF
11 human trafficking, particularly for the prevention of INCLUDING BUT NOT
12 LIMITED TO child sex trafficking AND INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE
13 TRAFFICKING;

14 (6) This section is repealed, effective ~~September 1, 2019~~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

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

19 **2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees - legislative**
20 **declaration - definition - repeal.** (9) (a) The following statutory
21 authorizations for the designated advisory committees will repeal on
22 September 1, 2019:

23 ~~(V) The Colorado human trafficking council created in section~~
24 ~~18-3-505, C.R.S.~~

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

27 (VI) THE COLORADO HUMAN TRAFFICKING COUNCIL CREATED IN

1 SECTION 18-3-505.

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