

**Second Regular Session  
Seventy-third General Assembly  
STATE OF COLORADO**

**REREVISED**

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Adopted in the Second House*

LLS NO. 22-0327.01 Shelby Ross x4510

**HOUSE BILL 22-1276**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101      **CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE SECOND CHANCE**  
102                **SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH,**  
103                **IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATION CONTAINED IN THE**  
104                **2021 SUNSET REPORT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY**  
105                **AGENCIES TO SUNSET THE PROGRAM.**

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**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 - House Education Committee.** The bill implements the recommendation of the department of regulatory agencies

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.*

SENATE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
April 11, 2022

SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
April 8, 2022

HOUSE  
3rd Reading Unamended  
March 25, 2022

HOUSE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
March 22, 2022

in its sunset review and report on the second chance scholarship program by repealing the program.

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

2           **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **repeal** part 12 of  
3 article 3.3 of title 23.

4           **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, **repeal**  
5 (23)(a)(XI) as follows:

6           **24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies**  
7 **and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment - legislative**  
8 **declaration - repeal.** (23) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both,  
9 are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2022:

10           (XI) ~~The Colorado second chance scholarship program created in~~  
11 ~~section 23-3.3-1201;~~

12           **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
13 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the  
14 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except  
15 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V  
16 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this  
17 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take  
18 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in  
19 November 2022 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the  
20 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.