CHAPTER 419

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE BILL 22-218

BY SENATOR(S) Holbert and Fenberg, Bridges, Cooke, Donovan, Gardner, Ginal, Gonzales, Jaquez Lewis, Kirkmeyer, Kolker, Liston, Lundeen, Pettersen, Smallwood, Woodward;

also REPRESENTATIVE(S) McKean and Garnett, Bernett, Lindsay, Lontine, Michaelson Jenet, Ortiz, Snyder, Woodrow.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE SPONSORSHIP OF SUNSET BILLS.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, **amend** (6)(d)(III) as follows:

- **24-34-104.** General assembly review of regulatory agencies and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment legislative declaration repeal. (6) (d) (III) After consulting with the minority leader of the house of representatives and the senate, respectively, and receiving permission from the representative or senator to be added as the bill sponsor:
- (A) The speaker of the house of representatives shall assign the proposed bill to a representative for sponsorship in the house of representatives in odd-numbered years; AND
- (B) The president of the senate shall assign the proposed bill to a senator for sponsorship in the senate in even-numbered years.
- **SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be

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held in November 2022 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: June 7, 2022