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**SENATE BILL 18-007**

**SENATE SPONSORSHIP**

**Tate and Guzman**, Court, Fenberg, Fields, Jones, Merrifield, Todd, Zenzinger

**HOUSE SPONSORSHIP**

**Duran and Becker J.**,

**Senate Committees**

Finance  
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**House Committees**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING THE COLORADO AFFORDABLE HOUSING TAX CREDIT,**  
102 **AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, RENAMING THE LOW-INCOME**  
103 **HOUSING TAX CREDIT THE COLORADO AFFORDABLE HOUSING**  
104 **TAX CREDIT AND EXTENDING THE PERIOD DURING WHICH THE**  
105 **COLORADO HOUSING AND FINANCE AUTHORITY MAY ALLOCATE**  
106 **AFFORDABLE HOUSING TAX CREDITS.**

**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>.)*

The bill changes the name of the existing low-income housing tax

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  
February 22, 2018

SENATE  
2nd Reading Unamended  
February 21, 2018

credit to the affordable housing tax credit. This change is reflected in sections 1 and 3 of the bill.

Section 2 extends the period during which the Colorado housing and finance authority may allocate affordable housing tax credits from December 31, 2019, to December 31, 2024.

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

2           **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-22-2101, **amend**  
3 (4) as follows:

4           **39-22-2101. Definitions.** As used in this part 21, unless the  
5 context otherwise requires:

6           (4) "Credit" means the Colorado ~~low-income~~ AFFORDABLE  
7 housing tax credit allowed pursuant to section 39-22-2102.

8           **SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-22-2102, **amend**  
9 (3), (4), and (7) introductory portion as follows:

10           **39-22-2102. Credit against tax - affordable housing**  
11 **developments.** (3) If an owner of a qualified development receiving an  
12 allocation of a credit is a partnership, limited liability company, S  
13 corporation, or similar pass-through entity, the owner may allocate the  
14 credit among its partners, shareholders, members, or other constituent  
15 taxpayers in any manner agreed to by such persons REGARDLESS OF  
16 WHETHER ANY SUCH PERSONS ARE DEEMED A PARTNER FOR FEDERAL  
17 INCOME TAX PURPOSES. The owner shall certify to the department the  
18 amount of credit allocated to each PARTNER, SHAREHOLDER, MEMBER, OR  
19 OTHER constituent taxpayer. Each PARTNER, SHAREHOLDER, MEMBER, OR  
20 OTHER constituent taxpayer ~~shall be~~ ADMITTED AS A PARTNER,  
21 SHAREHOLDER, MEMBER, OR OTHER CONSTITUENT OF THE OWNER PRIOR  
22 TO THE FILING OF A TAX CREDIT CLAIMING THE CREDIT IS allowed to claim  
23 such amount subject to any restrictions set forth in this part 21.

1 (4) No credit shall be allocated pursuant to this part 21 unless the  
2 qualified development is the subject of a recorded restrictive covenant  
3 requiring the development to be maintained and operated as a qualified  
4 development, and is in accordance with the accessibility and adaptability  
5 requirements of the federal tax credits and Title VIII of the "Civil Rights  
6 Act of 1968", as amended by the "Fair Housing Amendments Act of  
7 1988", for a period of fifteen taxable years, or such longer period as may  
8 be agreed to between the authority and the owner, beginning with the first  
9 taxable year of the credit period UNLESS CORRECTED WITHIN THE TIME  
10 PROVIDED BY SEC. 42(h)(6)(J) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AS  
11 APPLICABLE TO THE COVENANT DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBSECTION (4).

12 (7) During each calendar year of the ~~five-year~~ period beginning  
13 January 1, 2015, and ending ~~December 31, 2019~~ DECEMBER 31, 2024, the  
14 authority may allocate a credit, the full amount of which may be claimed  
15 against the taxes imposed by this ~~article~~ ARTICLE 22 for each taxable year  
16 of the six-year credit period. The aggregate amount of all credits allocated  
17 by the authority in each calendar year of the ~~five-year~~ period beginning  
18 January 1, 2015, and ending ~~December 31, 2019~~ DECEMBER 31, 2024,  
19 shall not exceed the amount of:

20 **SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 39-22-2108, **amend**  
21 (1) introductory portion as follows:

22 **39-22-2108. Report to the general assembly.** (1) For each  
23 allocation year, the authority shall, by December 31 of that year, provide  
24 a written report to the general assembly and shall further make the report  
25 available to the public. With respect to allocated state ~~low-income~~  
26 AFFORDABLE housing tax credits under section 39-22-2102, the report  
27 must:

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