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HOUSE BILL 22-1276

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Kipp and Exum, Bacon, Benavidez, Bird, Boesenecker, Cutter, Esgar, Jodeh, Lindsay, McCluskie, McCormick, McLachlan, Mullica, Soper, Titone, Woodrow;  
also SENATOR(S) Moreno, Buckner, Donovan, Ginal, Gonzales, Lee, Smallwood, Fenberg.

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

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

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

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

**24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies and functions for repeal, continuation, or reestablishment - legislative declaration - repeal.** (23) (a) The following agencies, functions, or both,

*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.*

are scheduled for repeal on September 1, 2022:

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

**SECTION 3. 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 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.

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Alec Garnett  
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF  
THE SENATE

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CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE  
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Cindi L. Markwell  
SECRETARY OF  
THE SENATE

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date and Time)

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Jared S. Polis  
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO