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HOUSE BILL 16-1173

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Mitsch Bush, Arndt, Brown, Danielson, Ginal, Lebsock, Becker K., Hamner, Pettersen;  
also SENATOR(S) Scott, Jones, Newell.

CONCERNING THE CONTINUATION OF THE REGULATION OF VESSELS BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

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

**SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-34-104, **amend** (57) (c); **repeal** (47.5) (e); and **add** (57) (d) as follows:

**24-34-104. General assembly review of regulatory agencies and functions for termination, continuation, or reestablishment.** (47.5) The following agencies, functions, or both, shall terminate on September 1, 2016:

~~(e) The registration and regulation of vessels by the department of natural resources in accordance with article 13 of title 33, C.R.S.;~~

(57) The following agencies, functions, or both, terminate on September 1, 2026:

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*Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.*

(c) The securities board, created in section 11-51-702.5, C.R.S.;  
AND

(d) THE REGISTRATION AND REGULATION OF VESSELS BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 13  
OF TITLE 33, C.R.S.

**SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 33-13-107, **amend** (1)  
as follows:

**33-13-107. Vessel liveries.** (1) The owner or operator of a vessel  
livery shall keep a record of the name and address of each person who hires  
any vessel that is designed or permitted to be operated as a vessel, the HULL  
identification number of ~~such~~ THE vessel, and the departure date and time  
and the expected date and time of return of ~~such~~ THE vessel. Such records  
shall be preserved for at least thirty days after ~~such~~ THE vessel is to be  
returned and shall be subject to inspection by the division. Any person who  
violates this subsection (1) is guilty of a class 2 petty offense and, upon  
conviction, shall be punished by a fine of one hundred dollars.

**SECTION 3.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **amend** 33-13-116 as  
follows:

**33-13-116. Repeal of sections.** Sections 33-13-103, 33-13-104,  
33-13-105, and 33-13-107 are repealed, effective ~~September 1, 2016~~  
SEPTEMBER 1, 2026. Prior to the repeal, the function of registration and  
regulation of vessels shall be reviewed as provided for in section  
24-34-104, C.R.S.

**SECTION 4. 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 (August  
10, 2016, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2016); 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 2016 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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