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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE COLORADO
102 CLEAN CLAIMS TASK FORCE.

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://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries.)

Current law requires the Colorado medical clean claims task force to report to the executive director of the department of health care policy and financing, the health and human services committee of the senate, and the health, insurance, and environment and public health care and human services committees of the house of representatives. The bill directs that the reports instead be submitted to the commissioner of SENATE rd Reading Unamended February 2, 2015

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insurance and to the business, labor, and technology committee of the senate and the business, labor, economic, and workforce development committee of the house of representatives.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:* 2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-37-106, amend 3 (2) (d) (III) (C), (2) (d) (III) (D), and (8) as follows: 4 25-37-106. Clean claims - development of standardized 5 payment rules and code edits - task force to develop - legislative 6 recommendations - short title - applicability. (2) (d) (III) (C) By 7 January 31, 2016, the task force shall submit a final report and 8 recommendations regarding the complete set of uniform, standardized 9 payment rules and claim edits to the executive director of the department 10 of health care policy and financing, the health and human services 11 committee of the senate, and the health, insurance, and environment and 12 public health care and human services committees COMMISSIONER OF 13 INSURANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES, THE 14 BUSINESS, LABOR, AND TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE, AND 15 BUSINESS AFFAIRS AND LABOR COMMITTEE of the house of representatives 16 OR THEIR SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES. 17 (D) On and after January 1, 2017, the task force or its successor 18 shall review and update the standardized set of payment rules and claim 19 edits and the recommendations submitted pursuant to this paragraph (d) 20 at least quarterly and by December 31, 2017, and by each December 31 21 thereafter, shall submit an annual report to the executive director of the 22 department of health care policy and financing COMMISSIONER OF 23 INSURANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES or to the 24 agency responsible for overseeing the task force or its successor.

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(8) The executive director of the department of health care policy and financing COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATORY AGENCIES shall work with the federal department of health and human services to encourage and facilitate the use of the uniform, standardized payment rules and claim edits adopted in this state as the model for use and implementation nationally.

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 (August 5, 2015, if adjournment sine die is on May 6, 2015); 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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