

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

Chair of Committee

March 21, 2024
Date

Committee on Business Affairs & Labor.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB24-1344 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 18, strike "(2)(a)(I) introductory portion
2 and".
- 3 Page 4, strike lines 20 through 23 and substitute "**of article. (4) No major**
4 ~~political party shall be represented on the board by~~".
- 5 Page 4, line 25, strike "2037." and substitute "2032."
- 6 Page 5, line 3, strike "(2)(a)(I) introductory portion and".
- 7 Page 5, lines 6 and 7, strike "~~and with the confirmation of the senate,~~" and
8 substitute "and with the confirmation of the senate,".
- 9 Page 10, line 13, strike "(2)" and substitute "(2); and **add (1)(s)**".
- 10 Page 10, after line 24 insert:
11 "(s) FAILING TO DISPLAY PLUMBING CONTRACTOR AND MASTER
12 PLUMBER REGISTRATION INFORMATION, AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION
13 12-155-125."
- 14 Page 12, line 27, after "(2)" insert "and (4)".
- 15 Page 13, after line 14 insert:
16 "(4) Persons who are engaged in the business of INSTALLING,
17 REMOVING, inspecting, testing, and repairing backflow prevention devices
18 ~~shall be~~ ARE NOT exempt from licensure under this article 155, except

1 when the persons ~~engage in the installation and removal of the devices~~
2 ARE INSTALLING OR TESTING A STAND-ALONE FIRE SUPPRESSION
3 SPRINKLER SYSTEM."

4 Page 19, after line 9 insert:

5 "SECTION 25. In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 12-155-125
6 as follows:

7 **12-155-125. Plumbing contractors - requirement to display**
8 **registration identification - master plumber of contractor.** (1) ON
9 AND AFTER JULY 1, 2025, A PLUMBING CONTRACTOR SHALL DISPLAY THE
10 FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE PLUMBING CONTRACTOR'S VEHICLE OR
11 VEHICLES, BILLING MATERIALS, BID SHEETS, AND WEBSITE:

12 (a) THE PLUMBING CONTRACTOR'S COLORADO REGISTRATION
13 IDENTIFICATION NUMBER; AND

14 (b) THE COLORADO REGISTRATION IDENTIFICATION NUMBER FOR
15 THE MASTER PLUMBER ATTACHED TO THE PLUMBING CONTRACTOR.

16 **SECTION 26.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-20-202, **add**
17 (1)(f) as follows:

18 **12-20-202. Licenses, certifications, and registrations - renewal**
19 **- reinstatement - fees - occupational credential portability program**
20 **- temporary authority for military spouses - exceptions for military**
21 **personnel - rules - consideration of criminal convictions or driver's**
22 **history - executive director authority - definitions - repeal.**

23 (1) **Renewal.** (f) (I) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF THE LAW TO
24 THE CONTRARY, THE DIRECTOR SHALL CHANGE THE VALIDITY OF LICENSES
25 AND REGISTRATIONS ISSUED OR RENEWED BY THE STATE PLUMBING
26 BOARD, CREATED IN SECTION 12-155-104, TO A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS,
27 APPLICABLE TO LICENSES AND REGISTRATIONS ISSUED OR RENEWED ON OR
28 AFTER MARCH 1, 2025.

29 (II) THIS SUBSECTION (1)(f) IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
30 2026."

31 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

32 Page 19, line 22, strike "(38)(a)(II)" and substitute "(33)(a)(IX)".

33 Page 20, line 1, strike "(38)" and substitute "(33)".

34 Page 20, line 2, strike "2037:" and substitute "2032:".

35 Page 20, line 3, strike "(II)" and substitute "(IX)".

1 Page 20, line 17, strike "25, and 27" and substitute "27, and 29".

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