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SENATE BILLS ENACTED AND APPROVED AND ANY VETOED BILLS

No. <u>Subject</u>

Record of lease no longer notice unless affidavit filed. Requires lessee under oil, gas, or other mineral lease, or owner of partial interest in such lease to record an affidavit with the clerk and recorder of the county wherein the land that is the subject of the lease is located, when extension of the lease beyond the primary or definite term thereof is claimed because of production or otherwise. If affidavit is not filed, lease has no more effect than unrecorded instrument. Specific periods of time for recording such affidavits for leases given on and after effective date of act, and for leases given prior to effective date, are specified in act.

March 28 March 28

2 <u>Sale of state lands</u>. Requires that in sales of state lands conducted by the state board of land commissioners, one section shall be the maximum size of lots, parcels, blocks, or tracts offered for sale. Former maximum size was 320 acres.

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Filings concerning fixtures and crops under the "Uniform Commercial Code". Shifts filing concerning fixtures to be indexed by the clerk and recorder in the real estate as well as the personal property records to section 155-9-403 (5). Repeals 155-9-401 (5), C.R.S. 1963, which required filings affecting crops or fixtures be indexed in both the real estate and personal property records.

March 3 March 3

6 Civil service - appointment of employees to positions at higher than the minimum rate. Provides that the governor or his designee may authorize an appointment to a classified civil service position not to exceed the third step, upon a showing of recruiting difficulty or other unusual reasons. Formerly, only the governor had this authority.

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9 Membership of ground water commission. Governor is replaced as a member of the ground water commission by the natural resources coordinator.

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Membership of state board of agriculture. Removes governor as an ex officio member of the state board of agriculture.

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Membership of game, fish, and parks commission. Removes governor as an ex officio member of the game, fish, and parks commission; he is replaced by the natural resources coordinator. Requires that appointments to the commission made by the governor must receive the consent of the senate.

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12 <u>State board of canvassers abolished</u>. Abolishes state board of canvassers and transfers its duties to the secretary of state.

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Membership of state board of veterinary medicine. Governor is replaced by the secretary of state as an ex officio member of the state board of veterinary medicine.

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Committee on education beyond high school abolished. Provides for the abolition of the committee on education beyond high school.

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Advisory committee on educational endeavor abolished. Repeals 123-27-4, C.R.S. 1963, thus abolishing the advisory committee on educational endeavor.

February 10 February 10

Trade secrets - theft or embezzlement thereof. Prohibits the theft or embezzlement of a trade secret, defined as any information, design, process, formula, or improvement, relating to any business or profession, which is secret and of value, and as to which the owner has taken measures to prevent its becoming available to unauthorized persons. For a first conviction, any offender is guilty of a misdemeanor; and for a second or subsequent conviction, the offender is guilty of a felony.

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Personnel of Colorado state patrol. Abolishes maximum limits on number of commissioned and noncommissioned officers and patrolmen of the Colorado state patrol. Formerly, the limits were as follows: Sixty commissioned and noncommissioned officers; two hundred and seventy-five patrolmen.

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27 Employment of county jail prisoners. Requires class I counties, and permits counties of other classes, to set up programs for prisoners in county jails under which such prisoners may be

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27 permitted to leave the jail for the purpose of employment, cont. seeking employment, obtaining an education, or medical treatment. Formerly, only class I counties could set up such programs, and it was not mandatory that they do so.

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Operators of motorcycles and motor-driven cycles. Provides that special instruction permits and licenses or authority shall be required to operate motorcycles and motor-driven cycles. Such authority shall be by endorsement on existing driver's license. Fees for any such permit, license, or authority are the same as those for instruction permits and licenses for operators of motor vehicles. Such license or authority shall be issued only after passage of an examination which includes an actual demonstration of driving ability conducted on a motorcycle or motor-driven cycle.

March 3 July 1

31 <u>Motor vehicles - point system</u>. Increases points assessed for eluding or attempting to elude a police officer from 3 points to 12 points.

May 27 May 27

32 Motor vehicles - driving under influence of liquor - implied consent. Provides that any person operating a motor vehicle on the public highways of this state is deemed to give his consent to a chemical test of his blood, breath, or urine to determine the alcoholic content of his blood if he has been arrested for driving under the influence of liquor. Any such test shall be given pursuant to rules of the department of health. person refuses to submit to such a test, the arresting officer shall give notice thereof in writing to the department of revenue, which shall give notice to the person refusing, to appear at a hearing to show cause why his license or driving privilege should not be revoked. At the hearing, the arresting officer must show he had reasonable grounds to believe the person was driving under the influence, and if that person cannot then show medical evidence that his physical condition made such a test inadvisable, his license or privilege shall be revoked for six months. the person is subsequently found not guilty of the offense of driving while under the influence, or if the charges are dismissed, his license shall be reinstated immediately.

Provides that upon request, any person submitting to the test shall be furnished the results thereof, and permits the person to have an additional test made by a physician or laboratory of his own choice. Refusal to submit to such a test shall not be admissible in any prosecution for driving under the influence. Provides for judicial review of the department's order of revocation, and for the department to have a court reporter

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32 to transcribe the revocation proceedings. Provides that if the cont. alcoholic content of any person's blood is 0.05% or less, there shall be a presumption that his ability to operate a motor vehicle was not impaired to any extent necessary to sustain a charge of driving under the influence of liquor.

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- Penalties for violations of laws relating to motor vehicles. This act provides as follows:
 - a. Violations of chapter 13, C.R.S. 1963, for which no penalty is provided by law, and which are not covered by section 13-5-130 (3), are punishable by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$500, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than 10 days nor more than 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Formerly the law provided for a graduated penalty for first, second, and subsequent offenses.
 - b. The fines for certain minor violations of chapter 13, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, relating to motor vehicles, are increased from \$3 to \$5.

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Punishment for violations of municipal ordinances. Provides that violations of ordinances of municipal corporations are punishable by a fine not to exceed \$300 or by imprisonment not to exceed 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Formerly, municipal corporations could impose either such fine or imprisonment, but not both.

February 10 July 1

Traffic violations - defendant may be required to attend driver training school. Provides that for convictions of violations of article 5 of chapter 13, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, the court, in addition to the penalty provided for the violation, or as a condition of probation or suspension of all or part of the fine or sentence, may require the defendant, at his own expense, to attend a driver improvement school located and operated in the county where the defendant resides.

March 3 July 1

Driving under the influence - disposition of fines. Provides that fines and penalties received for violations of 13-5-30, C.R.S. 1963, relating to driving under the influence, are disposed of as follows: If the violation occurred within the corporate limits of a town or city, 50 per cent goes to such town or city, and the remaining 50 per cent goes to the county where the violation occurred; for all other violations of said section the entire fine or penalty goes to the county where the violation

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39 occurred. Formerly, fines or penalties for violation of said cont. section were divided evenly between the state and the county where the violation occurred. Act applies to fines assessed for violations of said section occurring within the corporate limits of towns or cities after July 1, 1967.

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- Penalty for driving a motor vehicle while the operator's license is suspended or revoked. This act provides as follows:
 - a. Holders of provisional operators' and provisional chauffeurs' licenses are made subject to the punishment provided in b. and c. hereunder for driving while the operator's license is suspended or revoked.
 - b. Punishment for driving while the operator's license is suspended or revoked is as follows: For a first conviction, imprisonment in the county jail for not less than five days nor more than six months, and in the discretion of the court, a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500. The minimum jail sentence provided for an offense is mandatory, and cannot be suspended in whole or in part, except where the defendant establishes that he had to drive a motor vehicle because of an emergency situation. Formerly, the punishment that could be assessed for any conviction of driving while the operator's license was suspended or revoked was a jail sentence or a fine or both such fine and imprisonment.
 - c. Upon a second or subsequent conviction of driving while under suspension or revocation within five years of the first conviction, the defendant shall not be eligible to be issued any type of license to operate a motor vehicle or extended any driving privilege for a period of three years after the date of such second or subsequent conviction. Also see S.B. No. 399.

March 15 July 1

General property tax - exemptions - charitable property. Provides that, effective January 1, 1969, charitable exemption from property tax shall not extend to any residential property unless it is used as an integral part of a church or an eleemosynary hospital, school, or institution whose other property is exempt from such taxation. Any charitable property which loses its exemption because of this act shall be returned to a fully taxable status over a five-year period, commencing January 1, 1969. Act does not apply to public housing projects.

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General property tax - exemptions - religious property. Limits religious exemption from property tax to that property primarily used for religious worship (together with any essential land in

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43 connection therewith), and to convents, monasteries, and lay cont. retreat houses.

June 17 January 1, 1968

- 44 Crimes attempt to commit a crime penalty. Provides that an attempt to commit a crime requires that the person has an intent to perform any act, and to obtain any result which, if accomplished, would constitute such crime, and that he does any act toward the commission of the crime which demonstrates, under the circumstances, that he formed that intent and would commit the crime except for the intervention of another person or some other extraneous factor. Penalty is as follows:
 - a. In case of an attempt to commit a felony, imprisonment in the state penitentiary for not less than 1 nor more than 10 years, or by a fine not to exceed \$5000, or by both such fine and imprisonment.
 - b. In case of an attempt to commit a misdemeanor, imprisonment in the county jail for not more than 1 year, or by a fine not to exceed \$1000, or by both such fine and imprisonment.
 - c. Penalty cannot exceed the maximum penalty for the crime attempted.

Repeals 40-25-5, C.R.S. 1963, relating to criminal attempt.

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45 Pleas of insanity - procedure. Provides that in criminal cases the defendant has the burden of proving by a preponderance of the evidence that he was insane at the time of the alleged crime, instead of requiring the prosecution to prove that the defendant was sane. Applies only where a plea of not guilty by reason of insanity is entered by the defendant on or after the effective date of the act. Provides that upon the entry of such a plea, the defendant may be committed to the state hospital at Pueblo as well as the Colorado psychopathic (psychiatric) hospital. Provides that, as to crimes committed on or after June 2, 1965, the test for determination of a defendant's sanity for release from commitment or his eligibility for conditional release remains as is now provided by law, but as to crimes committed before such date, the test shall be the test provided by law at the time of the alleged crime. Otherwise, procedures for release of all criminally sane persons are the same, regardless of the date of the alleged commission of the crime.

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46 <u>Crimes - theft</u>. This act incorporates under the definition of one crime of theft, as defined in the act, several other crimes

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- 46 that are akin to theft. The act provides that theft is comcont. mitted when a person knowingly:
 - a. Obtains or exerts unauthorized control over anything of value of another; or
 - b. Obtains by deception control over anything of value of another; or
 - c. Obtains by threat control over anything of value of another; or
 - d. Obtains control over any stolen thing of value knowing the thing of value to have been stolen by another;

and either

- a. Intends to deprive another permanently of the use or benefit of the thing of value; or
- b. Knowingly uses, conceals, or abandons the thing of value in such manner as to deprive another permanently of such use or benefit; or
- c. Uses, conceals, or abandons the thing of value intending that such use, concealment, or abandonment will deprive another permanently of such use or benefit.

Provides that if the value of the thing is \$100 or less, it is a misdemeanor, and if the value exceeds \$100, it is a felony. The act amends several sections of the law which is necessitated by the new definition of theft, and repeals several laws that now are incorporated under theft, such as larceny, embezzlement, false pretense, and confidence game.

May 30 July 1

- 49 <u>Credit unions</u>. Repeals and re-enacts practically all of article 1 of chapter 38, relating to credit unions. The principal changes in the law are:
 - a. Credit unions must incorporate by filing articles of incorporation and bylaws with state bank commissioner, who must approve the same, and then the articles are filed with the secretary of state. Formerly they were organized informally.
 - b. State bank commissioner is required to prepare standard bylaws which are to be issued to all credit unions.
 - c. Powers of credit unions are expanded to include, among other things, the following: Make loans to other credit unions; invest in obligations and guaranteed or insured securities of certain governmental units; hold title to real and personal property for the operation of the credit union.

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- d. State bank commissioner given power to adopt rules and cont. regulations concerning credit unions and authority to reduce value of assets of a credit union and liability of the members thereof in certain instances.
 - e. Boards of directors of credit unions are given new powers, among which is power to determine whether an interest refund shall be made to members in proportion to the interest paid by them.
 - f. Functions of credit committee may be delegated to a loan officer.
 - g. Reserve fund is increased from 15% to 20% of outstanding loans, and sets up extensive requirements for the management of such fund.
 - h. A member may be expelled by a majority vote of board of directors, rather than a two-thirds vote, if the member has failed to do certain things in a 6-year period.
 - i. New procedures are set up for the liquidation or suspension of the operation of a credit union.

April 27 July 1

50 "The Colorado Trust Company Act". Enacts completely new trust company act, replacing two prior articles. Governs the formation, chartering, regulation, and dissolution of trust companies in this state, under the administration and supervision of the state bank commissioner. Limits the powers of trust companies to trust business and acts incidental and necessary thereto, and provides minimum capital requirements for trust companies, ranging from \$50,000 in towns and cities of 50,000 or less population, to \$250,000 in cities over 150,000 population. Specifies regulatory powers of the bank commissioner, and provides middemeanor penalties for violations of the act. Allows state banks to invest up to 10% of their capital in the stock of trust com-Provides that any trust company engaged in trust business under prior laws, at least one year prior to July 1, 1967, may receive a charter under this act if it submits to the bank commissioner a copy of its corporate articles and bylaws and if it shows that it has a minimum capital of \$50,000 or more.

June 8 July 1

Proration of moneys among creditors of an estate. Period of time within which the court may hold up distribution of the moneys of an estate, where proration among creditors is required, is reduced from one year after issuance of letters to the period within which creditors may file claims against the estate.

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Distribution of estate property to beneficiaries under legal disability. Provides that the court may authorize an executor, administrator, or trustee to distribute property to any beneficiary who is a minor or under other legal disability by making distribution to the beneficiary's parent or relative, or to any person having the custody and responsibility of care for such beneficiary. Such distribution may be made without court order where the executor or trustee has such power under the provisions of the instrument under which he is acting, or in such other manner as provided in the instrument. The executor, administrator, or trustee must act as a prudent man in making such distribution.

February 10 February 10

Determination of heirship in intestate estates. Removes proceedings for final settlement of intestate estates from the provisions of section 153-3-5, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, which deals with the sufficiency of affidavits for the purpose of determination of heirship.

February 10 February 10

Persons disqualified to administer estates. Requires that a person has to be at least twenty-one years of age in order to be entitled to act as an administrator or executor of an estate. Formerly, a person could act as an executor or administrator if he was at least seventeen years of age.

February 10 February 10

Tax levy on civil actions. This act makes the following types of actions exempt from the \$1 tax on civil actions: Petitions relating to distribution of estates of \$5000 or less under section 153-7-4, C.R.S. 1963, as amended; petitions relating to the mentally ill or deficient filed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 71, C.R.S. 1963, as amended; and cases filed by the state of Colorado.

February 10 July 1

Notice to creditors in estate proceedings. Makes certain changes in the form of the notice to creditors required because of the amendment to article VI of the state constitution adopted at the 1962 election. Instead of directing creditors to file their claims in the county court, the notice now shall direct creditors to file their claims in the district court or the probate court of the city and county of Denver.

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Delivery of will to court. Provides that within 10 days after the death of a testator, or as soon thereafter as the decease of such testator shall become known to him, the person having

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in his possession any paper purporting to be such testator's cont. will, shall deliver the same to the proper court. Formerly, such person had to present the will within such period to the court for probate.

February 10 February 10

Notice to claimants in estate proceedings. Provides that prior to final settlement of a decedent's estate, every creditor of the estate whose claim has not been approved and allowed shall be given notice of such final settlement. Formerly, this procedure was not limited to only decedent's estates, but was necessary in all types of estates.

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Probate court of the city and county of Denver - jurisdiction.

Provides that the original and exclusive jurisdiction of the probate court of the city and county of Denver is extended to the following matters: Property vested in any person under a legal disability but paid to or held by another for such person's benefit or use as authorized by court order or as authorized by a power contained in a will or trust instrument, and of property vested in any minor pursuant to the "Uniform Gifts to Minors Act", or any predecessor act thereto or any act having a substantially similar legal effect.

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"Colorado Uniform Gifts to Minors Act". Enacts the revised uniform act, which contains a new definition of a "financial institution" to include a savings and loan association or similar institution as a depository of gifts to minors. Also contains new provisions authorizing gifts of life insurance policies and annuity contracts, and life insurance certificates and annuity certificates, including those of a fraternal benefit society; and grants custodians powers to deal with the same. Provides for designation of successor custodians of gift property. Provides that a fiduciary having custodial property may assume the powers granted by this act to a custodian. The original authority of any custodian or fiduciary will prevail over any conflicting provisions of this act, except as to the provisions in this act exempting third persons from liability.

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- 63 "The Uniform Simultaneous Death Act". This act concerns simultaneous death, and provides as follows:
 - a. If property is so disposed of that the right of a beneficiary to succeed to any interest therein is conditional upon his surviving another person, and both persons die and there is no sufficient evidence that the two have died otherwise than

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- 63 simultaneously, the beneficiary shall be deemed not to have surcont. vived.
 - b. For the purposes of section 153-18-3, C.R.S. 1963, relating to joint tenants and tenants by the entireties, the term "joint tenants" includes owners of property held under circumstances which entitled one or more to the whole of the property on the death of the other or others.
 - c. Where a husband and wife have died, leaving community property and there is no sufficient evidence that they have died otherwise than simultaneously, one-half of all the community property shall pass as if the husband had survived, and as if said one-half were his separate property, and the other one-half thereof shall pass as if the wife had survived, and as if said other one-half were her separate property.
 - d. In the event that an insured and the beneficiary in a policy of life or accident insurance have died and there is no evidence that they have died otherwise than simultaneously, the proceeds shall be distributed as if the insured survived the beneficiary, except that if the policy is the community property of the insured and his spouse, and there is no alternative beneficiary except the estate or personal representative of the insured, the proceeds of the policy shall be distributed as community property.
 - e. 'The Uniform Simultaneous Death Act" is not to apply where provision is made by instrument or otherwise for a presumption as to survivorship which results in a distribution of property different than that provided in said act.
 - f. Applies to persons dying on or after the effective date of the act.

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- Decedents' estates termination of personal representative's powers with regard to real property and delivery thereof. Act concerns real property in decedents' estates, and provides as follows:
 - a. At any time prior to final settlement, the court may enter an order finding, with regard to any real property in the estate of a decedent, that the estate has been fully administered with respect to such real property; that adequate provision has been made for estate creditors and for taxes and expenses of administration and for the rights of all other persons interested in the estate; that no reason exists for the continuation of the powers and duties of management of such real property given to the personal representative by will or by law; that no good reason exists for the continuation of the power of sale or mortgage

- 64 given in the will or which could be conferred by court order. cont. The order shall then terminate the personal representative's powers and duties of management and his power of sale or mort-gage as of the date of the order.
 - b. The order may be entered upon petition of the personal representative, with or without notice to other persons in interest, or it may be entered upon the petition of an heir or devisee with notice to the personal representative, and with or without notice to other persons in interest. The court may require an heir or devisee to post bond.
 - c. As of the date of the court order, the powers and duties of the personal representative regarding management of, and the power of sale and mortgage with regard to, such real property are terminated. The findings made in the order are conclusive as to any purchaser or lienor for value. If the court later finds that the findings in the order, or the order itself are in error, it may require an heir or devisee to make restitution to the estate. In the absence of fraud or concealment, the order acts as full protection for the personal representative.

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Wills and estates - "Uniform Testamentary Additions to Trusts Act". This act enacts the "Uniform Testamentary Additions to Trusts Act", which permits a devise or bequest by will to the trustee of a trust established, or to be established by the testator or by the testator and some other person, or by some other person, including a funded or unfunded life insurance trust, although the trustor has reserved any or all rights of ownership of the insurance contracts, if the trust is identified in the will and its terms are set forth in a written instrument, other than a will. For other detailed provisions, see copy of the act.

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Public trustees. Permits public trustee to close his office on Saturdays as well as Sundays and legal holidays. Permits public trustees to pay, out of fees received, reasonable expenses of clerical help and other expenses of his office.

May 30 July 1

Crimes and punishments - bribery. Expands the crime of bribery to include an offer to give a bribe or an offer to receive or demand a bribe. Members of the governing body of any political subdivision of the state, employees thereof, and employees of the state are added to the list of persons to whom it is unlawful to give or offer a bribe.

May 27 May 27

Provides that mine roof bolts shall not be re-71 Coal mines. covered unless adequate temporary support is first provided. Provides that all buildings and structures erected within one hundred feet of any mine opening shall be made of fireproof material. Provides that owners of coal mines shall prevent undue accumulation of fine coal or coal dust in any part of a mine, and that where mining operations raise an excessive amount of dust in the air, a wetting agent, or some other effective method, shall be used to allay such dust at its source. Provides that the mine foreman may authorize persons other than the motorman and trip rider to ride on a locomotive, and that no person may ride on loaded cars or between cars, except that the trip rider may ride on the last car. Formerly, the mine foreman had no authority to authorize other persons to ride on the locomotive, but did have such authority with regard to persons riding on or between cars.

March 3 March 3

Grand jury lists. Provides that in drawing the list of jurors for the first grand jury panel of any term of court, the court shall select from the first fifty names thereon, the names of persons to serve as grand jurors. Formerly, the court made the selection from the first thirty names on the list.

March 3 March 3

Attaching court seal on jury summons. Provides that in the case of jury summons prepared by mechanical reproduction, the seal of the summoning court may be printed on such summons, instead of being impressed thereon.

March 3 March 3

Motor vehicles - joyriding. Provides that a person who takes a motor vehicle for the purpose of joyriding and uses it in the commission of any other crime shall be guilty of a felony. Provides that any second or subsequent offense of joyriding shall be deemed a felony, whether or not within 5 years of the prior conviction. Removes the provision that on first conviction the court may suspend sentence upon certain conditions if the defendant previously had a good record.

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Private motor vehicle carriers. Provides that the term "private carrier by motor vehicle" includes persons owning or operating motor vehicles in the business of transporting ashes, trash, waste, rubbish, and garbage, to and from disposal sites, and for compensation or for hire. Provides that the term "property" includes ashes, trash, waste, rubbish, and garbage. Provides that the provisions of article 11 of chapter 115, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, concerning private motor vehicle carriers, shall apply to motor vehicles used for transporting ashes, trash, waste, rubbish, and garbage.

March 14 July 1

Old age pensions - amounts. Provides that in computing income of a recipient of old age pension, the county welfare department shall not consider the ownership of the residence of the recipient as income, nor shall it consider as income any lump sum payment to a recipient of a retroactive increase in social security benefits under federal law.

June 16 June 16

Water - jurisdiction of district court in Alamosa county to adjudicate water rights in water district 20. Confers on the district court in Alamosa county jurisdiction of the adjudication of water rights, priorities, and transfers of points of diversion in water district No. 20. Validates all decrees entered by said court after March 24, 1919, adjudicating matters in said water district. Transfers certain matters pending in other courts concerning said water district to the Alamosa county district court.

May 27 July 1

Acceptance of jurisdiction over Fort Lyon. Provides that the state of Colorado accepts retrocession of jurisdiction from the United States over the real property comprising Fort Lyon Veterans Hospital. Repeals 143-1-19 through 143-1-21, C.R.S. 1963, concerning the ceding of such real property by the state of Colorado to the United States.

February 10 February 10

Water - creation of state board of examiners of water well and pump installation contractors. Creates a 5-member state board of examiners of water well and pump installation contractors, under the division of water resources. The board's most important duties are: To have general supervision and authority over the construction and abandonment of water wells and the installation of pumps and pumping equipment; to examine for, deny, approve, revoke, suspend, and renew licenses of applicants and licensees; and to conduct hearings upon complaints with respect to licensees. Requires a license to engage in the business of contracting either for the construction of water wells

or for the installation of pumps or pumping equipment, and in the case of a water well contractor, a registration must be obtained from the board for each well drilling rig to be operated by him. Sets forth qualifications of licensees, and provides that applicants must pass both a written and oral examination. Requires a \$5000 bond of resident licensees, and a \$10,000 bond of nonresident licensees. Provides grounds for the board to deny, suspend, or revoke licenses. Provides that no water well shall be located, constructed, or abandoned or pumps or pumping equipment installed or repaired, contrary to the provisions of the act, and sets forth basic general principles to be followed in the construction of wells and the installation and repair of pumps and pumping equipment. Provides penalties for violations of the act.

June 8 July 1

- 89 <u>Classified civil service classification of pay ranges and salary rates.</u> This act provides as follows:
 - a. Eliminates all steps in grades 1 through 3. Grade 4 is now the initial pay grade.
 - b. Adds pay grades 40 through 45, with a monthly salary range of \$1440 to \$2461.
 - c. A new step 7 is added to all assigned pay grades, to take the place of the former "longevity step".
 - d. Advancement within the series of steps in an assigned pay grade is changed in step 5 to 6, reducing it from two years to one.

March 28 July 1

Provides for the extension through 1969 of the additional registration fee of \$1.50 imposed on motor vehicles, trailers, and semitrailers. Provides that the payment of the fee may be made to an authorized agent of the department of revenue, and that if payment is so made, then it is turned over to the county treasurer and distribution is made to counties and municipalities as now provided by law. Amounts allocated to a municipality are to be credited to an appropriate fund for construction and maintenance of highways.

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Ohristmas trees - evergreen boughs. New law regulating the cutting of Christmas trees and evergreen boughs. Requires that written permission be received from the owner of the land on

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93 which Christmas trees or evergreen boughs are to be cut. Recont. quires that any person who buys, transports, or possesses Christmas trees or evergreen boughs for resale, obtain a written statement of origin at the time such items are acquired. Requires that such written permit or statement of origin be exhibited to peace officers upon request. Provides penalties for violations.

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Judicial notice of laws of other jurisdictions and proof thereof. This act enacts the "Uniform Judicial Notice of Foreign Law Act", which provides that every court of this state shall take judicial notice of the common law and statutes of every state, territory, and other jurisdiction of the United States. Provides the court may inform itself regarding such laws in such manner as it may deem proper, and the court may call upon counsel to aid in obtaining such information. The determination is made by the court and is reviewable. Parties may present to the court admissible evidence of such laws, upon giving of reasonable notice to adverse parties.

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99 <u>Water conservation and irrigation districts</u>. Repeals article 6 of chapter 150, C.R.S. 1963, relating to the Caddoa Reservoir and Arkansas River Basin Conservancy District.

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Water conservation boards and compacts. Repeals articles 10, 11, and 12 of chapter 149, C.R.S. 1963, which authorized joint commissions with other states for managing the waters of the North Platte and Little Snake and the North Platte and Laramie rivers.

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101 Colorado day. Changes Colorado day from the first day of August to the first Monday in August.

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Rules of administrative agencies - review by attorney general.

Provides that as to rules or amendments to existing rules promulgated by administrative agencies on and after July 1, 1967, prior to the issuance of such rules or amendments, they must be submitted to the attorney general for his opinion as to their constitutionality and legality, and if such submission to the attorney general is not made, then the rule or amendment is void. Provides that all agency rules in effect on July 1, 1967, must be submitted to the attorney general before December 1, 1967, for his opinion as to their constitutionality and legality, and if

they are not so submitted, then they shall not be effective cont. after December 31, 1968. Provides that the rules and opinions must be filed in duplicate with the secretary of state, one copy of which will be kept in his office for public inspection, and the other copy shall be transmitted to the supreme court library where it shall be available for public inspection.

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School districts - grants from the public school property tax relief fund. Increases from \$40 to \$52 the direct grant from the public school property tax relief fund for each pupil in average daily attendance during the last completed school year.

May 27 January 1, 1968

County planning commissions - subdivision regulations. Provides that regulations concerning subdivision of land that are adopted by county planning commissions may include: Criteria for the subdivision of land; earth testing specifications and measures designed to protect against hazards resulting from defects in the earth; engineering specifications for the construction of streets and roads; maximum street grades; and specifications for the design of drainage structures. Provides that such regulations shall control the design of drainage structures so as to prevent uncoordinated drainage patterns.

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State board of psychologist examiners' fund created. Creates a state board of psychologist examiners' fund, to which all fees, fines, and penalties under article 1 of chapter 108, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, are to be credited. Formerly such moneys were credited to the general fund.

March 28 July 1

Radiation control. Provides that the department of public health may acquire lands, buildings, and grounds for the concentration, storage, or permanent disposal of radioactive materials. Provides that the state, through the department, may, by lease or license, provide for the operation of sites or facilities for radiation control purposes, in accordance with rules and regulations of the department. Provides mandatory and permissive conditions for such leases and licenses, and sets forth guidelines for the establishment of the fees to be charged under such leases or licenses. Provides that the department must hold a public hearing on an application for a lease or license in the area of the proposed site or facility. Provides that all lands, buildings, and grounds acquired by the state for radiation control purposes shall be

108 owned in fee simple and perpetually dedicated to such purposes, cont. and all radioactive material received at a state-owned facility becomes the property of the state, and can only be disposed of by the department. Provides penalties for violations of the act.

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- 109 Accountancy fees. Provides for the following changes in fees with regard to the practice of accountancy:
 - a. The fee for examination in all subjects prescribed by the accountancy board is increased from \$35 to \$45.
 - b. The fee for examination in less than all subjects prescribed by the board is increased from \$20 to \$25.
 - c. The fee for original application for a certificate of certified public accountant is increased from \$25 to \$45.
 - d. The fee for annual permit to practice is increased from \$10 to \$15 for an individual and from \$20 to \$25 for a partnership.
 - e. The fee for renewing a lapsed permit is increased from \$10 to \$15 for an individual and from \$20 to \$25 for a partnership.

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- General property tax. Provides for the following changes in the law relating to the general property tax:
 - a. Taxes levied on personal and real property, together with any penalty interest, advertising costs, and fees prescribed by law with respect to any such taxes as may have become delinquent, are made a perpetual lien on such property until paid. Formerly only the taxes levied were such a lien.
 - b. County treasurer may distrain and sell property for delinquent taxes at any time after October 1. Formerly he could only exercise this power between October 1 and December 1.
 - c. County treasurer shall deliver list of real property to be sold for delinquent taxes to the publisher or printer at least 10 days before the date of first publication, instead of 30 days before first publication.
 - d. Property sold for taxes is to be sold to the person paying the taxes, penalty interest, and costs thereon, or who pays the largest amount in cash, in excess of the taxes, penalty interest, and costs. Formerly the property was sold

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110 to the person who paid the taxes, penalty interest, and costs, cont. and who further paid the largest amount in cash in excess of such items.

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County planning commissions - members - term of office. Adds one additional appointive member of the county planning commission and provides that, in addition, any member of, rather than the chairman of, the board of county commissioners shall be an ex officio, nonvoting member of the county planning commission. Terms of office of appointed members of county planning commissions are increased from four to five years.

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- Wiretapping and eavesdropping. This is a new law regarding wiretapping and eavesdropping, the pertinent provisions of which are as follows:
 - a. Prohibits the manufacture, sale, purchase, or possession of devices commonly used for eavesdropping, with an intent to unlawfully use the same, and provides penalties therefor.
 - b. Sets forth 6 acts, any one or more of which constitute the crime of wiretapping, and provides that they shall be punishable as felonies.
 - c. Sets forth 4 acts, any one or more of which constitute the crime of eavesdropping, and provides that they shall be punishable as felonies.
 - d. Provides a procedure for obtaining an ex parte order from the supreme court or a district court to permit eavesdropping where evidence may be obtained of the commission of certain specified criminal activities or that the same may be committed, and that there is no other lawful means of obtaining such evidence. Order must describe the person or persons who are to be eavesdropped upon, and the purpose thereof, and the premises to be eavesdropped upon. Order cannot be effective for longer than 60 days. Sets up restrictions on the use of information obtained through eavesdropping under court order.
 - e. Exempts from the provisions of the act news agencies using accepted tools of the media in reporting events, and persons using wiretapping or eavesdropping devices on his own property for security or business purposes if reasonable notice is given. Also exempts certain common carriers and others involved in the communications industry.
 - f. Provides that evidence obtained in violation of the act shall not be admissible in any action in this state.

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116 g. Creates a new cause of action, right of privacy, cont. the violation of which may be compensated for by treble damages.

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Courts - service of process of police and municipal courts.

Removes the provision in the law that, in certain instances of traffic violations, service of process of police and municipal courts may be had anywhere in the state only if the court is located in a city or city and county having a population in excess of 25,000. Allows such service of process issued by any municipal or police court.

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- 119 Collection of erroneous payments of unemployment benefits.

 Makes the following changes with regard to collection of erroneously paid unemployment benefits:
 - a. Any person who receives unemployment benefits to which he is not entitled is liable to repay the same. Formerly liability to repay such benefits was contingent upon the fraud of the recipient.
 - b. If collection efforts fail, erroneously paid benefits shall be deducted from future payments. Formerly, deduction from future payments was not contingent upon failure of collection.
 - c. Removes provision in the law that if any person receives benefits, by reason other than his fraud, to which he is not entitled under a redetermination or decision, he shall not be liable to repay the same, but shall be liable to have the same deducted from future payments.
 - d. Removes provision in the law that if erroneously paid benefits are received without fault on the part of the recipient, no deduction shall be made from future benefits if it would be against equity and good conscience.
 - e. Provides that each payment of unemployment benefits shall be accompanied by a copy of 82-11-1 (4), C.R.S. 1963, as amended, dealing with collection of erroneously paid unemployment benefits.

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Emeritus retirement benefits for retired state employees.

New law which applies only to former state employees who, as of July 1, 1967, have retired from state service for superannuation on a full annuity or disability and are receiving retirement benefits. Such persons must make application for emeritus benefits to the public employees' retirement board

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prior to July 1, 1968. Persons qualifying for such benefits cont. shall receive a monthly payment of \$125, less the primary benefit under Option 1 provided in section 111-1-12 (2), C.R.S. 1963, and less any pension or retirement or pension funds supported by the state or any of its political subdivisions. Payments made under the act are not subject to execution, levy, attachment, or garnishment. Appropriates \$37,500 to pay such benefits.

April 17 July 1

General assembly - traveling expenses of members. Legislative 121 declaration declares, among other things, that it is in the best interests of the general assembly and the state that members travel to their homes and back to Denver as often as once a week during sessions when the house of which they are members is in adjournment for periods not exceeding 72 hours. that where the residency of a member of the general assembly is more than 25 miles by road from the capitol, the necessary traveling expenses of such member shall be considered to include a sum not to exceed \$10 per night of actual occupancy, for lodging in Denver during sessions. Provides that each member shall be reimbursed for traveling expenses actually incurred under the foregoing provisions of the act. Provides that in most instances, the state controller is authorized to accept without further substantiating evidence the signed expense voucher of a member. Provides that the provisions of the act do not relate to compensation of members but to the necessity of certain traveling expenses, and that the purpose is not to increase either mileage or compensation.

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Major disaster - authority of certain public officers. Provides that in the event of a major disaster, certain peace officers may close the area affected to unauthorized persons for a period of 24 hours, or for the duration of the disaster if the governor declares an emergency. If public health is threatened, local health officials have the same authority as peace officers to close the area affected. Provides that if any unauthorized person enters a closed area or remains therein after notice to evacuate, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100. Provides that newsmen are not to be prevented from entering the closed area.

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Supplemental appropriation - passenger tramway safety board. For personal services - \$3,700.

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Supplemental appropriation - supreme court. For personal services and operating expenses for the court - \$10,000; and for temporary services of retired judges - \$5,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - division of archives and records. For personal services - \$9,483.

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Supplemental appropriation - division of public works - capitol buildings section. For operating expenses - \$32,000.

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Institutions - transfers of persons committed to or inmates of certain state institutions. This act transfers from the governor to the director of institutions the power to make transfers and retransfers of persons committed to or inmates of certain state institutions to other state institutions under certain circumstances. Mainly deals with the transfer or retransfer of inmates of penal institutions, and the transfer or retransfer of the mentally ill and retarded.

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- Licensing of outfitters, guides, and assistant guides. New law concerning the licensing of outfitters, guides, and assistant guides by the game, fish, and parks department. Pertinent provisions of the law are as follows:
 - a. Outfitters, guides, and assistant guides are defined and the qualifications for outfitters and guides are enumerated.
 - b. Sets up licensing procedures for outfitters, guides, and assistant guides. Outfitters and guides must pass a written or oral examination in certain subjects. A bond of \$2000 is required of an outfitter. An assistant guide merely has to complete an application form furnished by the department. Fee for an outfitter's license is \$25, and there is no fee for a guide license or assistant guide license.
 - c. Responsibilities of an outfitter are enumerated, the most pertinent of which are: An outfitter, guide, or assistant guide cannot shoot, kill, or take game while acting under his employment; an outfitter must obtain proper permits, if necessary, when guiding on lands of the United States; an outfitter must take reasonable measures to assure the safety and comfort of clients; he must keep and maintain any records required by the department; an outfitter is made responsible for the acts of his employees while acting within the scope of their employment; outfitter cannot conduct guide activities in areas not

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136 specified in his license.

d. An outfitter or guide license may be revoked for not less than 1 nor more than 3 years for violation of the game and fish laws.

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Game, fish, and parks - penalty for use fee permit violation. Provides a \$10 penalty for driving, parking, or operating a motor vehicle upon a game, fish, and parks department recreation facility without a use fee permit. Provides that no penalty will be assessed for driving through such recreation facility on a public road. Provides that when the department receives payment for a violation, the department must forthwith mail to the violator a use fee permit valid for the balance of the current permit period.

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State council on the arts and humanities created. Creates within the division of commerce and development a state council on the arts and humanities. Council consists of 11 members appointed by the governor. Provides general qualifications for members. Members serve without compensation, but are reimbursed for expenses. Council's main duties are to stimulate the growth of and interest in the arts and humanities, and to provide assistance in these fields to communities and organizations. Appropriates \$10,000 for the expenses of the council, which becomes available upon passage of the act.

June 14 July 1

Water - alternate or supplemental points of diversion. Permits any appropriator owning or claiming a water right for which a decree is sought or has been granted or who has a permit to the use of ground water, to divert the volume of water sought or decreed at alternate or supplemental points of diversion. Formerly only municipalities owning or claiming a water right for which a decree is sought or has been granted had this right, and they were limited to 1 alternate point of diversion.

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Workmen's compensation - exemption. Exempts from the provisions of article 9 of chapter 81, C.R.S. 1963, relating to contractors and lessees who are deemed to be employers under workmen's compensation, the following: Any lessor or sublessor of real property who rents or leases real property to any lessee or sublessee for the purpose of conducting the business of such lessee or sublessee, whether or not as franchise holder, independent agent, consignee, or other separate

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cont. defined in 81-2-6, C.R.S. 1963, but in no event where such lessee or sublessee is an employee, as defined in 81-2-7 (2), C.R.S. 1963. Provides that no such lessee or sublessee or any employee or insurer thereof shall have a right of contribution from or action against such lessor or sublessor under chapter 81, C.R.S. 1963.

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Sale of land by board of trustees of the Colorado school of mines. Authorizes the board of trustees of the Colorado school of mines to sell certain described real property located in Jefferson county. Proceeds of sale are to be credited to the Colorado school of mines land acquisition fund.

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"Colorado Fiduciaries' Powers Act". Provides specific statutory powers of fiduciaries in administering any trust or estate coming into existence on or after the effective date of the act, or any trust in existence on said date and subsequently amended to permit the act to apply. Specifies 32 such powers, but provides in event of a conflict between the act and the provisions of any trust or will, the latter will control. Does not apply to an administrator, guardian, conservator, special administrator or fiduciary, or a public administrator, except, in the case of an administrator of an intestate estate, to the extent specified in the letters of appointment issued by the court.

June 8 January 1, 1968

155 General assembly - retirement benefits for members. Provides that effective July 1, 1967, members of the general assembly are to be included in the membership of the PERA, unless on or before June 1, 1967, a member notifies the PERA in writing that he does not want to be included. A member who has thus exempted himself may apply for membership at a later date. Persons becoming members of the general assembly after the effective date of the act shall become members of the PERA, unless within 30 days after taking the oath of office, such member notifies the PERA that he does not want to be included. Service credit toward qualification for benefits shall be given for each year or portion thereof that a member serves. Under certain conditions, service rendered the state or as an employee of the general assembly is interchangeable with service as a member of the general assembly for computing service credit for retirement.

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General assembly - compensation of members. Increases from \$100 to \$200 the monthly compensation of members for the term for which a member is elected, and increases from \$4000 to \$4800 the additional compensation for each legislative biennial period, and changes the rate of pay thereof from \$25 to \$30 per day during both regular and special sessions. Applies only to members elected at the 1968 general election and subsequent general elections, and certain appointees to vacancies.

May 30 January 8, 1969

Colorado water conservation board. Reduces the number of mem-157 bers of the board from 14 to 13, by removing the governor and the director of planning, and adding the natural resources coordinator, who is an ex officio member. Provides that board shall elect a chairman from the appointed members. A secretary is no longer elected from the appointed members, and provides that the director of the board shall act as secretary. Creates the office of director of the board, prescribes his qualifications, and provides that he shall be the chief administrative officer and shall have general supervision and control of its activities and functions. Director is placed under civil Removes the provision in the law that the board must assist the attorney general in the institution and defense of interstate suits concerning the rivers of this state; provides that the board is authorized to acquire by several means, other than eminent domain, real property for flood control purposes, or to acquire by eminent domain real property with respect to any project specifically authorized by Congress for flood control or prevention. Study of water resources of the state is expanded to include all state waters, rather than being limited to those west of the continental divide. Provides that members of the general assembly are to be furnished copies of the reports of such studies. Provides that the state of Colorado assents to the provisions of 'Water Resources Planning Act", enacted by Congress, and gives the board the authority to conduct a comprehensive water planning program as defined in said Creates the "federal aid water planning fund" into which are deposited funds from the federal government, and appropriates the same to the board.

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Docket fees in civil actions. Provides that no docket fee shall be charged in proceedings under articles 1, 5, 7, and 8 of chapter 22, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, which articles respectively relate to dependent and neglected children, paternity proceedings, contributing to dependency or delinquency, and delinquent children. Provides that no docket fee shall be charged in mental health proceedings under article 1 of chapter 71, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, but where an estate is thereafter probated for any mental incompetent, the committing court shall have a claim of the 5th class against such estate, as a cost of the mental health proceedings, in the

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sum of \$20, in addition to any other expense of commitment cont. allowed and paid by the county. Requires an appellee and a petitioner or petitioners in adoption proceedings to pay a docket fee of \$10. Removes the \$5 fee charged for docketing, indexing, and discharging judgments entered in favor of certain creditors in proceedings concerning assignments for benefit of creditors.

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Supplemental appropriation - Lamar junior college. For construction of a library-classroom building - \$35.470.

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District judges - seventeenth and eighteenth judicial districts. Provides that the increase in number of district judges from 4 to 5 in each the 17th and 18th judicial districts shall be effective on the second Tuesday in January, 1971, not on the same date in 1969, as originally provided.

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167 Water conservancy districts. Permits the filing of protests to the organization of water conservancy districts where the value of the irrigated lands together with improvements thereon within the district is less than \$200,000. Changes the number of signatures required on a protest petition and the classes of persons who may sign such a petition. If a person owns real property in the district that is subject to ad valorem taxes, he may file a petition with the court praying that such real property be not included in the district, and the court is required to consider the petition at the organizational hearing and shall enter a separate order relative to such petition prior to any final order concerning the formation of the district. If the court finds that the protest petition is signed by the requisite number of owners of land, and of the requisite number of values, it shall not dismiss the organizational petition, as was formerly done, but shall order an election to be held on the question of the organization of the district.

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Specification of class A fuel products. Provides that artificial coloring in motor fuels offered for sale for highway vehicle use is prohibited except in such fuels having a research octane rating of 88 per cent, instead of 68 per cent. Provides that such motor fuel of advertised trademark quality shall not be sold unless the octane number is not less than one and fivetenths octane number of that specified by the owner of the trademark or trade name. Formerly sale was allowed if such fuel was at least within one and five-tenths of such octane number.

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Meters or other devices for measurement of oil or gasoline. Provides that the state inspector of oils or his deputy may seal meters or other devices used for the measurement of oil and gasoline which do not meet the requirements of law. Such seal shall prohibit the further use of such meter or device, and shall be removed only when such meter or device complies with the law.

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Liquefied petroleum gas - minimum standards. Incorporates by reference minimum standards for liquefied petroleum gases, systems, and equipment, contained in national fire protection association pamphlets No. 58, dated 1965, and No. 54, dated 1964, in lieu of those dated 1962 and 1959, respectively.

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Livestock - stallions, jacks, and bulls. Repeals provisions concerning licensing of stallions and jacks, and other regulatory provisions. Limits the requirement of one bull to each 25 cows, or fraction thereof over 10, running at large on the public ranges, to only during the breeding season. Redefines inferior bull to include one not eligible for registration as a purebred animal.

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Appropriation - land grant fund of Colorado state university. To restore losses, and to insure that such fund remains unimpaired - \$3,196.25.

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Supplemental appropriation - Golden Gate youth camp. For personal services - \$2,500.

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Supplemental appropriation - department of agriculture. To pay cost of the twelve-state transportation committee - \$5,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state reformatory. For completion of classroom-auditorium building - \$81,450.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state fair and industrial exposition. For personal services, operating expenses, premiums, and show payments - \$18,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - division of commerce and development. For expenses of the Colorado Olympic committee 1976 -\$25,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - metropolitan state college. For educational and general expenses - \$50,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - division of accounts and control.

For payment of the state's matching share of retroactive employee retirement contributions, together with accumulated interest, for applicants whose applications were filed with the public employees' retirement board - \$4,706.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state penitentiary. Completion of construction of, equipping and furnishing, the women's correctional facility - \$140,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - department of education. For payment of county school planning committee expenses - \$3,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - Southern Colorado state college. For education and general expenses - \$21,689.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state penitentiary. For operating expenses - \$31,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - state home and training school at Ridge. For operating expenses - \$46,265.

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Supplemental appropriation - state home and training school at Grand Junction. For operating expenses - \$24,500.

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Intoxicating liquors. Provides that when January 1 of any year occurs on a Monday, hotel and restaurant licensees may remain open until 2 a.m. Monday morning, rather than having

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to cease operations at 8 p.m. Sunday night. Provides that cont. hotel and restaurant licensees, upon the payment of an additional \$200 fee to the state licensing authority, may obtain a special license to dispense intoxicating liquors by the drink after the hour of 8 p.m. and until midnight on Sundays and Christmas, rather than having to close at 8 p.m.

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Inspector of oils - duty with regard to hazardous or dangerous 189 conditions. Provides that when the state inspector of oils has reasonable grounds to believe that a hazardous or dangerous situation exists due to the leaking of fuel from storage tanks or other containers, he shall take the necessary action to determine the source of the leak, and he may order the person responsible for the situation to take corrective measures within not more than five days, and if this is not done, then the inspector of oils may initiate corrective action. Provides that if any person fails to comply with an order of the inspector, the inspector may apply for an injunction through the attorney general. Provides that article 2 of chapter 100, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, relating to fuels is not to apply to home rule cities, unless such cities adopt resolutions indicating a desire to be subject to the provisions of such article.

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Crimes - assaults on peace officer. Makes it a felony to commit an assault on a peace officer with a deadly weapon or instrument under certain circumstances. Makes it a felony to commit assault and battery, as defined in 40-2-35, C.R.S. 1963, while the person is confined in a lawful place of confinement, against the person of a peace officer. Does not prohibit resisting an unlawful arrest.

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Corporations. Defines the term "address" as used in the Colorado corporation code. Makes technical amendment regarding similarity between corporate names and trade names. Requires that trade names used or owned by a corporation pursuant to chapter 141, C.R.S. 1963, together with a statement as to the disposition thereof, must be included in articles of voluntary dissolution and in application for withdrawal. Removes the requirement placed on a foreign corporation that it must obtain an amended certificate of authority if it desires to pursue in this state other or additional purposes than those set forth in a prior application for a certificate of authority.

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198 Community mental health services. Provides that community mental health services may be purchased by the department of institutions from several agencies, other than community health clinics or centers, which agencies have been approved by the director of institutions. Changes the limits on the payments for certain services, and authorizes the purchase of certain additional services. Makes extensive revision of the standards for approving or rejecting community mental health clinics for the purchase of mental health services, and sets up standards for approval of local general or psychiatric hospitals, community mental health centers for the purchase of services not provided by local mental health clinics. Gives the director of the department of institutions authority to administer the program of community health centers and to adopt reasonable rules and regulations with regard thereto.

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199 Community services for the mentally retarded and seriously handicapped. Provides that if approved facilities and services for mentally retarded and for seriously handicapped persons are not available in the community, the community incorporated board may develop and operate such services directly. the limit on the payment for such services by the department of institutions from one-half the annual cost per training program per trainee, not to exceed \$500 per year, to 60 per cent of the annual cost of the approved community centered programs. vides that out of appropriated sums, the director of the department of institutions may use 10 per cent thereof for the purchase of services for the mentally retarded and handicapped without regard to matching requirements. Provides limitations and sets forth what must be considered by the department in arriving at the cost of services. Gives the director of the department power to adopt reasonable rules and regulations concerning community centers for the mentally retarded and seriously handicapped.

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Psychologists. Provides that a lapsed psychologist's certificate may be renewed by the payment of late payment fee of \$5, in addition to what is presently required for such renewal. The examination of applicants for a psychologist's certificate is no longer required to consist of at least 6 hours of written tests and 3 hours of oral tests in 2 consecutive days. Deletes the provision that an applicant who has failed 2 successive examinations may not reapply until after 2 years from the date of the last failed examination. Provides that temporary certificates may be granted to psychologists practicing temporarily in this state and to applicants for a certificate who are qualified but have not passed examination. Makes it permissive,

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rather than mandatory, to revoke or suspend certificates, and cont. slightly changes the grounds for revocation. Changes applicability of law, major change being that persons employed by certain business entities need not be certified if the psychological services are limited to employees of the employing entity. Extends privilege between a certified psychologist and his client to instances of psychological therapy, including group therapy.

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Charter of Central City - amended to authorize regulation of traffic. This act amends the charter of Central City to permit the regulation of vehicular and pedestrian traffic upon streets, alleys, and highways within the city limits, if such regulations are not in conflict with state laws.

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Charter of Central City - amendment to authorize imposition of fines or imprisonment. Amends charter of Central City in order to enforce obedience to its ordinances by fines not exceeding \$300 or by imprisonment not exceeding 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

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Charter of Central City - amendment to allow creation of a police court. Provides for the creation in Central City of a police court presided over by a police magistrate, and establishes the jurisdiction, qualifications, powers, manner of issuing and serving process, and appeal procedures concerning such court and the magistrate thereof.

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Public utilities - motor vehicle carriers. Provides that the granting of a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate a motor vehicle for hire for the transportation of property, shall not confer upon the holder thereof an exclusive grant or monopoly. Provides that the doctrine of regulated competition shall apply in such cases, and the public utilities commission may grant more than one certificate to operate motor vehicles for the transportation of property over and along the same route or part thereof, or within the same territory or part thereof, if it finds that the present or future public convenience and necessity requires or will require the same.

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Wills and estates - termination of minor's guardianship estate.

Provides that upon petition of the guardian of a minor's estate, the court having jurisdiction of the estate, upon approval of

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the guardian's account, may enter an order terminating the cont. guardianship and distributing the assets of the estate for the use of such minor to a parent or relative of the minor, or to a person having the custody of and being responsible for the care of such minor, all subject to such terms as the court in its order shall direct and approve. The court may require that the assets be subjected to the "Colorado Uniform Gifts to Minors Act".

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- Inspection of livestock. Amends section 8-3-5, C.R.S. 1963, relating to inspection of livestock before shipment. The following changes in the law are made:
 - a. The person transporting cattle, mules, or horses and the person selling and delivering the same, rather than either one of them, must make application for the inspection of the brands of such animals. The inspection must be made in daylight, rather than at any time of the day.
 - b. Exempts from inspection before shipment certain livestock being taken to a licensed public livestock market, but only if accompanied by a shipper's certificate and agreement, signed by the owner, showing point of origin, point of destination, and brands of the livestock. Certain minor changes are made in the law concerning other exemptions from inspection, and the exemptions are expanded to include livestock used in rodeo competition if certain requirements are met, the main requirement being that such livestock be inspected at the beginning of the rodeo season before they are moved from the owner's headquarters.
 - c. Provides that nothing in said section 8-3-5, concerning inspection of livestock before shipment, shall be construed to prevent a brand inspector from investigating and inspecting livestock being driven or transported to determine if the requirements of said section have been met.

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213 Brand inspections. Act provides as follows:

- a. Cattle purchased for slaughter from any source must be inspected for brands and a certificate issued by a brand inspector at point of origin. Formerly, this procedure was not necessary in the case of purchases of cattle from federal packers and stockyards registered markets.
- b. Cattle purchased by private treaty in states where brand inspection is not maintained, shall be accompanied by a

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213 bill of sale showing brands or other identification signed by cont. the seller or seller's agent, and witnessed by the buyer or the buyer's agent.

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Fees relating to livestock brands. Provides that the application fee for new brands is raised from five to ten dollars; the fee for recording the sale, assignment, or transfer of a brand is raised from five to ten dollars; assessment fee to cover certain expenses with regard to publication of brand books and administration is raised from five to ten dollars.

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- Penalties for shipping livestock without brand inspection.

 Provides that the penalties for shipping livestock without brand inspection shall be as follows:
 - a. For a first offense, a person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine, or by imprisonment in the county jail, or by both such fine and imprisonment.
 - b. For a second conviction, a person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a larger fine and shall be imprisoned in the county jail. No part of the fine or jail sentence imposed may be suspended, and probation cannot be granted.
 - c. For a third and subsequent conviction, the person shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state penitentiary for not less than one nor more than five years.

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Agriculture - pesticides. Advertisement of certain unlawful pesticides is made a prohibited act. Deletes the provision that nonregistered pesticide brands sold in Colorado through distributors and without the knowledge of the registrant shall not be assessed additional registration costs. Provides that each pesticide brand placed under "stop sale" constitutes a separate offense, for the purpose of determining registration fees, and if more than one brand is placed under "stop sale" during any calendar year, the department of agriculture is not required to notify the registrant in writing. Provides that pesticides must conform with department rules and regulations regarding pesticides, as well as the law relating thereto. Increases the membership of the advisory committee from 9 to 13 members, and sets forth qualifications of the new members.

218 Gives authorized agents of the department power to enter pubcont. lic and private premises at reasonable times to enforce the law and department rules and regulations regarding pesticides.

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County officers - compensation. This act increases the compensation of county commissioners, county clerks, sheriffs, treasurers, assessors, and superintendents of schools, in all counties except class I counties. Raises the salary of public trustees in first and second class counties from \$5000 to \$6250. Removes provision that public trustees in all other counties shall be paid \$2000 per annum. The salaries fixed for county officers by the act become effective January 1, 1969, except that salaries fixed for public trustees are effective July 1, 1967.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state fair and industrial exposition. For the construction of 250 horse stalls - \$87,500.

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Solid waste disposal sites. Provides that after July 1, 1967, 225 it shall be unlawful to operate a solid waste disposal site or facility in the unincorporated area of a county without first obtaining a certificate of designation from the board of county commissioners of the county where such site or facility is to be located. Sets up application procedures for obtaining such certificate, and sets forth what the board of county commissioners must take into consideration in passing upon such applica-Prohibits private disposal of solid wastes in the unincorporated area of a county, except at an approved disposal site or facility, or on one's own property under certain circumstances. Cities, cities and counties, and towns may designate one or more sites or facilities as its exclusive sites or facilities to be used for the disposal of solid wastes. Authorizes approved sites or facilities to contract with governmental units, and governmental units may establish their own sites or facilities. The department of public health may promulgate rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of the act, and minimum standards to be contained in said rules and regulations are set Provides that existing solid waste disposal sites and facilities must comply with the act by July 1, 1968. Provides procedure for revoking a certificate of designation, and provides penalties for violations.

June 8 July 1

Damages - increase in limitation of amount in actions for wrongful death. Increase the limitation of damages for wrongful death from \$25,000 to \$35,000.

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Administrator of interstate compact on juveniles. Provides that the director of the division of child welfare of the state department of public welfare is replaced by the director of the department of institutions as administrator of the interstate compact on juveniles.

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Funerals - contracts for final resting place. Amends the definition of a funeral contract to include a contract or agreement which applies to the death of any person, rather than the death of a specified person. Amends the definition of decedent so as to include any person included in a funeral contract, upon whose death a final resting place or services of any nature are to be provided or performed.

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245 Uniform commercial code - description of consumer goods execution by husband and wife of security agreement - form of signature on financing statement. Provides that for the purposes of article 9 of the code, relating to secured transactions, the description of the property is sufficient if it specifically identifies and itemizes in the security agreement what is described as to consumer goods, or if it reasonably identifies what is described as to all other personal property. Provides that no security interest upon consumer goods used by a family, other than a security interest in motor vehicles or property subject to a national registration, shall be valid unless the security interest is evidenced by a writing executed by husband and wife jointly, if they are residing together at the time of execution. Deletes provision in formal requirements of financing statement that the term "signed" means a manual signature.

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250 Banks - capital stock. Gives state banks, subject to the approval of the state banking board, and by vote of two-thirds of the bank's stockholders, power to grant options to purchase, to sell, or enter into agreements to sell, shares of its capital stock to its employees. Provides that the banking board must approve rather than authorize the issuance of preferred stock by a state bank. Removes the provision that retirement of the preferred stock of a state bank must be approved by the banking board. Provides that amendments to a state bank's articles of incorporation which increase a bank's capital stock in the category of authorized but unissued stock must be approved by the banking board and by two-thirds of the holders of the outstanding voting stock. Provides that such authorized but unissued stock may be issued from time to time to the bank's employees pursuant to stock option or purchase plans, or exchanged for convertible preferred stock or convertible capital

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debentures. Provides that authorized but unissued stock may cont. be issued for such other purposes as may be approved by the bank's board of directors and by the banking board.

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Parks and recreation - preservation of open spaces and scenic areas. Provides that the game, fish, and parks department, recreation districts, cities, and towns, may acquire land or future interests therein, as defined in the act, for the preservation or conservation of scenes, open spaces, and vistas of scientific, historic, or other public interest. Provides that political subdivisions may unite in obtaining lands or future interests therein for the above stated purposes. Authorizes issuance of bonds by cities and towns for such purposes upon approval by the taxpaying electors.

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264 Agriculture - application of pesticides. Changes licensing procedures for pesticide applicators and sets up criteria for the registration of equipment used to apply pesticides. Sets forth qualifications to be possessed by applicants for licenses. Applicants required to take oral as well as written examinations. Requires applicants to furnish evidence of liability insurance, and increases the minimum limits thereof. Sets forth grounds for refusing to issue or renew a license, and expands the grounds for suspension or revocation. forth 14 specifically prohibited acts. The advisory committee membership is increased and the qualifications of the members are changed. Requires different reports and reporting procedures of various types of applicators of pesticides. Provides that agricultural commissioner may issue stop work order when pesticides are being applied in violation of the act. Violations of the act or rules and regulations issued pursuant thereto are declared to be nuisances, warranting injunctive relief, if necessary.

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January 1, 1968

Junior college districts - bonds and securities thereof.
Authorizes the committee of a junior college district to issue bonds or interim securities, repayable within three years, pursuant to authorizing resolution, without an election, to defray, in whole or in part, the cost of acquisition of buildings, facilities, and equipment. Such securities are payable and collectible only out of net pledged revenues, which are defined to be moneys pledged after operation and maintenance expenses, which are derived from any one or all of revenue sources such as cafeterias, dining halls, student unions, and several other like sources. Securities issued pursuant to the act are not to be considered an indebtedness or general

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obligations, but are to be considered special obligations, and cont. the full faith and credit of the district cannot be pledged for their payment, nor can the property of the district be taken for their payment. Securities issued under the act and the income therefrom are exempt from state tax. Gives junior college districts power to issue general obligation bonds, to provide for the payment thereof by taxation or by pledge of district revenues. Gives districts power to issue general revenue obligation bonds upon approval by the taxpaying electors at an election.

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County judges - Larimer county. Increases the number of county judges in Larimer county from 1 to 2. Repeals 37-14-9 (1), C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), concerning an associate county judge in Loveland, Larimer county.

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- Crimes abandonment of certain articles. Provides that it is a misdemeanor to abandon in places accessible to children articles such as iceboxes, refrigerators, motor vehicles, and other articles, having a compartment of a capacity of 1½ cubic feet or more, and having a door or lid which, when closed, is not easily opened. Also makes it a misdemeanor for the owner, lessee, or manager of such a place to permit such abandoned articles to remain in such condition.
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 Relief of Frederick W. Paddock. Appropriates \$2,385 to Frederick W. Paddock as compensation for an erroneous charge and resulting hearing before the civil service commission.

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Colorado employment security act - seasonal worker. Provides that an employee of a religious, scientific, educational, or cultural organization, the earnings of which do not inure to the benefit of a private shareholder or individual, and whose principal function is performed for an aggregate period of less than 36 weeks in any year, is a "seasonal worker", within the meaning of the act, even though the season of the organization is in excess of 25 weeks.

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281 <u>Cemeteries</u>. Amends "Plan A" in accordance with which a cemetery authority of an endowment care cemetery makes deposits if it operates more than one endowment care plan. Provides that under "Plan A", such cemetery authority, in addition to what was previously required of it under such plan, in case any sale has not been completed within 60 months after date of first

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payment, such cemetery authority shall deposit in the endowcont. ment fund not later than 1 month after the 60th month at least
15% of the sales price of any grave space and at least 10% of
the sales price of any crypt or niche. If a contract of sale
is rewritten, the date of the first payment under the original
contract of sale shall be the date of first payment under the
rewritten contract. Provides that the endowment fund of a
cemetery authority may be examined by a qualified representative from a department of the state of Colorado.

May 27 July 1

Venereal disease - disclosure - treatment of minors. Provides that a physician may disclose the fact of his diagnosis of venereal disease, under certain circumstances, to the patient's spouse, if married, to his fiancee, if engaged to be married, and, if the patient is a minor, to his parents, and such disclosure shall not subject the physician to any liability whatever. Provides that when a physician makes a diagnostic examination for, treats and prescribes for, venereal disease, with the consent of a minor patient, but without the consent of the minor's parents or guardian, he shall not be subject to civil or criminal liability, but such immunity does not extend to negligent acts or omissions.

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Banks - transfer of funds held by the state banking commissioner. Directs the state bank commissioner to transfer certain
designated funds held by him as the result of bank liquidations prior to the year 1948, to the state treasurer, who shall
credit them to the state general fund. As of July 1, 1967,
claims with respect to said funds are barred.

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Junior college districts - election of committee members.

Provides that if the committee of any junior college district so elects, the members thereof may be elected at the regular biennial school election of school districts within the junior college district. Prescribes procedures to be followed by candidates for the office of committeeman, and the conduct of elections. Provides that if junior college committee members are elected at the regular biennial school election, then the junior college district shall share the cost of the election in each school district.

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State colleges - ceding jurisdiction to regulate uses of driveways on campuses. Authorizes the trustees of the state colleges in Colorado to cede jurisdiction to regulate and control the use of the driveways on the campus of any state college under

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the jurisdiction of the trustees, to the town, city, or county cont. in which a state college is located, subject to the acceptance of the cession of such jurisdiction. Upon the acceptance of jurisdiction, the city, town, or county shall regulate and control the use of the driveways, adopt such regulations as it deems necessary for the control thereof, and have the authority to enforce said regulations in the same manner as other streets and highways of the town, city, or county.

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Motor fuel tax - definition. Provides that when motor fuel is shipped or delivered by or for a licensed distributor from a refinery or pipeline terminal to a licensed distributor at another refinery or pipeline terminal and unloaded into storage at such other refinery or pipeline terminal, such motor fuel shall not be deemed to have been "received" solely by reason of such transfer.

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Provides for precinct registration committees 296 Elections. composed of only two members, one from each major political party, and increases maximum compensation allowable to \$20 per day. Provides that the county clerk may mail postal cards to all persons purged from registration books notifying them of such purging. Removes state auditor and justices of the supreme court from party state central committees, and removes district judges from judicial district central committees, pursuant to constitutional amendments. Deletes said auditor and justices from list of officials to meet to formulate party platforms, and adds to that list the vice-chairman of party state central committees, and the chairmen and vice-chairmen of party congressional district central committees, and changes the date and place of such meeting from the 4th Tuesday of September in Denver to some time during the last 15 days of September at a place designated by the state chairman. Establishes a uniform precinct caucus day" for political parties, as being the first Monday in May in each even-numbered year, and provides that county assemblies shall be held not less than 10 nor more than Increases maximum compensa-30 days after precinct caucuses. tion of judges of election and counting judges where paper ballots are used from \$20 to \$25, and increases the compensation of election judges where voting machines are used from \$20 to \$25 for services rendered on the day of an election.

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Welfare - income of recipients. Provides that when required by federal law or regulation as a condition for the receipt of federal participation in any assistance program administered or supervised by the state department of public welfare, that

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301 specific forms of income to recipients and applicants, or other cont. persons whose income would otherwise be considered, be disregarded, such income shall be disregarded and the department of welfare shall adopt rules and regulations to effect such requirement.

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Welfare - central registry of parents of abandoned children. Establishes in the state department of public welfare a central registry of records showing, as far as known, certain information regarding parents who have, or appear to have, abandoned children who are recipients of public assistance, or who are likely to be in need thereof. Authorizes the department to obtain information regarding such parents from state agencies. Directs the department to aid in the location of deserting parents.

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Welfare - funeral and burial expenses of certain welfare recipients. Makes uniform the law with respect to funeral and burial expenses of recipients of benefits under programs of aid to the blind, aid to indigent tuberculars, aid to needy disabled, medical assistance to the aged, and old age pensioners. With regard to such persons the act provides as follows: Funeral and burial expenses not to exceed \$200 shall be paid by the county welfare department if the estate of the deceased is insufficient to pay such expenses, and the persons legally responsible for the support of the deceased are unable to pay such expenses; ownership by the decedent of a burial plot shall not disqualify him from receiving assistance; payment of funeral and burial expenses from the estate of the decedent, or otherwise, in amounts of \$150 or less shall not be grounds for failure to pay the full \$200 funeral and burial allowance.

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Aid to dependent children - eligibility. Provides that residency requirements for aid to dependent children may be established notwithstanding temporary absences from the state without the intent to change residence.

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Tuberculosis - reimbursement by state for county expenses.

Provides that the state shall reimburse county welfare departments to the extent of 80% of the amount expended by such departments in providing assistance to indigent tuberculars. Formerly, the state reimbursement was limited to 50%, but could go beyond that limit under certain circumstances.

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Appropriation - department of agriculture. For state's share of the expense of a cooperative livestock reporting service at Colorado livestock markets, and for salary, traveling expense, state payment to the retirement fund, and operating expenses - \$6,000.

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Savings and loan associations - fees charged by secretary of state. Provides that the secretary of state shall charge for the filing of documents of savings and loan associations, the same fees as are charged for corporations with like capital stock, as prescribed in the "Colorado Corporation Code".

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Corporations - names. Requires corporate names, if composed of initials, to have the initials separated by a full typewriter space of one letter, or a period after each initial.

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Intoxicating liquors - subpoena powers given to local licensing authorities. This act provides that at hearings on the suspension or revocation of a license to sell or manufacture intoxicating liquors, local licensing authorities have the power to administer oaths and issue subpoenas to require the presence of persons and the production of documents necessary to the determination of any hearing which the licensing authority is authorized to conduct.

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State colleges - activation of upper division at metropolitan state college. This act provides for the activation of the upper division of metropolitan state college, with the junior year to begin in the 1967-68 fiscal year, and the senior year to begin in the 1968-69 fiscal year.

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Corporations. This act corrects and clarifies the "Colorado Corporation Code". Deletes an erroneous reference in 31-9-12 (1) (b), C.R.S. 1963, regarding the revocation of certificates of authority. Provides that if the annual franchise tax assessed against a domestic corporation, rather than any corporation, together with any penalties shall not be paid before December 31 of the year in which the taxes are due and payable, the secretary of state shall notify such corporation in writing on or before May 1 of the following year of the taxes, fees, and penalties due and payable.

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Savings and loan associations - fees and assessments. Rewrites law specifying annual fees of savings and loan associations, and provides that the annual fee shall be determined by the savings and loan commissioner on July 1 of each year to produce the amount of annual revenue necessary for the administrative costs of the department for the ensuing year, not to exceed ten cents per thousand dollars of gross assets of the association. Such fees shall be set in amounts of one-half cent per thousand. Requires commissioner on each July 1 to determine a per diem rate based on actual costs of examinations of associations and to assess and collect the same at the conclusion of each examination.

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Motor fuel tax - reports concerning kerosene. Repeals 138-2-5 (1) (d), C.R.S. 1963, concerning reports made by distributors to the department of revenue concerning kerosene and kerosene distillates.

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Motor fuel tax - time within which notice of loss of fuel must be made. Changes the time within which a distributor or transporter must notify the director of the loss or destruction of motor fuel from 48 hours to 7 days after such loss or destruction.

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Motor fuel tax - filing of documents with director of revenue. 331 Provides that documents required under article 2 of chapter 138, C.R.S. 1963, relating to the motor fuel tax, to be filed with the director of revenue shall, if transmitted through the mails, be deemed to have been filed and received by the director on the date shown by the postal cancellation mark; if such document is mailed and not received by the director, or if received and the cancellation mark is illegible, or is erroneous and omitted, the document shall be deemed to have been filed and received on the date it was mailed if the sender shows by competent evidence that it was deposited in the mails prior to the date the document was due. In the case of documents sent by registered mail, certified mail, or certificate of mailing, an authenticated record of the registration, certification, or certificate shall be competent evidence that the document was mailed to the proper authority, and the date shown on such record shall be deemed to be the postmark date. If the date for filing a document falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or a legal holiday, a document shall be deemed to have been timely filed if filed on the next business day.

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General property tax - inventory tax - tax sale certificates. 334 Provides that commencing with the year 1969, the valuation for assessment of merchandise, materials, and supplies constituting the stocks of merchandise of a manufacturer or merchant, but not including machinery, equipment, furniture, and fixtures, shall, over a five-year period, be reduced to 5% of their actual value. Requires the assessor to maintain separate records of the same. Provides that tax sale certificates shall be void if held by a county for 30 years or more, and if no tax deed has been obtained; and requires the county treasurer, upon receipt of an order of the county commissioners declaring them void, to record said order and cancel all said certificates. Makes minor technical amendments to provisions on 15-year limitations on liens of tax certificates or certificates of purchase. Requires cancellation of special district assessment tax sale certificates unenforceable pursuant to section 89-8-19, C.R.S. 1963.

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Department of institutions - authorization to convey real property. Authorizes the department to convey certain described real property in Jefferson county in exchange for other described real property in said county.

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Grimes - false report concerning explosives. Makes it unlawful for any person to report to peace officers, newsmen, and others, that a bomb or other explosive has been placed or secreted in any public or private place, knowing that such report is false. First offense is punishable as a misdemeanor; and second or subsequent offense is punishable as a felony.

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Grimes and punishments - robbery. Increases minimum sentence for simple robbery from 1 year to 2 years; and increases the minimum sentence for "aggravated" robbery from 2 years to 4 years. Adds two new definitions of "aggravated" robbery: The placing of the person robbed in reasonable fear of death or injury with a weapon; and the robbing, under any circumstance, of a driver, attendant, or passenger of any public conveyance for the transportation of persons for hire. Provides that if a person convicted of "aggravated" robbery is under the age of 18 years, he may be sentenced to the reformatory, but if sentenced to the penitentiary, his sentence shall be not less than 2 years nor more than 14 years.

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Crimes - intentional obstruction of justice. Provides that any person who intentionally threatens, intimidates, or coerces any witness in any case for the purpose of inducing such witness not to testify, or any person who intentionally induces another to falsify his testimony, or any person who intentionally induces another to secret himself so that such person shall not be subject to court process, shall be guilty of the crime of intentional obstruction of justice, punishable as a felony. Removes provision in the law regarding subornation of perjury.

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Crimes - short checks. Amends 40-14-20 (6), C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), relating to passing a short check of \$50 or more or a series of short checks within a 30-day period totalling \$50 or more, to require that the check or checks be passed, not with the purpose of procuring a thing of value, but that there be obtained thereby money, services, wages, salary, labor, rent, or any other thing of value.

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- Motor fuel tax exemption. Exempts from the tax on motor fuels each recorded and reported sale to any town, city, county, city and county, or school district, when such sale involves a single delivery exceeding 300 gallons, upon the surrender of a tax exemption certificate, approved by the director of revenue.

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- Private employment agencies. Entirely rewrites law governing private employment agencies, clarifying its application and specifying those agencies exempt therefrom. Increases bond requirement of licensees from \$1,000 to \$3,000, and provides for an annual license fee of \$50. Repeals provisions authorizing issuance of licenses by cities and towns. Prescribes prohibited acts of licensees, and regulates the amount of fees which may be charged by any licensee to any applicant for which employment is obtained. Restricts the use of advertisements of "fee paid", "free", or "no fee" positions where such would be confusing or misleading.

June 16 July 1

Labor - wages. Provides that upon termination of employment of any employee, the employer may withhold any charge or debt owed by the employee to the employer, and that upon any failure to pay wages pursuant to law upon such termination, the employer is liable for a penalty of 50% of such wages due. Requires wages to be paid employees not later than 10 days after close of pay periods. Excludes from wage regulation payments under any pension, profit-sharing, or other deferred plan. Increases penalty for failure to pay wages when due, from \$10 to \$50. Provides for enforcement of subpoenas

371 requiring appearances within 100 miles. Provides for the paycont. ment of attorneys fees to any employee in an action to collect wages. Provides that no employer may claim right to tips, presents, or gratuities to employees unless public notice is posted, but this does not prevent the sharing of the same among the employees under a prearranged basis. Provides misdemeanor penalties for violations of law concerning wages.

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Mortuary science. Replaces prior law concerning funeral directors and embalmers. Provides for change of name of state board of funeral directors and embalmers to the board of mortuary science. Requires the licensing of funeral establishments, and requires them to be under the personal supervision of a licensee under the act, prescribes qualifications for licensing of practitioners of mortuary science, and permits the annual renewal of licenses of embalmers and funeral directors issued prior to the effective date of this act. Limits embalming and preparation of dead human bodies to licensed practitioners of mortuary science, trainees under a licensee, and licensed embalmers. Provides for the following fees: Funeral establishments, \$25; application for examination, \$50; licenses, \$15; renewal of licenses, \$10; reciprocal licenses, \$100; and reinstatement, \$25.

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Air pollution. Changes air sampling requirements to provide 380 for sampling of air representative of ambient air and removes prohibition of sampling where a single emission source is the prime polluter. Prohibits backyard burning in single-chamber incinerators on and after January 1, 1970, but permits such burning in multi-chamber or other approved incinerators so long as emission standards are met. Provides for semiannual conferences between division of administration and local air pollution control authorities to coordinate air pollution control in local areas. Allows hearing officer to also conduct hearings on variances, and requires him to send to each party a copy of his findings, conclusions, and proposed orders, and to file a copy of the complete record of each hearing with the variance board. Allows less than 5 members of the variance board, with the consent of the party involved, to constitute a hearing board with same powers as a hearing officer. vides that if the variance board finds any person in violation of the air pollution control act, as amended, or if it denies a request for a variance after a hearing before the hearing officer, said person shall have 10 days to file a request for a hearing before the board, which hearing shall be granted. Provides misdemeanor penalty for outside burning without a permit. Repeals requirement for a public hearing in each area after its designation.

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383 Vital statistics. Completely rewrites law concerning vital statistics system under the department of public health. Creates state registrar of vital statistics to administer the system. Provides for central records concerning marriage, divorce, adoption, paternity and other proceedings, births, Retains registration districts and local registrars for processing birth and death certificates. Requires institutions to record births and deaths therein. for certified copies of vital statistics records and establishes fees therefor. Provides misdemeanor penalties for violations. Imposes a tax of \$1 on each action for divorce, separate maintenance, annulment, paternity, adoption, legit-imation, and change of name, to be remitted by the clerk of the court to the state treasurer for deposit to the credit of the general fund, to defray the cost of maintaining vital statistics records. Repeals jurisdiction of county courts to issue corrected or delayed birth certificates.

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National conference of state legislative leaders. Declares that the national conference of state legislative leaders is a joint governmental agency of this state and of other states which cooperate through it. General assembly is authorized to subscribe to membership in said conference and to pay the membership of \$1000 per annum from appropriations to the legislative department.

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Driving while license is suspended or revoked. This act amends S.B. 40, concerning driving while the operator's or chauffeur's license is suspended, revoked, or has been denied. The amendment made by this act provides that the 3-year ineligibility for an operator's or chauffeur's license following a second or subsequent conviction, is in addition to any other criminal penalty provided.

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Elections. This act provides that the secretary of state shall have the duty of supervising the conduct of primary, general, and special elections. He may promulgate rules and regulations for the proper administration and enforcement of the election laws; inspect the practices of county clerks and election commissions in the conduct of elections; and, with the assistance of the attorney general, render uniform interpretations of the election laws to the county clerks. Provides that the congressional central committee of a congressional district composed of one county and the judicial district central committee of a judicial district composed of one county may meet between March 1 and April 1 of the odd-numbered years. Provides that senatorial and representative central committees of any

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403 senatorial or representative district comprised of all or a portion of one county may meet between March 1 and April 1 of the odd-numbered years. Defines the central committee of senatorial and representative districts comprised of a part of one county and all or part of one or more other counties. vides that within 30 days after the various party central committees hold their organizational meetings, or as soon thereafter as possible, the secretary of each party central committee must file with the secretary of state a list of the names and addresses of each officer elected at the meeting. Provides procedures for filling vacancies in party designations occurring during the 40 days prior to a primary election in the manner as for filling vacancies occurring prior to 40 days before a general election. Act takes effect on passage, except that provision relating to the supervisory powers of the secretary of state takes effect July 1, 1967.

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Colorado psychopathic hospital - name change. Changes name of the psychopathic hospital and laboratory of the university of Colorado to "The University of Colorado Psychiatric Hospital"; and provides that such change of name shall not affect any statute or property rights or obligations concerning the same under any other name.

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Junior colleges - creation of Morgan county junior college district. Creates the Morgan county junior college district, to be comprised of certain school districts in Morgan, Weld, Washington, and Adams counties. Requires the Morgan county superintendent of schools to give notice that the question of approving the organization of the district will be submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors of the district within 120 days after the effective date of the act. The election is to be conducted in conformity with the procedures prescribed for the organization of other junior college districts. If the district is approved, all applicable provisions of article 23 of chapter 123, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, relating to junior colleges, shall apply to the Morgan county junior college district.

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Water rights - study - status quo. Provides for a study by the natural resources coordinator of the use of surface and underground waters for irrigation of lands and of proposed legislation to provide for the integrated administration of the uses of such waters while protecting vested water rights, encouraging conservation of water resources, and permitting

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full utilization of all such water resources. The coordinator cont. shall report on the study to the general assembly at its 1968 and/or 1969 sessions. Pending completion of the study, prohibits the issuance of well permits except for replacement wells and except where the state engineer finds the well will not materially affect the vested water rights of existing users, and prohibits new restrictions on existing wells except in case of material injury to vested rights of other users. Allows the adjudication of water rights to well water, but provides that the priority date of any ground water appropriation shall not be postponed later than the true date of initiation because of the delayed or nonadjudication thereof. Does not apply to designated ground water basins. Appropriates \$50,000 for such study.

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Motor vehicles - security interests. Provides that the provisions of 13-6-19 and 13-6-20, C.R.S. 1963, concerning encumbrances on motor vehicles and the filing thereof, shall not apply to any mortgage or security interest upon any motor vehicle or vehicle held for sale or lease which constitutes inventory as defined in section 155-9-109 of the "Uniform Commercial Code". As to such mortgages or security interests, the provisions of article 9 of the "Uniform Commercial Code", concerning secured transactions, shall apply and perfection of such mortgages or security interests shall be made pursuant to such article and the rights of the parties governed thereby.

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Appropriation - state department of public welfare. Appropriates from the general fund for the administration of the public welfare programs - \$25,109,976, for the following purposes:

Aid to dependent children	\$7,103,214 1,995,245 2,403,700 114,137 255,601 200,000 8,855,749 4,182,330
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Appropriation - department of game, fish, and parks. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1967: Appropriates \$5,718,227 from the game cash fund for operating costs of the game and

fish function of the department; \$675,022 from the parks cash cont. fund for operating costs of the parks function of the department; from the game cash fund, \$297,050 for matching available federal funds between July 1, 1967, and June 30, 1969. Capital construction appropriations: From the game cash fund, \$380,000; from the parks cash fund, \$966,000. Appropriates out of the general fund to the parks cash fund, \$849,471, for operating costs and capital construction. Appropriates from the game cash fund, \$68,623.34, to be used to pay damage claims awarded by the district court for water pollution by the fish hatchery near Glenwood Springs.

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Appropriation - state public school fund - public school transportation fund - public school property tax relief fund. \$47,337,687 to the state public school fund for the following purposes:

Appropriates \$4,500,000 to the public school transportation fund.

Appropriates \$24,375,000 to the public school property tax relief fund, for distribution, commencing January 1, 1968, to be allocated by the department of education to the public school districts of the state.

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Appropriation - long appropriation act. For expenses of legislative, executive, and judicial departments:

> \$189,683,113 For capital construction: 23,264,216 Total: \$212,947,329

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Appropriation - junior colleges. \$4,013,500 to state public school fund for distribution to junior college districts at the rate of \$500 for the equivalent of each Colorado resident student carrying an average of 45 quarter hours or 30 semester hours during the current academic year.

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July 1

Sentencing of sex offenders. Before indeterminately sentencing a sex offender, there must be a finding that he lacks the power to control his sexual impulses, has criminal propensities toward the commission of sex offenses, and if at large, constitutes a threat of bodily harm to the public; no longer has to be a finding that he is an habitual offender and mentally ill. Provides that prior to sentencing, the defendant must be afforded a hearing at which he has all the rights of a defendant in an ordinary criminal trial, and the court or jury, as the case may be, must make the necessary findings.

VETOED JUNE 16

HOUSE BILLS ENACTED AND APPROVED AND ANY VETOED BILLS

No. Subject

"Colorado Children's Code". Completely rewrites chapter 22, C.R.S. 1963, to enact in the "Colorado Children's Code" all provisions concerning the disposition of children in cases of temporary custody, detention, and shelter; dependency and neglect; relinquishment and adoption; probation and detention; paternity proceedings; support proceedings; commitment proceedings and facilities; juvenile parole; and nonaccidental injuries to children. Transfers articles on aid to dependent children and foster child care to chapter 119, C.R.S. 1963, concerning public welfare.

Among the major revisions made by the act are the following:

- a. Provisions requiring due process of law and the protection of the constitutional rights of children, including a hearing on any charge, benefit of legal counsel, informing the child and his parent or guardian of the charges, commitment to a juvenile detention facility instead of a penal institution, and the applicability of the Colorado rules of civil procedure to hearings concerning children.
- b. Creates a new category of "children in need of supervision" to include habitual truants, children beyond the control of their parents or guardians, and children whose behavior is such as to endanger his own or others' welfare. Children in this category may be placed on probation, placed in the custody of parents or some other responsible person, or placed in a foster home, or committed to the Colorado youth center (formerly the Colorado state children's home).
- c. Provides for the expungement of a child's court or police record if he has maintained an otherwise good record for two years.
- d. Clarifies jurisdiction of juvenile court as to offenses otherwise classified as felonies if committed by any adult.

June 16 July 1

Adoption of adults. Re-enacts the prior law regarding the adoption of adults, the only significant change being that the petition for adoption is now filed in the juvenile court, rather than the district court. Act was necessary because the law regarding adoption of adults could not be placed under the "Colorado Children's Code".

June 16 July 1

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Water pollution. Authorizes the water pollution control commission to adopt and promulgate waste discharge standards neces-1004 sary to attain and maintain the quality of the waters of the state in conformity with the provisions of the water pollution Such standards need not be uniform across the state, but may vary according to stream classification and uses of particular waters. Such standards shall be administered and enforced by the division of administration of the state department of public health. The division may designate as its representatives any qualified personnel of the department of agriculture, game, fish, and parks, the bureau of mines, the office of the state engineer, and the oil and gas commission, and may request assistance from any other state agency or institution of higher education. Provides enforcement powers and procedures, including persuasive conferences, departmental orders, and injunctive proceedings. Provides that the commission is the final authority concerning abatement and control of water pollution, and prohibits any other agency from authorizing the discharge of wastes in violation of any water quality standard of the commission. Provides requirements and procedures for reporting of proposed discharges of any wastes into the waters of the state by any disposal system or by any industrial or commercial establishment, or any modification thereof. Provides emergency powers to control water pollution which may endanger public health, including injunctive powers. Repeals water pollution control laws in conflict with this act and the 1966 act.

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- 1005 <u>Inspection of motor vehicles</u>. Act makes the following changes with regard to the safety inspection of motor vehicles:
 - a. Inspection stickers issued on or after July 1, 1967, and prior to January 1, 1968, shall, according to rules promulgated by the department of revenue, expire in approximately equal numbers during each of the first 6 calendar months of 1968.
 - b. Commencing January 1, 1968, inspection periods, during which inspections shall be made, shall be for a period of one calendar month each, January through June, and again, July through December of each year.
 - c. Department of revenue, by rule and regulation, must establish a 12-month safety inspection program so that each motor vehicle registered in this state shall be inspected during one inspection period in the first six months of each calendar year, and during one such period in the last six months of each calendar year.

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- 1007 "Colorado Ground Water Management Act". Act makes the following changes in the "Colorado Ground Water Management Act":
 - a. "Taxpaying elector" is defined as a person qualified to vote at general elections, and who owns real or personal property within a ground water management district and has paid ad valorem taxes thereon in the 20 months next preceding a designated time or event, which property is subject to taxation at the time of any election held under the provisions of the act or at any other time in reference to which the term "taxpaying elector" is used. Formerly, a taxpaying elector was defined as a person qualified to vote at general elections and who owned real property in a district subject to taxation within the district upon which a tax had been paid in the 12 months next preceding an election or a designated event.
 - b. Adds definition of replacement or substitute well.
 - c. Exempts from the provisions of act wells used for ordinary household purposes, fire protection, the watering of poultry, domestic animals and livestock on farms and ranches, and the irrigation of home gardens and lawns, not exceeding 50 gallons per minute.
 - d. Ground water commission is given the duty of issuing permits for the construction of replacement or substitute wells. Any such permit that is issued must set forth the conditions under which a well may be modified in order to obtain the water to which the owner is entitled under his appropriation. Formerly, conditions of modification were made by rule and regulation.
 - e. The finding of absence of material injury to the water rights of others which now must be made in the case of applications for a new, increased, or additional supply of ground water from an area outside the boundaries of a designated ground water basin, must be made also in the case of an application for a new well, and such finding must now be able to be substantiated by hydrological and geological facts. Permits for wells for the uses applied for shall not be issued unless the proposed well will be more than 600 feet from an existing well, but this limitation shall not apply if the state engineer, after a hearing, finds that circumstances in a particular case warrant the issuance of a permit, then he may issue the permit.
 - f. A permit for a replacement well must set forth such conditions for drilling, casing, equipping wells so as to prevent waste and injury to existing rights.
 - g. Permits for replacement wells and for an additional supply of ground water from an area outside the boundaries of a designated ground water basin expire one year after issuance,

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- 1007 unless the permittee shall furnish to the state engineer prior cont. to the expiration of the permit, evidence that water taken from the well has been put to beneficial use, or unless, prior to expiration, the state engineer has, for good cause shown, extended the permit for an additional period not to exceed one year.
 - h. Existing uses of ground water put to beneficial use prior to May 17, 1965, and not recorded in the state engineer's office on the effective date of the act, may be recorded upon written application, and the payment of a filing fee of \$25, and such use shall retain a date of initiation when first put to beneficial use; no recordings are to be accepted after December 31, 1968.
 - i. Provides procedures for the inclusion of lands to and the exclusion of lands from a ground water management district.

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- Governor given additional emergency powers with regard to disaster relief. Provides that the governor shall have the following additional emergency powers with regard to disaster relief:
 - a. Power to take private property for temporary use for the protection of public health and safety during the period of a disaster; determine the fair value for the use of, damage to, or failure to return such property, and compensate the owner in the amount of such determination.
 - b. Coordinate post-disaster work, designate a state agency to effect such coordination, and disseminate information as to services available to alleviate damages and suffering occasioned by a major disaster.
 - c. In the event of a major disaster, invoke all the applicable provisions of article 1 of chapter 24, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, relating to civil defense.

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- Colorado state patrol powers of officers in an emergency.

 Provides that officers of the state patrol shall have certain powers in emergency situations upon approval of the governor. Formerly, approval of Colorado state patrol board was required.
 - February 10 February 10
- Nonprofit medical, surgical, and hospitalization health services. Places under regulation by the commissioner of insurance all nonprofit corporations offering health plans to make available

1012 prepaid hospital care, medical-surgical care, and other health cont. services. Requires minimum capitalization of \$50,000, plus additional reserves based upon a percentage of annual "premium" income. Provides for minimum security deposits with the commissioner, similar to insurance companies, of \$50,000 up to a maximum of \$150,000. Provides for the licensing of agents and the certification of authority for such nonprofit corporations to conduct such a business in this state, for the regulation thereof, and for the suspension or revocation of such licenses and/or certificates for violations. Does not apply to any health plan established by an employer, or by a labor union, or jointly by an employer and a labor union. Any such nonprofit corporation in existence on July 1, 1967, which does not meet the minimum capitalization requirements, shall have a period of four years thereafter to meet said requirements.

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1013 Motor clubs, associations, and motor travel organizations. is a new law regulating motor clubs, associations, and motor travel organizations. Provides that after July 1, 1967, such organizations may not operate in this state unless they have been issued a license by the commissioner of insurance. Provides procedures for obtaining and renewing such license, and imposes certain requirements on an applicant. Provides specific powers and duties of the commissioner with respect to such organizations, and provides procedures for hearings on charges. Provides that the commissioner is appointed agent for service of process for organizations licensed under the act. Provides for the registration of representatives of such organizations who for compensation solicit or sell memberships, subscriptions, or franchises on behalf of such organizations. Provides penalties for violations. Requires that organizations licensed under the law must furnish a statement of services offered by the organization to its members or subscribers.

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- 1015 Banking. Act makes changes in laws on state banks, as follows:
 - a. State banks are allowed to pay interest on savings or time deposits, and in addition on certificates of deposit or savings certificates, the maximum rate of interest to be determined by the banking board.
 - b. Maximum limit on loans to officers of state banks is raised from \$2,500 to \$5,000.
 - c. Loans can be secured by first liens on unimproved as well as improved real estate when there is a leasehold under a lease which does not expire for at least 10 years beyond the maturity date of the loan. Formerly the minimum term of the lease was 50 years from the date of the loan, or a 99 year

1015 renewable lease and property had to be improved.

- d. Removes provision that real estate loans shall not exceed 50 per cent of the appraised value of the real estate and shall not be made for a period of longer than five years.
- e. Gives banking board authority to establish the maximum per cent which the amount of a real estate loan bears to the appraised value of the real estate offered as security, and may set up different classifications for such loans.
- f. Removes the requirement of filing with the bank commissioner a notice of intent to organize a state bank.
- g. Raises application fees for a state bank charter from \$500 to \$1,000, and provides that \$750 may be refunded if the application is withdrawn prior to the date set for public hearing.
- h. Requires that the application for charter show the amount to be borrowed and from whom borrowed on any capital stock issued to a subscriber to more than 5 per cent of the capital stock.
- i. Provides for giving notice of the filing of the application of charter to certain persons.
- j. Provides that no director or officer of a state bank may serve who has been convicted of fraud involving any financial institution or a felony, but the bank commissioner may waive the provision regarding a felony if he determines that it does not jeopardize the person's ability to act as a director.
- k. Provides that an officer of a state bank shall not have any right to damages for breach of his contract of employment, if he made a material misstatement of fact relating to any matter leading to or constituting employment.
- 1. Provides that the board of directors shall review at least monthly each loan, advance, overdraft, and purchase of sale of security which exceeds one per cent of the bank's capital and surplus. Formerly, the limitation was one-tenth of one per cent of the capital and surplus or \$1,000, whichever was larger.
- m. Provides that fiduciary accounts shall be reviewed twice each calendar year, instead of once each calendar year.
- n. Provides that the bank commissioner may take possession of a state bank if control of the bank has been assumed by any person convicted of a felony or fraud, or by any

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1015 association controlled directly or indirectly by any person cont. so convicted, unless the banking board determines that such person has been rehabilitated and that the bank will be honestly managed.

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Bottle clubs - regulation of operation. Provides that bottle clubs may operate, and intoxicating liquors may be consumed at such places, only when the sale of intoxicating liquor is permitted by law.

June 16 July 1

Fermented malt beverages - procedure on appeal. Provides that any person who appeals a licensing authority's decision, shall apply for review within thirty days after such decision, and shall pay the cost of preparing a transcript of the proceedings whether such transcript is demanded by the appellant or is furnished pursuant to court order.

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1025 Intoxicating liquors - procedure on appeal and transcript. Provides for same procedure on appeal, and furnishing of transcript, as H.B. 1024, immediately preceding.

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Interstate compact for education. Act authorizes the governor to enter into the interstate compact for education. The compact has the following purposes: Establish close cooperation among the executive and legislative branches of government, professional educational and lay leadership on a nationwide basis at the state and local level; provide a forum for the discussion of and development of public policy alternatives in the field of education; provide a clearinghouse of information on educational problems and how they are being met; facilitate the improvement of state and local educational systems. Compact calls for the creation of the education commission of the states, composed of 7 members of each party state. A party state's membership is comprised of the following: The governor, two legislators selected by the respective houses, and four persons appointed by and serving at the pleasure of the governor, one of whom must be the head of a state agency or institution having the responsibility for an educational program. Committee is given the powers necessary to effectuate the purposes of the compact.

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1030 Colorado bureau of investigation created. Creates the Colorado bureau of investigation under the office of the attorney general. Attorney general is to appoint a director of the bureau who shall be under civil service. Prescribes director's qualifications and provides that he is the chief administrative officer of the bureau with supervisory powers over the bureau's activities. Subject to approval of attorney general, director is to appoint agents and other personnel, all of whom are under civil service. Prescribes qualifications of agents and provides that they shall perform duties in the investigation, detection, and prevention of crime, and the enforcement of the state criminal laws. Gives agents the powers and authority of peace officers, but such powers cannot be used to supersede the powers of local peace officers. Function of bureau is to render assistance to local peace officers when so requested, maintain identification files, arrange for scientific laboratory services, investigate, aid in the preparation of cases when so requested by a district attorney, and investigate suspected criminal activity when directed by the governor. Appropriates \$56,000 for personal services, operating expenses, travel, and capital outlay.

May 27

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1031 General cash revolving fund increased. Increases the general cash revolving fund from ten to fifteen million dollars.

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1032 Committee on statute revision - chairman. Removes the chief justice of the supreme court as chairman of the committee on statute revision, and provides that the committee shall elect a chairman from among its members.

February 27 May 1

National guard - removal of limitation on payment of certain accounts. Removes \$6,000 annual limitation on the payment of national guard accounts requiring cash payment and which do not exceed \$100 for any single item.

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1034 Elections - list of absent voters. Provides that the county clerk shall prepare and maintain a list of applicants for absentee ballots, which shall be available for inspection by any qualified voter in the clerk's office.

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1039 Probation officers - state contribution to salaries. Provides for the following changes with regard to judicial district probation officers:

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- 1039 a. Makes it permissive, rather than mandatory, that a cont. judge or judges of a judicial district appoint a probation officer for the district.
 - b. Provides that the judge or judges of the district courts for any two or more counties having a population of 25,000 or more, and whether or not the counties are in the same judicial district, may appoint a probation officer.
 - c. Sets up educational requirements for probation officers employed after January 1, 1967, such requirements being an A.B. degree from a college or university meeting certain standards, and one year's experience in certain social fields such as parole, probation, or social work.
 - d. Salaries of qualified probation officers are to be paid as follows: One-half of the monthly salary, or \$200, whichever is less, is to be paid by the state, and the balance from county general funds.
 - e. Counties or groups of counties must make application to the director of institutions for state payment of salaries of probation officers and he must pass upon their qualifications.

April 17 July 1

- 1040 <u>Institutions of higher learning emeritus benefits</u>. This act repeals and re-enacts the law concerning emeritus benefits for faculty members of state institutions of higher learning. Main changes are as follows:
 - a. Extends coverage to those individuals with at least 20 years of service, who were 60 years of age prior to July 1, 1962, but who will retire after said date. Present law limits coverage to those who meet age and service criteria and have been retired prior to said date.
 - b. Extends coverage on a prorated basis to those faculty members and surviving spouses who fail to meet the 20-year service criterion. Present law excludes such persons from any benefits.
 - c. Reduces the 20-year service requirement for disability eligibility to 15 years.
 - d. Liberalizes benefits as follows: To each faculty member, \$240 or that lesser sum which, together with all other state-supported benefits, will provide a monthly income of \$350, and for surviving spouses \$125 or, with state-supported benefits, \$175. Present law provides \$200 for faculty members, \$100 for surviving spouses, and other state-supported benefits must be subtracted from said sums.

Subject

Appropriates \$235,000 to pay for benefits provided by cont. the act.

June 8

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Agriculture - dealers - bond requirements. The effect of this act is to include in the term "dealer", as used in article 4 of chapter 7, C.R.S. 1963, manufacturers and processors of livestock acquired on the hoof and having a fixed or established place of business in this state. Persons buying livestock on the hoof are no longer exempt from the application of said article. Increases the upper limits of the bond required of farm produce dealers and brokers from \$10,000 to \$100,000.

April 20

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Livestock water tanks. Provides that a dam creating a livestock water tank, and built on an intermittent or perennial main stream, shall be deemed to have a rebuttable presumption that there is no injury to adjudicated water rights when built pursuant to the specifications of 8-17-4, C.R.S. 1963. If such livestock water tank is used solely for watering livestock in areas known to be deficient in windmill water (pumping capacity of less than 5 gallons per minute), dams of greater capacity than specified in 8-17-4 may be constructed on any ephemeral stream, but the state engineer may require the construction of drainage facilities to reduce the water impounded in the reservoir to the capacity prescribed in 8-17-4, within a 36-hour period.

March 28

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Intoxicating liquors - retail licensees may obtain wholesale licenses under certain circumstances. Provides that a corporation, all of whose members or shareholders are holders of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors at retail, may obtain a wholesaler's license whereunder such corporation shall purchase intoxicating liquors solely from other licensed wholesalers. Provides that no member or shareholder of such a corporation may own more than a 2 per cent interest in the corporation.

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Appropriation - game, fish, and parks department - capital construction. Corrects an error in the amount of the appropriation to the department made by section 8 of chapter 34, Session Laws of Colorado 1966.

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Subject

Appropriation - settlement of overtime wage claim. Provides for an appropriation of \$1,028.42 to Faye Tice in settlement of an overtime wage claim for work performed at Mount View girls' school.

March 3 March 3

Court reorganization. Act submitted by revisor of statutes amending numerous sections of the law necessitated by the 1962 constitutional amendment concerning court reorganization. Purpose of the bill is to transfer jurisdiction of certain proceedings from the county courts to the district or probate courts. Essentially, this is a "housekeeping" bill.

February 27 February 27

Architect's fund. Act submitted by the revisor of statutes to abolish the "state board of architect examiners' fund", since there were two funds, the other being the "architect's fund".

February 27 February 27

Registration fees and specific ownership taxes on motor vehicles - 1959. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 13-3-29, C.R.S. 1963, an obsolete statute relating to registration fees and specific ownership taxes for motor vehicles for 1959.

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Encumbrances on motor vehicles. Act submitted by the revisor of statutes to delete a reference to a provision of the law that had been previously repealed and to insert a reference to the "Uniform Commercial Code", having to deal with encumbrances on motor vehicles. (See S.B. 411, this digest, for amendment of this act.)

March 3 March 3

School for the deaf and the blind. Act submitted by the revisor of statutes to repeal 16-1-13, C.R.S. 1963, relating to duplicate provisions for the drawing of warrants upon vouchers of the president and secretary of the board of trustees of the school for the deaf and the blind.

February 27 February 27

School for the deaf and the blind. Act submitted by the revisor of statutes to repeal 16-1-21 to 16-1-25, C.R.S. 1963, providing for building program at the school for the deaf and the blind, now expired.

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Subject

State officers - salaries. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 56-1-3 (1) (1) and (m), C.R.S. 1963, fixing statutory salaries of the director of institutions and the commissioner of mines.

February 27 February 27

Fugitives. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 60-1-33, C.R.S. 1963, concerning rewards for fugitives, which refers to a repealed law, and is therefore inoperative.

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Department of public health. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 66-1-17 to 66-1-21, C.R.S. 1963, providing for the construction of a building for department of public health, now expired.

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Homes for mental defectives. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 71-4-11 to 71-4-23, C.R.S. 1963, concerning the building program at state homes at Ridge and Grand Junction, now expired. Repeal not to affect the collection of delinquent taxes or the payment of outstanding obligations.

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1073 Department of insurance. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to provide that expenses of the department of insurance shall be paid out of the general fund, rather than the insurance fund.

February 27 February 27

Mutual insurance associations - tax on premiums. Act submitted by revisor of statutes relating to premiums of mutual insurance associations, to conform the tax percentage to an internal reference in the law, and to repeal erroneous reference.

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1077 Unemployment compensation - redetermination of benefits. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to delete reference to a section of law which has no application to the section amended.

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1078 Old age pensions. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to change an internal reference in the law relating to old age pensions, necessitated by the repeal of the law referred to.

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Lookout mountain school for boys. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 105-1-16 through 105-1-21, C.R.S. 1963, concerning the building program at the Lookout mountain school for boys, now expired. Repeal not to affect the collection of delinquent taxes or the payment of outstanding obligations.

March 3 March 3

Mount View girls' school. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 105-2-5 through 105-2-7, C.R.S. 1963, concerning the building program at the Mount View girls' school, now expired. Repeal not to affect the collection of delinquent taxes or the payment of outstanding obligations.

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1081 Colorado state reformatory. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 105-3-10 through 105-3-12 and 105-3-15 through 105-3-21, C.R.S. 1963, relating to the building program at the Colorado state reformatory, now expired. Repeal not to affect the collection of delinquent taxes or the payment of outstanding obligations.

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1082 Colorado state reformatory - honor work program. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to clarify language in the law relating to the honor work program at the Colorado state reformatory. No substantive change in law.

February 27 February 27

Colorado state penitentiary. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 105-4-25 through 105-4-29, C.R.S. 1963, relating to building program at the Colorado state penitentiary, now expired. Repeal not to affect the collection of delinquent taxes or the payment of outstanding obligations.

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Real property - limitation of actions. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to remove an obsolete reference to the 1908 Revised Statutes and to substitute a current reference to the Colorado rules of civil procedure.

March 3 March 3

Highways - responsibility of maintenance. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to conform 120-3-17 (2) to other statutes, which provides that state highways in a city and county, city, or town shall be maintained by the department of highways,

1085 rather than the political subdivision in which such highways cont. are located.

March 3 March 3

Public schools - disposition of certain moneys. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to clarify 123-3-18, C.R.S. 1963, to provide that certain moneys received by the state from public school lands shall be credited to the public school income fund for distribution to public schools under the provisions of the Public School Foundation Act.

February 27 February 27

Junior college districts - grants. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 123-6-22, C.R.S. 1963, relating to grants to junior college districts; the amount and basis of grants is included in the appropriation act for junior colleges (S.B. No. 416).

March 3 March 3

Public schools - residence of children. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal 123-21-2 (3), C.R.S. 1963, relating to the residence of children in public schools, such repeal being necessitated by the repeal of two laws referred to in the repealed subsection.

February 27 February 27

Junior college of Trinidad. Act submitted by revisor of statutes, the main purpose of which is to clarify and delete some of the language concerning the establishment of the Junior College of Trinidad. No substantive change in the law.

February 27 February 27

Colorado Revised Statutes 1963 - 1965 Supplement. Provides sales price for public sale of 1965 Supplement to C.R.S. 1963, at cost to the state plus twelve and one-half per cent, excluding handling and delivery charges. Validates 1965 Supplement as published and ratifies the date of September 1, 1966, as the date of the official filing of said 1965 Supplement with the secretary of state and the effective date on which said supplement became prima facie evidence of the laws of this state.

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1093 Cigarette tax - procedures. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal separate hearing procedure concerning collection

1093 of cigarette tax, which provision conflicts with provisions of cont. article 9, chapter 138, C.R.S. 1963.

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Municipal annexation. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to amend 139-21-22, C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), to remove meaningless reference to another section in the same article.

March 3 March 3

Municipal courts - appeals - exoneration of sureties. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to provide authority for superior court, similar to that of county courts to exonerate a surety prior to final judgment on an appeal from municipal court.

March 3 March 3

Firemen's pension funds - boards of trustees. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to eliminate conflict between 139-81-2 and 139-49-5, C.R.S. 1963, as to composition of members of boards. Provides for membership of boards of trustees of such pension funds for cities of over one hundred thousand population to be determined by the charter and ordinances thereof.

March 3 March 3

1099 Monte Vista golden age center. Act submitted by revisor of statutes to repeal building program mill levy fund and transfers moneys therein to the capital construction fund.

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Parole officers - minimum age. Reduces minimum age of parole officers from twenty-five to twenty-one, and eliminates other qualifications.

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1107 Agriculture - tax on sheep and goats. Increases tax levy on sheep and goats from 20 to 40 mills for the year 1967 and thereafter, for purposes of controlling and eradicating predatory animals.

March 3 March 3

Special districts - compensation of directors. Provides that upon approval of the taxpaying electors of the district, the compensation of the directors of the following districts are changed as follows: Metropolitan districts, from \$60 to \$600

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1112 per year, payable not to exceed \$25 per meeting; fire proteccont. tion districts, from \$300 to \$600 per year, payable not to exceed \$25 per meeting attended; metropolitan recreation districts, from \$60 to \$600 per year, payable not to exceed \$25 per meeting attended; county recreation district, from no compensation to \$600 per year, payable not to exceed \$25 per meeting.

June 8

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Appropriation - Mrs. Janet R. Meneley. For damages sustained when her husband was killed as a result of negligent repairs of a state highway - \$20,000.

June 17

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1115 Universities and colleges - revenue bonds for auxiliary facilities. Adds parking facilities to list of facilities which may be constructed or otherwise acquired by state educational institutions by use of revenue obligations. Completely rewrites provisions as to pledge of income from such facilities and other similar facilities for the payment of such revenue obligations, including authorization to establish reserves out of such income for the payment of said obligations. Authorizes registration of revenue obligations, and permits sale thereof at not less than ninety per cent of principal and accrued interest so long as net interest rate computed to maturity does not exceed six per Authorizes the governing board to utilize any surplus income to rehabilitate, alter, add to, or equip any such facilities; to construct, acquire, and equip other facilities; or to redeem outstanding income bonds.

April 7

April 14

General Assembly - apportionment of members. Repeals reapportionment act enacted in 1965, and enacts new apportionment act pursuant to Amendment No. 4, adopted at general election in 1966, requiring apportionment of members of both houses on a population basis, and authorizing, if necessary, the division of counties to achieve equality of population in such districts. Requires the election of one senator and one representative from each senatorial and representative district, respectively. Provides for the election of senators from the following districts and in the years indicated as follows:

Senatorial districts:

No. Counties		Year of election (and every 4 yrs. after)	
1	Denver		1970 1970
3	11		1970

1117 Dist.	Counties		election 4 yrs. after)
4	Denver	1968	
5	11	1968	
5 6 7 8 9	11	1968	
7	!!	1968	1070
8	11 	1060	1970
9	11 11	1968	
10		1968	1070
11	El Paso	1060	1970
12	11	1968	
13		1968	
14	Jefferson	1968	1970
15		1968	1970
16	Parts of Jefferson and Adams	1968	
17	Adams	1968	•
18		1968	
19	Pueblo	1900	1970
20		1968	1970
21	Arapahoe	1968	•
22	n 1 1	1968	
23	Boulder	1968	
24	Parts of Boulder and Weld	1900	1970
25	Weld		1970
26	Larimer		1970
27	Mesa Yawan S Hashington		1970
28	Logan, Morgan, & Washington	·	1.770
29	Cheyenne, Crowley, Douglas, Elbert,)) (
	Kiowa, Kit Carson, Lincoln, Phillip	,	1970
20	Sedgwick, and Yuma Alamosa, Chaffee, Clear Creek,	-,	17,0
30	Alamosa, Charlee, Clear Cleek,		•
	Custer, Fremont, Gilpin, Park,		1970
21	Saguache, and Teller Baca, Bent, Otero, and Prowers		1970
31 32	Costilla, Huerfano, Las Animas,	·	23,0
32	and part of Pueblo		1970
33	Archuleta, Conejos, La Plata,		
33	Mineral, Rio Grande, and part of		
	Montezuma		1970
34	Delta, Dolores, Gunnison, Hinsdale	-	
34	Montrose, Ouray, San Juan, San	,	
	Miguel, and part of Montezuma		1970
35	Eagle, Garfield, Grand, Jackson,		
JJ	Lake, Moffat, Pitkin, Rio Blanco,		
	Routt, and Summit	1968	
	Nouce, and Dumme		

Provides for the election of representatives from the following districts in the year 1968 and every two years thereafter:

1117 Representative districts:

Dist. No.	Counties	Representatives
1 - 18	Denver	18
	El Paso	
	Jefferson	5
29 - 32		4
33 - 36	Pueblo .	4
37 - 40	Arapahoe	4
41 - 43	Boulder	3
44 - 46		5 4 4 4 3 3 2 2 1
47 - 48	Larimer	2
49 - 50	Mesa	. 2
51	Baca, Bent, and Prowers	1
52	Logan, Phillips, and Sedgwick	1
53	Alamosa, Huerfano, and part of	
	Pueblo	1
54	Crowley and Otero	1
55	Costilla and Las Animas	1
56	Morgan and Washington	1
57	Cheyenne, Kiowa, Kit Carson,	
	Lincoln, and Yuma	1
58	Delta, Gunnison, Hinsdale,	
	Ouray, San Juan, and part of	
	Montrose	1
59	Chaffee, Douglas, Elbert,	
4.4	Lake, Park, and Teller	1
60	Parts of Montezuma and	,
	La Plata	. 1
61	Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin, and	
	Rio Blanco	1
62	Clear Creek, Gilpin, Grand,	
	Jackson, Moffat, Routt, and	
()	Summit	1
63	Archuleta, Conejos, Mineral,	
	Rio Grande, and part of	
61	La Plata	1
64	Custer, Fremont, and	•
65	Saguache	1
65	Dolores, San Miguel, and parts of Montezuma and	
	Montrose	. 1
	Montrose	1

Where legislative district boundaries coincide with county boundaries, district boundaries will change where county boundaries are subsequently changed.

The act applies to the Forty-seventh General Assembly convening in 1969, and to subsequent General Assemblies.

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Passenger tramway safety. Increases annual registration fees for J bars, T bars, and platter pulls from \$25 to \$40; and those for ski-mobiles and chair lifts from \$50 to \$75. Provides that the passenger tramway safety board shall promulgate standards for aerial passenger tramways, using as general guidelines the standards of the American Standards Assn., Inc.

April 7

July 1

Supplemental appropriation - Western state college. For a shop wing to the arts building - \$200,000; appropriation to be reduced by allotment upon allocation of applicable federal funds.

March 14

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Supplemental appropriation - Southern Colorado state college. For completion of construction of life sciences building - \$95,000; appropriation to be reduced by allotment upon allocation of applicable federal funds.

March 14 March 14

Anatomical board - disposition of dead bodies. Authorizes the anatomical board or its agent to receive and distribute dead human bodies or parts thereof bequeathed or donated for scientific purposes, the same as for unclaimed bodies, but no publication of notice shall be required.

March 14 March 14

Inheritance tax - proceeds of insurance, annuities, and pensions. Adds aggregate proceeds of any annuity contracts and
pension benefits to the exclusion of the first \$75,000 of
certain proceeds from taxation under the inheritance tax.
Repeals provision exempting only certain pension benefits from
such taxation. Applies to estates of persons dying on or after
effective date.

March 31 March 31

Sales and use tax - exemptions. Exempts from the use tax any tangible personal property, the sale or use of which has already been subjected to a tax equal to or greater than the Colorado sales or use tax. Provides for a credit against the use tax for any sales or use tax paid by the purchaser at the time of purchase of tangible personal property in another state, but the credit shall not exceed the tax imposed by Colorado law. Also exempts tangible personal property and household effects brought into this state by a nonresident acquiring residency in this state; exempts motor vehicles

1126 brought into this state if the owner was a nonresident at cont. the time of purchase, the owner purchased the vehicle and used it outside this state, and the vehicle was registered, titled, and licensed outside this state; and exempts tangible property purchased by a resident of this state while outside this state in amounts of \$100 or less.

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Authority given to initiate actions against state. This act grants to person who sustained injury by the diversion of Clay Creek flood water by Clay Creek dam in June, 1965, the right to initiate a civil action against the state to recover damages.

March 31 March 31

Game, fish, and parks - control of wildlife. Amends law to provide control by game, fish, and parks commission of all hunting and fishing as to any big game, game birds, or game fish, and eliminates specific listing of game, fish, and birds subject to such control.

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Game, fish, and parks - importation of live fish. Adds statutory standards and requirements for the importation of live game or bait fish or live game fish eggs into this state. Requires health certificate, signed by a pathologist proficient in fish diseases, to certify that the same are free from parasites and contagious or infectious disease. If necessary, game, fish, and parks department may quarantine such fish or eggs brought into this state without proper certificate. Provides penalty for any violation of a fine not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000, or imprisonment in county jail for not more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment.

March 28 March 28

Recreational areas - limitation of liability of landowner.

Provides for the limitation of liability of landowner or other person controlling use of land where he gives written permission to an individual or to the game, fish, and parks department for the public to use his land for hunting, fishing, camping, or picnicking and without charge. Such limitation does not extend to intentional failure to warn against known dangers on such property; nor to cases where persons are charged a fee to enter or use the land for recreational purposes; nor to the maintenance of an attractive nuisance; nor to any case of injury on land adjacent to, or incidental to, the use of land on which a commercial or business enterprise

Subject

1130 is carried on. The act does not create or affect any liability cont. for willful failure to warn against known dangers nor for injury caused to any person who is charged to use the land for recreational purposes. No person using lands for recreational purposes is relieved of his duty of care in the use of said land nor liability for failure to use such care.

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Appropriation - settlement of damage claim. Appropriates \$7,000 from game cash fund to the Nancarrow corporation for settlement of a damage claim arising from the breaking of the Georgetown Dam.

March 28

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Governor - state coordinator under federal "Highway Safety Act of 1966". Designates the governor as the state official having responsibility to deal with federal government under the "Highway Safety Act of 1966", and requires him to coordinate the activities of all agencies of the state and its political subdivisions relating thereto.

March 14

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Real property - adverse possession - exceptions. Provides that the eighteen-year adverse possession law shall not apply against any right to or interest in property of the state or its political subdivisions, or of any irrigation district, regardless of the length of time possessed by any person, firm, or corporation.

April 28

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1141 Sales taxes - cities, towns, and counties. Authorizes any county, city, or town to impose a sales tax upon approval of the qualified electors of the respective political subdivision. A proposal to impose a sales tax may be commenced either by resolution of a board of county commissioners or by ordinance of the city council of a city or the board of trustees of a town, or by initiative petition filed pursuant to law. vides procedures for the conduct of elections on the proposal to impose a sales tax. Provides contents requirements for any sales tax proposal by any county, town, or city. Requires the collection, administration, and distribution of such sales taxes by the state department of revenue, at no charge. Act does not affect any powers of home rule cities, but if any home rule city enacts a sales tax ordinance in conformity with the provisions of this act, the department of revenue, upon request of said home rule city, shall collect, administer, and distribute the sales tax revenues of said city. Act does not require any city, town, or county to impose a sales tax. Prohibits the total sales taxes imposed by the state, a county, and a city or town in any locality from exceeding the maximum of 7%.

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Game and fish - scientific specimens. Repeals provisions concerning certificates to be attached to domestic game and fish taken other than pursuant to a hunting or fishing license, which provisions were superseded by a 1963 law concerning permits to collect scientific specimens of game and fish. Also repeals limitation of such specimens to dead game and fish.

March 14 March 14

Raptores - exportation prohibited - when. Repeals provision requiring transportation permit prior to taking any raptores out of this state, and prohibits any transportation of raptores out of this state for purposes of sale, gift, or exchange.

March 3 March 3

Repeal - eliminate duplication in engineering practice laws.
Repeals 51-1-6 (11), C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.) which was identical to 51-1-19 (1), C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.).

March 14 March 14

Judiciary - compensation of justices and judges. Increases compensation of justices of the supreme court from \$18,000 to \$22,000 per annum; the chief justice of the supreme court from \$18,500 to \$22,500 per annum; and judges of the district and superior courts from \$14,000 to \$18,000; the judges of the juvenile court of the city and county of Denver from \$14,000 to \$18,000; and the judge of the probate court of the city and county of Denver from \$14,500 to \$18,000. Salary increase of chief justice of the supreme court becomes effective July 1, 1967. Appropriates \$162,000 to pay increase in salaries.

May 30 January 1, 1968

Disposal of dead animals. Provides for the licensing and regulation of disposal plants and transportation services dealing with dead animals. Provides for license fees, investigations, and inspections of such plants and services, and establishes standards for operation thereof so as to prevent the use of inedible meats for human consumption. The act is to be administered and enforced by the commissioner of agriculture. Provides for injunctive powers and prescribes criminal penalties for violations of the act.

April 7 July 1

Inheritance tax. Provides for refunds of excess payments of inheritance taxes and old age pension surtaxes, and deletes limitation as to refunds only of incorrectly assessed taxes. Increases rate of interest payable on such refunds from 4% per annum to 6% per annum. Also deletes provision that the

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1167 funds for the payment of such refunds and the interest thereon cont. shall come from the old age pension surtax, thereby limiting such payments from only the inheritance tax receipts. Applies to estates of persons dying on or after the effective date.

April 20 May 1

1168 Psychiatric technicians. Provides for the examination and licensing of persons who, for compensation, are engaged in the care of and in the observation and recognition of symptoms and reactions of the mentally ill. Provides standards for the examination of such persons; establishes minimum requirements for persons to take such examinations; provides for licensing of present psychiatric technicians without examination if they have so practiced at least one year within the three years prior to January 1, 1969; and provides for the licensing in this state of persons licensed in another state which has requirements equal to the requirements of this act. Establishes standards for accredited psychiatric technician educational programs in this state for persons preparing to become such technicians. Provides for revocation or suspension of licenses, and procedures therefor. Excludes from application of act persons caring for members of their family, practical nurses, employees of medical doctors and dentists, and federal government employees in their line of duty. The act does not apply to any facility employing spiritual means or prayer to prevent or cure disease. Provides criminal penalties for violations of the act.

April 18 January 1, 1968

1170 <u>Limitation of actions</u>. Includes doctors of veterinary medicine under two-year limitation within which any person must bring an action to recover damages for alleged negligence in the practice of certain professions.

March 14 March 14

Fireworks. Rewrites fireworks law to require licensing and regulation of all manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers of all fireworks. Prescribes fireworks which are lawful to sell and use in this state, and prohibits sale or use of any others. Retains permit provisions for public displays of fireworks, and clarifies exemptions. Sets forth requirements for shipments out of state to eliminate evasion of law. Requires retail vendors' licenses to be obtained from the governing body of the area where sales are to be made, and provides a retail license fee of \$5. Manufacturers' and wholesalers' licenses shall be issued by the secretary of state, upon the payment of a license fee of \$250. Does not restrict the power of any

1171 municipality to further limit the sale and use of fireworks cont. within its boundaries. Provides penalties for violations of the act.

June 14 June 14

Nonprofit corporations. Enacts a new "Colorado Nonprofit Corporation Act", containing complete provisions for the formation, operation, admission, and dissolution of nonprofit corporations. Act will apply to all nonprofit corporations formed on or after the effective date thereof, and also to any nonprofit corporation formed prior thereto which elects to become governed thereby. Provisions of the new code are similar to those in the "Colorado Corporation Code" as to detailed requirements, powers, limitations, and fees and reports. Because of the length of the act, it is impossible to digest the provisions of the act.

June 8 January 1, 1968

1175 Prisoners - costs of prosecution for crimes of. Provides that the state shall pay, from appropriations of general assembly, the costs of prosecution of any person for a crime committed while on the premises of the state penitentiary or reformatory, or while under the lawful care and control of the department of institutions.

March 28 March 28

Inmates of institutions - unlawful to possess certain items.

Provides that it is a felony for inmates of the state penitentiary, state reformatory, or the state women's correctional institution, to possess, or for any person to furnish such inmates, or to attempt to or bring on the premises of such institutions any drug, narcotic, medicine, chemical compound, tool, alcoholic beverage, firearm, explosive, deadly weapon, instrument, or other item of personal property which has been declared to be harmful.

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1179 Women's correctional institution. Designates the women's correctional institution in Fremont county as both the state reformatory for women and the state penitentiary for women, and that all females sentenced either to the state reformatory or to the state penitentiary shall serve their sentences at said correctional institution. Such provisions shall become applicable upon the proclamation by the governor that said institution is completed and ready to receive prisoners.

April 26 April 26

1184 Colorado state home - change of name. Changes the name of the Colorado state home to the Trinidad state nursing home.

May 27 July 1

Incorporation of towns and cities. Provides that if two or more petitions for incorporation of all or portions of the same territory are filed, the court may order all proposals submitted at one election, to be voted on by the electors in the territories concerned, in the alternative. Said election may be the election called by the first-appointed commissioners, or an election called by new commissioners appointed in lieu of those first appointed. Requires any incorporation election to be held within 90 days after the call thereof, unless otherwise provided by law. Provides that if no incorporation proposal receives a majority of favorable votes, all proposals shall fail; and that if two or more proposals receive the same number of favorable votes, there shall be a run-off election.

May 27 May 27

Insurance companies - investment of assets. Authorizes any 1186 domestic insurance company, upon the sale of the property previously acquired as a home office, to make a purchase money loan secured by a lien thereupon up to 100% of the value thereof. Provides that if the value of such property later depreciates, the company may carry as an admitted asset so much of the current value of the property as bears the same ratio thereto as the amount of such purchase money loan bore to the value of the property at the time of making such loan. Removes limitation on investments by such domestic companies in common and preferred stocks of their wholly owned subsidiary insurance corporations; and deletes further limitation on investments in common and preferred stocks to 50% of the excess capital and surplus over minimum requirements. Authorizes collateral loans secured by a pledge of certain securities, limited to 75% of the value of such securities, except those of the United States, which may be pledged up to 100% of their market value.

March 31 March 31

Group life insurance - limitation. Provides that the statutory maximum of term insurance on any one person under a group policy shall not apply to incidental death benefits under any qualified pension or profit-sharing plan, as defined in the federal internal revenue code.

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Group life insurance. Changes provision for collection of premiums on group life insurance for public employees by payroll deductions from mandatory to permissive; and deletes requirement that the employee must first have authorized the employer to make such deductions. Deletes entire provision limiting the amount of group life insurance on any public employee to \$3,000 and to any retired public employee to \$1,000. Amends other provisions limiting total amount of group life insurance to any person to include public employees, so that public employees as well as any other persons covered by group life insurance are limited to coverage not to exceed \$21,000 each; and amends provision allowing increased coverage not exceeding 150% of a person's annual compensation to change the maximum from \$40,000 to \$50,000.

March 28 March 28

Insurance companies - officers and directors. Allows number of directors of a domestic company to be determined by the bylaws as well as by the articles of incorporation. Prohibits any person to serve as a director of such a domestic company if he has been convicted of fraud involving any financial institution or of a felony, but the insurance commissioner may waive such prohibition regarding a felony if he finds that the particular felony does not jeopardize that person's ability to act as director. Requires any such domestic company to notify the insurance commissioner within 30 days after any change in the office of chairman of the board, president, executive vice president, secretary, or treasurer, and shall inform the commissioner of the business and professional affiliations of any such new officers.

March 28 March 28

Group life insurance. Provides that under a policy of group life insurance issued to an employer, a labor union, a fund established by two or more employers or labor unions, an association of public employees, members of a credit union, or any other association, if 75% of the insured employees or members so elect, the policy may be extended to provide coverage for dependents of such members and employees, not to exceed 50% of the coverage on each member or employee, or \$1,000, whichever is less; but no coverage for a dependent whose age at death is under 6 months shall exceed \$100.

March 28 March 28

1192 <u>Group sickness and accident insurance</u>. Provides that such insurance may be issued to any person or organization to which a policy of group life insurance may be issued.

March 28 March 28

Inheritance tax - exemptions - rates. Increases exemption on transfers to a wife from \$20,000 to \$35,000; and provides exemption of \$15,000 for transfers to a minor child under sixteen years of age. Increases tax rates for Class C transfers two percentage points in each bracket; and increases tax rates for Class D transfers three percentage points in each bracket. Applies to estates of persons dying on or after the effective date of act.

April 20 April 20

Wills and estates - allowances - small estates. Increases the allowances to surviving spouses and minor children of decedents or mental incompetents from \$3,500 to \$5,000, and correspondingly increases maximum limit of small estates law from \$3,500 to \$5,000. Act does not apply to distribution of property of person who died before effective date of act.

May 27 May 27

1201 Appropriation - office of secretary of state. For defraying the cost of printing initiated and referred measures in connection with the 1966 general election - \$64,726.

March 3 March 3

Labor - eight-hour day for women - exemptions. Provides that women employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional, or clerical office positions may be employed for more than 8 hours during any 24 hours of any one calendar day. Formerly, only women employed in clerical office positions could be so employed. Sets forth several factors that the industrial commission must consider in determining what positions constitute clerical office positions.

June 8 June 8

Crimes and punishments - use of dual contracts. Makes it unlawful for any person to make, issue, deliver, or receive dual contracts, to induce another to make a loan commitment on real property in reliance on an inflated value. Any violation is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$1,000, or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed 6 months, or both.

March 28 March 28

Schools - residence of child for school attendance. Removes the provision that where the legally appointed guardian of a child resides in a school district, it is necessary for the court appointing such guardian to certify that the primary purpose of such appointment is not to qualify such child as resident of that school district. Provides that a child shall be

deemed to reside in a school district regardless of the resicont. dence of the parents, if any, if the child adopts a dwelling place within the district with the intent to remain there indefinitely, and with the intent not to return to the dwelling place from which he came, and regularly eats or sleeps there, or both, during the entire school year; such child shall not be deemed to have the requisite intent if he regularly returns to another dwelling place during summer vacations or weekends. Provides that a child who has qualified and has enrolled as a resident pupil in a school district during the course of a school year, shall be entitled to complete that school year as a resident pupil.

June 9 June 9

Damages - no account or short checks. Provides that in civil actions to collect no account or short checks, the maker of the check, in addition to being liable for the amount of the check, shall be liable for interest, and costs of collection, which may include a reasonable attorney's fee. Provides that the prevailing party in any such action may recover court costs and a reasonable attorney's fee. Provides instances of prima facie evidence that the maker of a check did make it willfully, and intentionally, or intended thereby to defraud, and knew that he had insufficient funds to honor the check.

June 9 July 1

Public schools - teachers' emeritus retirement. Extends eligibility for teachers' emeritus retirement to those who retire prior to July 1, 1972, and increases monthly pension benefits from \$125 to \$150 per month. Repeals requirement that to be eligible, one must be a Colorado resident at time of application.

April 17 July 1

Pet shops and boarding kennels - licensing and regulation thereof. Provides that on or after July 1, 1967, it is unlawful to operate a pet shop, boarding kennel, as defined in the act, or a combination thereof, unless the operator holds a valid license to operate such businesses. Licenses are to be obtained from the department of public health, and application procedures and fees for licenses, and for renewal thereof, are set forth. Imposes specific duties upon person licensed under the act, which duties mainly concern the maintenance of facilities, treatment of pet animals, and the filing of reports with the department. Provides that premises licensed under the act may be quarantined under certain circumstances. Provides that it is unlawful for persons not licensed under the act to import pet animals for the purpose of resale by an animal dealer. Provides grounds for denial, revocation, or suspension

Subject

1212 of licenses, and sets forth the procedure for such action. cont. Provides that the state board of health is to establish rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of the act. Provides penalties for violations. Act does not apply to zoos, publicly owned animal pounds, veterinary hospitals, research institutions using pet animals in research, or persons selling or otherwise exchanging the offspring of their own pet animals.

June 9

July 1

Libraries - funding and merger. Provides that a regional library district, established pursuant to 84-1-10, C.R.S. 1963, may be dissolved by resolution of the legislative bodies of the governmental units comprising the district. Boards of county commissioners are no longer authorized to appropriate moneys from the county general fund for the establishment and maintenance of county or regional libraries. Authorizes boards of county commissioners to levy a tax of not more than 1½ mills for county and regional libraries, upon real and personal property for the establishment and maintenance of such libraries.

May 30

July 1

Practice of chiropody. Deletes treatment of the leg from the practice of chiropody; redefines "surgical treatment" as may be practiced by chiropodist; and defines "unprofessional conduct", which, along with immoral conduct, constitutes the grounds for the revocation or suspension of any license to practice chiropody, or for the placing of a chiropodist on probation.

April 19

April 19

Basic sciences - includes chiropody. Increases board of examiners in basic sciences from five to seven members, adding one professor, or associate or assistant professor, and one doctor of chiropody to the board. Increases Colorado residency requirement of each member appointed to the board from one year to three years. Provides that any chiropodist licensed on or after July 1, 1967, to practice chiropody in this state shall be subject to the provisions of "The Basic Sciences Act, 1937".

April 19

July 1

1221 Elections - female electors. Deletes provision that female elector need state only that she is 21 years of age or older, when registering to vote. All persons, when registering to vote, shall give their date of birth instead of stating their age.

March 31

March 31

Insurance - sale by vending machine prohibited. Prohibits the sale on or after July 1, 1967, of insurance by means of any mechanical device or vending machine, but the act shall not prohibit the use of office machines in offices of insurance companies. Does not apply to policies of insurance issued prior to said date.

April 28 July 1

1225 Land surveys and surveyors.

Effective July 1, 1967: Authorizes state board of registration for professional engineers to make reciprocal agreements with other jurisdictions for registration of land surveyors. Provides for investigation of surveyors by board and for disciplinary action as a result thereof. Excludes from regulation certain employees of registered surveyors and certain federal surveyors. Adds new articles to chapter 136, C.R.S. 1963, concerning minimum standards for land surveys and plats and establishing the "Colorado Coordinate System", based on that of the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Effective January 1, 1968: Increases fees for renewal of registrations from \$5 to an amount not to exceed \$20; and provides for penalties for late renewals.

Effective July 1, 1968: Changes name of board to the state board of registration for professional engineers and land surveyors, and requires that at least two members thereof also be registered land surveyors having been in charge of survey work for at least five years each. Includes under regulated survey work the measurement of condominiums, the restoration and preservation of land survey monuments and bench marks, and the determination of elevations. Specifies that examination of applicants for registration shall be two eight-hour exams, and amends qualifications for registration to recognize vocational education. Increases registration fees from \$25 to \$40, and increases re-examination fee from \$15 to \$20. Adds new article to chapter 136, C.R.S. 1963, concerning the rehabilitation and perpetuation of land survey monuments.

June 12 See above for effective dates

- 1226 Veterinary medicine. Repeals and re-enacts article 1 of chapter 145, C.R.S. 1963, relating to veterinarians. Pertinent provisions of the new law are as follows:
 - a. Provides that no person may practice veterinary medicine without a license, and no person may practice artificial insemination without a license.
 - b. Provides that a state board of veterinary medicine

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- 1226 shall be appointed by the governor. The board consists of 5 cont. members appointed for 5-year terms; 4 members have to be licensed veterinarians, and 1 cannot be a veterinarian, but must be engaged in livestock production in this state. Board has power to examine and determine the qualifications of applicants, issue, suspend, or revoke licenses, regulate artificial insemination of animals, examine and issue licenses to persons to perform artificial insemination. Board has several other powers.
 - c. Sets forth licensing procedures and qualifications required of applicants for licenses.
 - d. Sets forth several grounds for revocation or suspension of licenses and provides procedures for hearing, notice, and judicial review with regard to revocation or suspension.
 - e. Provides procedures whereby a veterinarian can turn over to a humane society or dog pound animals that are left with him and are not claimed by the owner thereof in a certain period of time.

May 2

July 1

State board of agriculture - powers. Authorizes state board of agriculture to lease real and personal property owned by Colorado state university, for terms not exceeding 80 years, for research and development facilities; and also for nonprofit health and recreation facilities, dormitories, living, dining, classroom, laboratory, and group housing facilities, so long as no discrimination is practiced. Nothing in the act shall authorize the leasing of such property to any fraternity, sorority, or other social organization.

May 27

May 27

Supplemental appropriation - state board of stock inspection commissioners. For personal services - \$5,000.

March 14

March 14

Supplemental appropriation - game, fish, and parks department. For game damage prevention, control, and awards - \$50,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state university. For development of the university's accounting system - \$110,000.

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Supplemental appropriation - Colorado state home (Trinidad state nursing home). For personal services - \$4,500.

March 14 March 14

Supplemental appropriation - welfare department. To the state department of public welfare for medical assistance to the aged (\$1,289,818), and for aid to the needy disabled (\$320,123) - \$1,609,941.

May 27 May 27

Supplemental appropriation - state department of public health. For operating expenses - \$26,530.

March 14 March 14

Supplemental appropriation - division of water resources. For personal services - \$36,126.

March 14 March 14

1237 Supplemental appropriation - civil defense agency. For personal services - \$1,892.

March 28 March 28

Tuberculosis. Repeals and re-enacts article 12 of chapter 66, C.R.S. 1963, regarding tuberculosis. Law now requires chief medical health officers to investigate suspected cases of tuberculosis, and gives such officers full powers of inspection, examination, quarantine, or isolation. Gives such officers power to direct that a person submit to an examination. Removes provision in the law regarding disinfection of premises and tubercular nuisances.

June 8 June 8

Aid to indigent and outpatient tuberculars. Adds provisions authorizing aid to outpatient tuberculars as well as to indigent tuberculars.

May 27 May 27

Jury service - persons exempt. Removes as exempt from jury service persons engaged as officers in the active management of railroads, telephone or telegraph companies, railroad engineers, conductors, and superintendents. Exempts editors and reporters engaged in broadcasting. Persons who are 70 or older, rather than 60, as formerly provided, are not required to serve as jurors. This act contains an incomplete sentence which deals with the exemption of persons from jury service

Subject

1241 because of the person's health or the illness or death of a cont. member of such person's immediate family. Provides that jurors who are selected to serve shall be given notice by certified mail, rather than by registered mail, as formerly required, and that the return receipt showing delivery shall be deemed prima facie evidence of service. Formerly, personal delivery of the notice to the juror was required for prima facie evidence of service.

April 26 April 26

Savings and loan associations - annual reports. Provides that in lieu of mailing a report of its financial condition to its members on or before March 1 of each year, a savings and loan association may publish such report in a newspaper of general circulation.

April 20 July 1

Agriculture - amendments to "The Nursery Act of 1965". Changes 1243 the definitions of orchard plants, place of business, botanical name, and adds definitions of etiolated growth, balled and burlapped stock, bare-root stock, packaged stock, container stock. and stop-sale order. Changes grade and size specifications of nursery stock. Provides that it shall be the duty of the commissioner of agriculture or his agents to issue a stop-sale order to any person offering nursery stock for sale in violation of the act, or the rules or regulations promulgated pursuant thereto. Sets forth storage and display conditions for bare-root stock, balled and burlapped stock, container stock, and package stock. Commissioner, rather than agriculture commission, is given power to issue certain rules and regulations. Commissioner and his agents are given power to enter premises where nursery stock is kept in order to carry out the provisions of the act. Provides penalties for violations.

June 8 June 8

1245 Bees and bee products. Act corrects an error in the definition of the word "disease" as used in the law relating to bees and bee products.

March 28 March 28

Intoxicating liquors - shipments or delivery in interstate commerce. Provides that nothing contained in 75-2-3 (3) and (17), C.R.S. 1963, relating to the prohibition of the sale or delivery of intoxicating liquors on certain days, shall apply to sales, shipments, or deliveries made in interstate commerce to a wholesaler by a manufacturer of intoxicating liquors.

March 28 March 28

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cannot exceed one year.

District judges - fourth judicial district - rotation between the eastern and western divisions of said district. Removes the provisions in the law requiring one judge be elected as judge of the eastern division of the 4th judicial district, and 5 judges be elected as judges of the western division of said district, and that the judges must maintain their residences in the divisions for which they are elected. Provides that the court shall by rule designate which judge of the district shall serve as judge of the eastern division thereof,

and prescribes the period of time that he shall serve, which

April 20 April 20

Sales tax credit - refund - time limitation. Provides limitation on filing of applications for sales tax credits or refunds on purchases of food. Applications must be filed within 24 months after end of the taxable year for which the credit or refund is claimed.

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Legal investments - obligations of Inter-American Development

Bank. Authorizes banks, trust companies, savings banks, savings and loan associations, insurance companies, credit unions, public bodies or officers, or any other person, to invest any funds in the obligations of the Inter-American Development Bank.

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Sewage treatment works - state aid to local units of government. Authorizes water pollution control commission to enter into contracts with any county, sanitation district, water and sanitation district, city and county, city, town, or any two or more jointly, to provide state assistance, not to exceed 30% of the cost of the project, in conjunction with federal assistance, for the construction of sewage treatment works. Authorizes commission to provide continuing technical assistance to such local units in the operation of such works to comply with stream pollution control requirements.

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Hospital districts - tax levy. Repeals additional 2 mill levy for construction of capital improvements that may be levied by hospital districts having an assessed valuation on real and personal property of \$15,000,000 or less. Provides that the board of a hospital district, of any valuation, contracting bonded indebtedness not to exceed 3 per cent of total assessed valuation within the district to be paid within a 20-year period from the date of incurring such indebtedness, is authorized to levy on all taxable property within the district, without limitation as to rate or amount, for purposes of retiring

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1260 said indebtedness created in accordance with the provisions cont. of section 89-14-10, C.R.S. 1963, which relates to submission of the creation of indebtedness to voters.

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Supplemental appropriation - office of the state controller. For payment of salary survey adjustments pursuant to 26-1-1, C.R.S. 1963, and to pay for position reclassifications, and accompanying retirement contributions - \$88,938.

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Courts - changes required by 1966 constitutional amendment.

Amends several sections of the law in order to implement constitutional amendment no. 3, adopted at the 1966 general election, regarding the selection, tenure, removal, or retirement of justices of the supreme court and judges of certain courts of record. This act is mainly a "housekeeping bill".

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Public hospitals owned by counties and cities and counties -1266 Provides that any hospital charges for professional services. owned and operated by a county, or by a city and county, having a population in excess of 250,000, and meeting certain accreditation requirements, may employ physicians and surgeons licensed in this state, for the performance of professional services in such hospital or in a related outpatient facility located within the geographical confines of such hospital, and which facility is owned by the county or city and county. Charges for the services rendered by such physicians and surgeons, are to be collected by the hospital, in the name of the physician or surgeon, and placed in a special fund, which shall be used to pay the compensation of the physicians and surgeons so employed, and for the payment of consultation fees to other doctors not so employed, or directly to physicians and surgeons who are directly engaged in medical research or education.

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Workmen's compensation. Increases the amount of medical aid that an employer has to furnish in the 6-month period after an injury from \$3500 to \$5000. Permits an employee, within 2 years after having been furnished glasses, or a hearing aid, or prosthetic device by the employer, to petition the commission for a replacement on the grounds he has undergone an anatomical change; formerly, the employer's obligation in this regard was discharged upon furnishing the item needed. Makes the following increases in benefits:

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1267 Weekly death benefits - Maximum from \$49 to \$54.25; minimum cont. from \$11.50 to \$13; maximum in cases where there are wholly dependent children, from \$59.50 to \$65.50.

Aggregate maximum death from injury benefits if there are wholly dependent persons at the time of death - From \$15,337 to \$16,980.25; if said dependents are wholly dependent children - from \$18,623.50 to \$20,501.50.

Temporary disability of more than 7 days duration - Maximum from \$49 to \$54.25, minimum from \$11.50 to \$13.

Temporary partial disability, in case of injury resulting in Maximum from \$49 to \$54.25; maximum aggregate from \$6,370 to \$7.052.50.

Aggregate maximum permanent partial disability - From \$12,740 to \$14,170.

Aggregate maximum permanent and totally disabled - From \$15,288 to \$16,926.

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Colorado Occupational Disease Disability Act - increase in benefits. Increases benefits for occupational disease to the same amounts provided for workmen's compensation in H.B. 1267, digested above. Also permits the same lump sum compensation therefor as for workmen's compensation.

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1272 Institutions of higher learning - classification of students for tuition purposes. Changes the definition of "in-state student" to provide that attendance at an institution of higher learning, whether public or private, within Colorado is not alone sufficient to qualify for Colorado domicile. Creates new classification of student - "parent-qualified student". Provides that upon moving to Colorado, an adult employed on a fulltime basis within the state may apply for in-state tuition classification for his spouse or any dependent minor children; formerly this privilege was limited to such adult's minor chil-The adult or his spouse shall not be eligible for instate tuition classification if the motive for coming to Colorado was education of the adult or spouse. Establishment of a Colorado domicile by a parent of a parent-qualified student shall entitle the student to in-state tuition rates. Provides for change in status of emancipated minors.

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Insurance - partial payment of claims. Provides for voluntary partial payment and settlement of claims for injury or property damage without such payment being construed as an admission of fault or liability, or as a waiver or release of claim by the person receiving such payment. No such payment shall be admissible in any action to determine the amount of damages for such injury or damage; nor shall it reduce the amount of damages to be pleaded and proved in court. Any such payment shall be deductible from any final judgment, but if the final judgment be less than such payment, no repayment of the excess shall be recoverable.

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1278 School boards - powers. Removes limitations on powers of boards of education to sell or lease property of their school districts, and deletes use of facilities by community organizations.

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1279 Public schools - boards of cooperative services. Removes limitations on classification or size of school districts which may join together to establish boards of cooperative services. quires certification of any such formation to the commissioner of education and requires such boards to seek assistance from said commissioner and from vocational education board (or its successor) in the establishment of a plan of organization. moves maximum limit on number of members of board of cooperative services, but requires each school district to have one representative on the board. Provides for amendment of organization to admit other districts, requires board meetings at least quarterly, and defines the necessary quorum required to transact business. Allows real and personal property to be held in the names of two or more participating school districts instead of all participating districts, and adds contractual powers to those of the board. Allows any participating school district to refrain from participating in any specific activity of the board, and allows any such school district to withdraw from a board of cooperative services after notice and after completing any contractual obligations. Allows any board of cooperative services to dissolve after completion of all contracts and discharge of its obligations.

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Public schools - contractual powers of districts. Provides that contractual services performed for a school district shall be comparable in quality and shall meet the same standards as if performed by the school district, except that such shall not apply to adult education programs or programs for the mentally retarded or seriously handicapped.

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1281 Budgets of school districts and junior college districts.

Corrects terminology in statute, by changing the term "unencumbered moneys" to "unencumbered appropriation".

June 17 June 17

Colorado geological survey. Abolishes the geological survey board, and makes the Colorado geological survey a division under the coordinator of natural resources. Provides that the state geologist shall be the director of the survey. Places the state geologist under civil service, and prescribes his qualifications. Main purposes of the survey now is to provide assistance to and cooperate with the general public, industries, and agencies of state government, in pursuit of the following objectives: Assist and advise on geologic problems; promote economic development of mineral resources; conduct studies of geologic information; inventory and analyze the state's mineral resources; collect and preserve geologic information; evaluate the physical features of the state with reference to present and potential human and animal use; determine areas of natural geologic hazards.

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County superintendent of schools - amendments concerning abolition of office. Provides that when the board of county commissioners decides to place the question of the abolition of the office of county superintendent of schools on the ballot, it must file its resolution with the county clerk not later than 120, rather than 90 days prior to the general election. Where the qualified electors petition to have such question placed on the ballot, the petition must be filed with the county clerk at least 90, rather than 120 days prior to the general election. Deletes several minor duties of county superintendents of schools, and provides that certain duties of the county superintendent, if office is abolished, shall be assumed by the local school districts.

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Highway flood disaster relief fund - distribution of fund. Requires that moneys in the highway flood disaster relief fund be distributed as follows: 50% of such moneys shall be apportioned between the counties in the proportion that the number of dollars received by each county from the highway users tax fund distribution for 1966 bears to the number of dollars received by all counties from said distribution; 50% shall be distributed to municipalities on the same basis as distribution to the counties. For the purposes of the act, the city and county of Denver is considered a municipality. Repeals 138-2-24 through 138-2-27, C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), and sections 1 and 2 of chapter 13, Session Laws of Colorado 1966,

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1289 relating to the additional excise tax on motor fuels and the cont. creation of the highway flood disaster relief fund.

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- 1291 <u>Public schools teacher tenure employment dismissal.</u> Rewrites teacher tenure law, making the following major changes:
 - a. Requires any person employed as a teacher, except in junior colleges or in adult education programs, to possess a valid teacher's certificate or letter of authorization.
 - b. Requires school districts to adopt a salary schedule applicable to all teachers of the district, taking into consideration the teacher's education and experience.
 - c. Provides for withholding of liquidated damages by the school district of up to 1/12th of a teacher's annual salary if the teacher fails to perform his contract, and provides for the suspension of the teacher's certificate or letter of authorization in such cases.
 - d. Clarifies a teacher's eligibility for tenure status upon completion of 3 academic years of employment and upon reemployment by the district for the fourth academic year.
 - e. Clarifies many provisions as to rights of tenure teachers concerning causes for suspension or discharge; requirements for hearings, including selection of a hearing panel, and other procedures; continuation of employment and preservation of tenure upon reorganization and certain other changes in school district boundaries; transfers of teachers; and retirement.

June 16 July 1

Sale of livestock - technical amendment. This act amends article 10 of chapter 8, C.R.S. 1963, relating to the sale of livestock, so that wherever the word "stock" or the term "neat stock" appears in said article, the word "livestock" is substituted therefor.

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Brand inspection - waiver of fees therefor in certain instances. This act repeals and re-enacts 8-3-1 (2), C.R.S. 1963, relating to the waiver of brand inspection fees under certain circumstances. Said subsection is amended to provide as follows: When any person who owns, or has had under his control by lease or grazing permit for not less than 5 years, a headquarters ranch or farm, and who moves any cattle, horses, or mules from such headquarters place to another grazing or feeding ground,

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also owned by such person, or controlled by him by lease or by cont. grazing permit for not less than 5 years; or when such person moves any cattle, mules, or horses from such grazing or feeding ground within this state to his headquarters ranch or farm in this state; such person may apply to the state board of stock inspection commissioners for, and may be granted, a brand inspection fee waiver permit, irrespective of the fact that such headquarters ranch or farm and such other grazing or feeding grounds are more than 75 miles apart, or that said grazing or feeding grounds are outside this state. If such brand inspection waiver fee permit is granted, it shall entitle the permittee to move cattle, horses, or mules for grazing or feeding purposes, and with no change in ownership involved, between such headquarters ranch or farm and such other grazing or feeding grounds, with no charge for brand inspection, and no collection of a beef board fee. If such livestock are moved outside this state, the permittee must guarantee that if they are not returned to the Colorado ranch or farm, the permittee will immediately pay the required brand inspection and beef board fee to the state board of stock inspection commissioners.

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1301 General property tax - documentary fee on conveyances of real property. Imposes a documentary fee on each deed or instrument presented for recording in the office of the county clerk and recorder, whereby title to real property in this state is granted Said fee shall be based upon the total consideraor conveyed. tion paid or to be paid for such conveyance, thereby providing the county assessor with an accurate measure of the value of such property and to provide him with a means of valuing property by a comparison with other properties of known or recognized value. When the consideration for any such conveyance exceeds \$500, the fee shall be one cent for each \$100 or major fraction thereof. For lesser considerations, no fee shall be required. Provides for the imprinting of the amount of said fee on the deed or instrument prior to recording thereof. Exempts from said fee conveyances from governmental agencies, gifts of property, public trustees' deeds, treasurers' deeds, sheriffs' deeds, corrective deeds, deeds to cemetery lots, executory contracts of sale, leases of property, security instruments, conveyances of future interests, decrees or orders of courts of record, documents necessary to convey title to property as a result of the death of an owner, and mineral deeds or royalty deeds. Prohibits the recording of any deed or conveyance not exempted until the required documentary fee is paid. Provides penalties for violations of act. Requires assessor to review annually all documents recorded on which a documentary fee has been paid and to determine the total consideration involved, and to maintain a record of such information for use in the valuation of property in the county.

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1301 Act contains no safety clause, therefore is subject to cont. referendum petitions to refer the same to the people at the next general election.

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General property tax - miscellaneous amendments. Makes several 1306 technical amendments to correct language and references. quires the actual value of agricultural lands, exclusive of improvements thereon, to be determined by consideration of the earning or productive capacity thereof over a reasonable period of time, capitalized at commonly accepted rates. Requires the filing of an annual report, not later than April 15, with the tax commission, by owners of property exempt from taxation on religious, educational, or charitable grounds, for a determination by the commission of continued eligibility for such exemp-Failure to file such report may result in denial of such an exemption for the year in which due. If any such property no longer qualifies for its exemption, the tax commission shall notify the owner thereof, and the assessor, treasurer, and board of county commissioners of the county in which the land is locat-If any exemption has been granted based upon false or misleading information, the exemption shall be revoked by the commission and the taxes and penalty interest for the year or years affected shall be assessed against said property. Provides for judicial review of a decision by the tax commission granting, denying, or revoking an exemption. Provides for public inspection of a copy of the current tax roll and warrant. Makes minor corrective changes in dates for certain tax procedures. Repeals requirement that the assessor or his deputy shall call upon any owner of taxable personal property to obtain a personal property tax schedule from said owner, and repeals other provisions no longer applicable.

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Inheritance tax - transfer of assets without tax release. Provides that the first \$1,000, rather than the first \$500, of certain types of assets may be transferred without obtaining an inheritance tax release. Provides that such assets having a value in excess of \$1,000 must not be transferred without obtaining an inheritance tax release, but if any such asset having a value in excess of \$500 is transferred to any person by a bank, company, or person, or to such person's agent without an inheritance tax release, the transferor must file a report with the attorney general which must contain certain required information.

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School districts financial transactions. Removes the power of school districts to contract to expend moneys during the fiscal year, in certain instances, and provides that any such contract

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1312 shall be entirely void. Act permits the board of education of cont. school districts to enter into a contract for administrative services with a term not to exceed 5 years or for capital outlay purposes in accordance with 139-61-1, C.R.S. 1963, concerning long-term rental or leasehold agreements.

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1319 Coal - natural resources coordinator authorized to contract with school of mines to conduct research. Authorizes natural resources coordinator to contract with the Colorado school of mines to develop and conduct research concerning production and utilization of coal, markets for coal of the western United States (especially Colorado), and development in fields related to the coal industry. Authorizes the coordinator to contract with, and accept grants from, the office of coal research of the department of interior. Appropriates \$25,000 to carry out purposes of the act, which moneys are to become available upon passage of the act.

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1322 Local improvement and service districts - records relating thereto. The duties imposed on the Colorado tax commission under 89-17-1, C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), to maintain records concerning local improvement and service districts are shifted to the division of local government. Requires the clerk and recorder of the county wherein formation or dissolution of a district takes place to forward notice thereof to the division of local government, not to the Colorado tax commission, as was formerly required, before the formation or dissolution shall become effective. Repeals 89-10-2, C.R.S. 1963 (1965 Supp.), relating to certain budget and other information required to be furnished by such districts to the Colorado tax commission.

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1323 Municipal corporations - division of local government to maintain file thereof. Requires the division of local government to establish and maintain, as a public record, a file listing by name all incorporated towns, cities, or cities and counties, with the date of incorporation, and recording by legal description all changes in the boundaries of such municipalities. Requires such municipalities to submit to the division of local government the necessary information to establish the file. Provides that no annexation, consolidation, merger, or detachment of any area, new incorporation, or dissolution of an existing municipality shall be effective until notice of the completion of such action with a legal description accompanied by a map of the area concerned is filed with and recorded by the clerk and recorder of the county where such action takes place. Clerk and recorder is required to forward a copy of such

1323 documents to the division of local government. Requires divicont. sion of local government, on or before July 1 of each year, to send out requests for certain information to municipalities having a population of less than 1,000.

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Appropriation - Fremont county. For costs incurred by Fremont county in criminal cases involving inmates of the state penitentiary, for the period January 1, 1965, to December 31, 1965 - \$3,111.70.

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Industrial commission - investment of funds. Amends authority of state treasurer to invest, in addition to the state compensation insurance fund, any other funds under the jurisdiction of the industrial commission, and amends other relevant provisions of law accordingly.

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Medical disaster insurance fund - increase in tax on premiums. Increases the rate of tax on workmen's compensation and occupational disease disability premiums from one-half of one per cent to seventy-five hundredths of one per cent. Repeals the provision that an employer or his insurance carrier, in the determination of permanent disability of a claimant, receives no credit for reduction in disability unless it is determined that the employer has paid weekly benefits or wages in lieu of weekly benefits based upon permanent disability, or that the claimant failed to file a claim within 2 years of the accident or manifestation of disease.

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Soil conservation districts - powers and duties. Gives soil conservation districts power to acquire real property by eminent domain for projects designed exclusively for flood control or sediment control, as authorized under P.L. 566 of the 83rd congress. Such power may not be exercised until at least two-thirds of the resident landowners, owning at least 50% of the privately owned lands in the watershed area, as established by the watershed work plan map, shall, by petition filed with the board of supervisors of the district, approve the exercise of such power for any specified project.

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1329 'Criminal Sentencing Act of 1967". Provides that the warden, defined in the act as the chief correctional officer at either

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1329 the state penitentiary or the state reformatory, with the apcont. proval of the director of institutions, shall designate facilities which may be physically separate from the main premises of the penitentiary or reformatory which may be used for the following purposes: Honor farm or camp; vocational training or rehabilitation; pre-parole center; medical treatment or research center; and other uses that might aid the institution. Warden may extend the limits of confinement of any inmate, by allowing him to travel to and from, and visit, at a specified place or places, for a period not to exceed 30 days, for the following purposes: To visit a member of the inmate's immediate family who is in danger of death; to attend the funeral of the inmate's immediate family; to obtain health services not available to the inmate at a state institution; to interview prospective employers; to work at paid employment, under certain con-If the inmate works at paid employment for which a subsistence allowance is paid, he must pay over to the warden all moneys earned from such employment, but the inmate may keep some of such compensation to provide for necessary expenses. Remainder of moneys shall be distributed by the warden for certain stated purposes.

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1331 County judges - assistant in Eagle county. Changes the official residence and chambers of the assistant county judge in Eagle county from Minturn to within a five-mile radius of a certain legally described point in Eagle county.

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Amendments to "Proprietary School Act of 1966". 1332 Changes the provision in the law regarding private degree granting universities and colleges which are not to be included in the definition of a proprietary school. Provides that there may be only one surety on an agent's bond; formerly there could be more than one surety on said bond. Provides that regardless of the number of years that an agent's bond is in force, the aggregate liability of the surety bond shall not exceed the penal sum of the Provides that such surety bond may be continuous. Provides that any person having a claim against an agent may file a claim with the state board for vocational education. procedure for consideration of the claim, and if the board cannot effect a settlement of the claim, the board shall make a demand upon the principal on the agent's bond and the surety thereon, and if the demand is not paid, the board shall bring an action on the bond. Provides that there may be only one surety on the bond of a proprietary school; formerly, there could be more than one. Changes the circumstances indemnified against in the school's surety bond, and extends the indemnification to a student's or enrollee's parent or guardian. vides same procedure with regard to claims against the school as is provided for claims against agents. Provides for the

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1332 obtaining of an injunction for violations of the act or rules cont. and regulations issued pursuant thereto, but no ex parte restraining order may be obtained in any such proceeding.

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Racing - standardbred harness horses. Act authorizes the con-1333 duct of standardbred harness horse race meets. Provides that licenses may be issued to conduct not more than 3 such race meets in any one year at a race track specifically designed for the racing of no other animals than standardbred harness horses, but such meets may not be held on the same dates as race meets authorized for other animals that are held within 40 miles of the standardbred harness horse track. Also provides that licenses may be issued to conduct standardbred harness horse race meets at any horse track which is not within 40 miles of any type of horse track. Tracks licensed for standardbred harness horse racing must be at least 40 miles apart from one another, but may be located within 40 miles of other types of horse tracks. In either event, they shall be subject to the above limitations as to dates on which such harness race meets can be held.

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Fermented malt beverages - licenses. Depending on the type of license applied for, licenses to sell fermented malt beverages shall be restricted by local licensing authorities to the following uses: Sales for consumption off the premises; or sales for consumption on the premises; or sales for consumption both on and off the premises. The act does not apply to any license issued or applied for prior to July 1, 1967, nor to a renewal or reissuance thereof.

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Convicts - good time credits granted by warden of state penitentiary. Warden at state penitentiary may grant convicts additional good time credit, not to exceed 5 days for each calendar year remaining to be served, for meritorious service or donation of blood by a convict, or for outstanding performance of assigned tasks in correctional industries. Gives the warden power to restore to a convict all or any portion of good time credits which have been forfeited as a result of disciplinary action or provision of law.

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Appropriation - state penitentiary. Out of the penitentiary land permanent fund, for nonstructural improvements on lands of the penitentiary - \$18,000.

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Insurance companies - investments by domestic companies. Removes the provision in the law that domestic insurance may not make certain required investments in solvent mining corporations.

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Purchase or exchange of land by the state board of agriculture.

Excepts from the definition of "capital construction" and "prepreliminary planning" contained in 3-3-10, C.R.S. 1963, purchases or exchanges of land by the state board of agriculture in La Plata county that are necessary for the orderly development of the Fort Lewis campus, which exception expires July 1, 1968. The expiration date for the present exceptions regarding Colorado State University or the headquarters station of the Colorado agricultural experiment station, is changed from July 1, 1965, to July 1, 1968.

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Schools - detachment and annexation of territory. This act amends "The School District Organization Act of 1965", and removes the limitation that a school district must have an enrollment of over 1500 when annexing or detaching territory.

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Taxation - uniform date for the certifications to board of county commissioners of tax levies of special districts. Act provides that the boards of directors of most local improvement and service districts must certify to the proper board of county commissioners the rate of the district's tax levy not later than October 15 of each year. Formerly, the date was not uniform for all districts.

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Game and fish - licenses and fees. Provides for the following new types of licenses: Resident and nonresident sportsman's license, which includes deer, elk, fishing, small game, bear, and mountain lion; nonresident antelope license; resident buffalo license; nonresident turkey license; and nonresident trapper's license. Changes period of short-term nonresident fishing license from 5 to 10 days. Fees for licenses are changed as follows: Resident sportsman's license - \$35; nonresident sportsman's license - \$135; resident elk - from \$10 to \$12.50; nonresident elk - from \$50 to \$75; resident deer - from \$7.50 to \$10; nonresident deer - from \$40 to \$50; nonresident antelope - \$50; resident mountain lion - from \$5 to \$25; nonresident mountain lion - from \$10 to \$50; nonresident bear - from \$10 to \$25; resident mountain sheep - from \$25 to \$40; resident mountain goat - from \$25 to \$40; resident buffalo - \$200; resident small game - from \$2 to \$4; nonresident small game - from \$10 to \$15; nonresident turkey - \$10;

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1353 resident fishing - from \$4 to \$6; resident combined small game cont. and fishing - from \$5 to \$7.50; nonresident 10-day (formerly 5-day) fishing - from \$3.50 to \$5; nonresident trapper's license - \$25.

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Game, fish, and parks department - remove fee for resident trapper's license. Removes from section 62-6-10, C.R.S. 1963, provision for \$2 fee for a resident trapper's license, to eliminate conflict with fee provisions in 62-3-4, C.R.S. 1963, as amended by H.B. 1353.

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January 1, 1968

Game, fish and parks department - hunting licenses. Provides that it is a misdemeanor to procure or use more than one hunting license in any one year unless specifically authorized, or to use any tag after it has been used once. The fee for a second nonresident deer license is increased from \$7.50 to \$10, and the fee for a second resident deer license is increased from \$5 to \$7.50.

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January 1, 1968

Game - archery hunting licenses. Provides for the issuance of licenses to hunt elk and antelope, as well as deer, with bow and arrow. Following changes in fees are made for hunting with bow and arrow: Resident deer - from \$5 to \$7.50; nonresident deer - from \$10 to \$25; resident elk - \$10; nonresident elk - \$25; resident antelope - \$10; and nonresident antelope - \$25.

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January 1, 1968

1357 Game and fish - sale of licenses. Provides that the game, fish, and parks commission shall pay to those persons who sell hunting and fishing licenses and permits 5% of all moneys collected for licenses and permits sold. Formerly, the payment was 25¢ for each license or permit sold.

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Disposition of cattle reacting or responding to tuberculin test. Provides that all cattle that react to the tuberculin test shall be classified as reactor cattle and are to be disposed of in accordance with present law, except that certain cattle that respond to the test, depending on the degree of response, herd history, and other factors, may be classified as suspect animals. Suspect animals are held for such further observation and inspection as the commissioner of agriculture deems necessary to ascertain the causes of any questionable responses to

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1359 such test. Depending on the outcome of such tests and observacont. tion, the commissioner shall order suspect animals disposed of as he sees fit. Suspect animals that are determined to be nontubercular may be released by the commissioner.

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Appropriation - Colorado law enforcement academy. For constructing, equipping, and furnishing the Colorado law enforcement academy - \$414,548. Appropriation becomes available on effective date of act, and all federal funds allocated for said project are to be credited to the capital construction fund, out of which the appropriation is made. Repeals 1965 appropriation of \$313,000, which was contingent upon the availability of federal funds.

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1372 State funds - loans to state departments, agencies, and institutions. Repeals and re-enacts law concerning the lending of state funds to the department of highways. Provides that the state treasurer may lend certain state funds to any state institution, agency, or department to provide temporary working capital required to conduct and carry on auxiliary and business type enterprises, and which are not financed by appropriated Such loans require prior approval of the governor and the state controller as to purpose and amount. The term of any such loan cannot exceed 180 days, and the loan shall bear interest at the then prevailing federal rediscount rate. Provides that during the last quarter of any fiscal year, upon written approval of the governor, funds may be transferred from the general cash revolving fund and placed to the credit of any state institution, agency, or department to enable them to make prompt payment of budgeted expenditures which have previously been submitted to the controller for approval under 3-3-2 (24), C.R.S. 1963. Any such transfers must be restored to the credit of the general cash revolving fund within 30 days of the next ensuing fiscal year.

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Landscape architects. Creates a state board of examiners of landscape architects, consisting of 3 members appointed by the governor, to license and regulate persons engaged in the practice of landscape architecture. Provides for the qualifications and examination of applicants for licensing as landscape architects, for the issuance and renewal of licenses, for certain exemptions from regulation, and for disciplinary proceedings against any licensee violating the terms of the act. Provides misdemeanor penalties for certain violations. Establishes the "landscape architects' examining board fund", to which 90% of all license and examination fees shall be credited, the

remaining 10% of which shall be credited to the general fund. cont. Provides injunctive relief for the enforcement of the act.

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January 1, 1968

Municipal annexation - approval of school board required - when. 1376 Provides that when an annexation under the "Municipal Annexation Act of 1965" will result in the detachment of territory from a school district and attachment of the same to another school district, no annexation resolution, annexation petition, or petition for an annexation election, shall be valid unless accompanied by a resolution of the board of directors of the school district to which such territory will be attached, approving such annexation.

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1377 Sales taxes - limit on refunds. Provides that refunds of sales taxes paid by persons entitled to an exemption shall be limited to the amount of sales taxes paid less the vendor's allowance.

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Sales and use tax - what constitutes doing business in this 1378 state. Defines what constitutes "doing business in this state" for the purposes of liability for sales and use taxes. The term is defined as "the selling, leasing, or delivering in this state, or any activity in this state in connection with the selling, leasing, or delivering in this state, of tangible personal property by a retail sale for use, storage, distribution, or consumption within this state". Term includes but is not limited to the maintenance of a place of business in this state, directly or indirectly, and the solicitation of business in this state by any one of several stated means.

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Game, fish, and parks - hunting of birds. Prohibits the hunt-1380 ing, as well as the killing or catching, of wild birds protected by law, except game birds, and as permitted by law or regulations of the game, fish, and parks commission. Excludes crows, magpies, starlings, sparrows, and pigeons, their nests and eggs, from protection of law. Authorizes game, fish, and parks commission, by regulation, to permit the killing or taking of protected birds upon a finding that the same are injurious to health, safety, or property, or to destroy their nests in cases of nuisances or hazards. Repeals listing of game birds, and provisions concerning permits for scientific purposes.

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Crimes and punishments - burglary. Extends the definition of second degree burglary to apply to public or private buildings, railroad cars or trailers, and also extends the same to the entering, with or without force, of any telephone booth, vault, safe, cash register, coin vending machine, product dispenser, money depository, safety deposit box, coin telephone, or coin box. Also provides that second degree burglary shall include the willful entering of any telephone booth or partial enclosure containing a coin telephone with the intent to commit larceny therein.

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Public schools - boards of cooperative services. Authorizes expenditures of funds of school districts for cooperative services, out of any available moneys in any funds of the district which may be legally spent for such purposes. Authorizes joint or separate purchase or construction by school boards of facilities to provide such services, whether within or without the district.

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1397 Indemnification agreements in certain contracts. Provides that a provision in, or in connection with, or collateral to, a contract relative to the construction, alteration, repair, or maintenance of a building, structure, or appurtenance, to the extent it purports to indemnify any person, other than the owner, of an interest in the land or improvements to which such contract relates, against liability for damages arising out of bodily injury to persons or damage to property caused by the negligence of the indemnitee, his agents, or employees, is void and unenforceable. Provides that a provision in such contracts to the extent it requires the promisor to secure or obtain indemnity from third persons for the protection of any person, other than such an owner as described above, from the negligence of the indemnitee, or his agents, or employees, is void. Certain contracts are exempted from the provisions of the act.

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Health insurance - state employees and officials. Main purpose of this act is to amend the "State Employees and Officials Group Health Insurance Act" to permit coverage of eligible employees under supplemental plans, which are plans to reimburse or pay the cost of hospital and medical care in excess of or supplemental to medicare.

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Local improvement districts - irrigation districts - exclusion 1401 of territory included in municipalities. Amends article 16 of chapter 89, C.R.S. 1963, as amended, to permit the exclusion of territory which is included within the limits of a municipality from specified local improvement districts. Formerly, such exclusion was permitted only if the territory was annexed to a municipality. Also adds the following to list of types of districts from which such lands may be excluded: Water or sanitation districts; and water and sanitation districts. Adds additional requirements which must be determined by the court prior to its ordering the exclusion of any such territory. Authorizes any such district to impose such charges, fees, and tolls within the area of the district prior to the exclusion, which may be necessary to supplement tax revenues to pay off outstanding indebtedness of the district at the time of such exclusion.

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Lien for hospital care. Provides that hospitals licensed by the department of public health that furnish services to persons injured as the result of the negligence or other wrongful act of another, and who are not covered under workmen's compensation, shall have a lien for necessary charges for hospital care upon the net amount payable to the injured person or his heirs, out of any moneys collected as damages for the injuries sustained. Applies only to hospital charges incurred prior to any judgment, settlement, or compromise. Provides procedure for giving notice of such lien and for the enforcement thereof. Hospital claiming a lien, under certain circumstances, and when requested, must furnish an itemized statement of the charges for which a lien is claimed.

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Inheritance and gift taxes - powers of appointment and powers of attorney. Provides that with regard to a general power of appointment received by deed, which power may be exercised to pass immediately the property subject thereto, the transfer shall be taxed for inheritance tax purposes as a present transfer of the absolute ownership in the property, but if the power is exercisable only in such a manner that the property subject thereto cannot pass until a future time, then the transfer is taxed to the donee as a vested remainder interest in the property.

Provides that with regard to a vested general power of appointment received by will, or vested special power of appointment by will or by deed, with respect to the property or any part thereof, the transfer shall not be a taxable transfer for inheritance tax purposes; but whenever any property derived from such powers of appointment passes at or after the death of

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1403 the donee of the power, whether by exercise or lapse of the cont. power, a taxable transfer is deemed to have taken place from the donee of the power to the appointee or taker in default. If any gift, inheritance, estate, or other transfer tax shall have been paid previously to the state upon the next prior transfer of the property or the property from which the property was derived, or upon the power itself, such tax shall be a credit on the present transfer.

Provides that where property is transferred subject to contingencies or conditions whereby the transfer may be wholly or partly created, defeated, extended, or abridged, the inheritance tax shall be imposed at the highest rate which would probably become payable under the circumstances. Upon the happening of such contingency or condition, a refund is authorized if the tax paid exceeds what is actually due. Upon the vesting of a contingent power of appointment, the amount of refund is based on the amount of tax payable if the power had been a vested power at the date of its creation.

Imposes a gift tax upon the exercise of a power of appointment by deed, if the property is thereby passed to a person other than the donee of the power. In the case of a vested special power, a credit is allowed against such tax equal to any gift, inheritance, estate, or other transfer tax previously paid to the state upon the prior transfer of such property. Provides that the release or nonexercise of a power of appointment shall not constitute a taxable transfer for purposes of gift taxation. Provides that no taxable transfer shall be deemed to take place upon the exercise of a power of appointment.

Completely rewrites the law on powers of appointment. Defines "power of appointment", "donor", "donee", "objects", "appointees", and "takers in default" with respect to such powers, and classifies such powers as general, special, by will and by deed. Distinguishes between and defines vested and contingent powers of appointment. Re-enacts provisions of prior law concerning releases of powers of appointment. Clarifies that a partial exercise of a power of appointment is permissive, that an exercise of a power may be in trust for beneficiaries, and retains existing law that a power shall not be considered exercised by a residuary clause unless such a clause expressly exercises the power. Re-enacts article on powers of attorney under different article number but does not change the present law.

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1409 Department of agriculture - divisions. Adds a division of inspection and consumer services to divisions under the department.

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1409 Deletes listing of functions of each division under the departcont. ment.

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Increases per diem compensation of mem-Collection agencies. 1414 bers of collection agency board from \$10 to \$25. Provides that when a corporation operating a collection agency changes its name, the change must be reported to the secretary of state within 30 days of such change, or the license issued to the corporation shall become void. If more than 10% of the stock of a corporation doing business as a collection agency changes ownership, the secretary of state must be notified within 30 days of such change, or the license issued to the corporation shall become void. Provides that upon the change of ownership of 50% or more of the stock of a corporation doing business as a collection agency, the license issued to the corporation shall become void, and its right to conduct business shall terminate, unless a new license is issued. Provides that when a license is revoked, cancelled, or not renewed, the district court has authority to appoint a receiver to wind up the affairs of the Provides that licensees cannot threaten, coerce, or infer consequences in which there is no truth, simulate legal process, or engage in misleading practices. Licensee cannot employ person convicted of fraud, embezzlement, or a crime involving moral turpitude, or any person who has defaulted in the payment of money collected for others. Licensees and their attorneys are prohibited from invoking cognovit provisions in a note without notice to the debtor as provided in the Rules of Civil Procedure. Provides that harassment of the employer of a debtor shall be considered invasion of privacy for which a civil action will lie. Licensees must maintain trust accounts for clients into which must be deposited within 48 hours, the client's share of collections; if the client's share is less than \$100, the deposit may be made weekly. Balance in account must be sufficient to pay clients what is owed to them. Licensees must submit copies of form notices and letters to the board for approval. Licensees are required to maintain an office with at least one full-time employee, and such office shall be open to the public.

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Insurance department - employees. Deletes the limitation on qualifications of senior insurance examiners which required three years' experience examining insurance companies in the insurance department of Colorado, and permits three years' experience in such examinations in any state insurance department.

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Repeal - licenses for agents of life insurance companies. Repeals 72-1-18 (8), C.R.S. 1963, relating to applications for agents' licenses received from life insurance companies and notices thereof to life insurance companies for which such agents are already authorized.

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Insurance - licensing of agents. Prohibits the licensing as an insurance agent any person convicted anywhere of a felony or a crime involving moral turpitude. Authorizes the insurance commissioner to require the submission of a complete set of fingerprints, certified to by a law enforcement officer, at the time of making application for an agent's license. Authorizes the commissioner to refuse to issue or to revoke the license of any person so convicted who has made a false statement in his application, or is otherwise unfit to serve as an agent.

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1426 Provides that an abortion may be performed by a Abortion. licensed physician in a hospital licensed by the Colorado department of public health under the following circumstances: A request for the abortion must be made by the woman involved, or if said woman is under 18, the request must be made by said woman and her parents or guardian, or if said woman is married and living with her husband, the request must be made by said woman and her husband. There must be a finding by all the members of a special hospital board, composed of three licensed physicians who are members of the staff of the hospital where the abortion is to be performed that: Continuation of the pregnancy, in their opinion, is likely to result in: of the woman; or the serious permanent impairment of the mental health of the woman as confirmed in writing by a licensed doctor specializing in psychiatry; or the birth of the child with grave and permanent physical deformity or mental retardation; or less than 16 weeks of gestation have passed and that the pregnancy resulted from rape, as defined in section 40-2-25 (1) (a), (c), (d), and (e), C.R.S. 1963 (all instances of 1st degree rape), or rape as defined in 40-2-25 (1) (a), (b), or (j), C.R.S. 1963 (instances of 1st and 3rd degree rape), if the female has not reached her 16th birthday at the time of the rape; or incest, as defined in section 40-9-4, C.R.S. 1963. In the case of incest or rape, the special hospital committee has to be informed by the district attorney of the judicial district where the violation is alleged to have occurred that there is probable cause to believe that the alleged violation occurred.

Provides penalties for abortions or pretended abortions that are not performed in accordance with the procedure outlined above, and provides that if a woman dies from any abortion or pretended abortion that is not so performed, the person shall be deemed guilty of murder.

1426 Provides that no hospital has to admit a patient in order cont. to perform an abortion, and no hospital is required to appoint the special hospital board required under the act.

Provides that a person may refuse to participate in performing an abortion if he states in writing moral or religious grounds for such refusal, and such refusal shall not constitute grounds for disciplinary action against such person.

Repeals section 40-2-23, C.R.S. 1963, the former abortion law.

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Labor - Workmen's Compensation Act" and "Colorado Occupational Disease Disability Act". Amends 81-3-2, 81-3-3, 81-4-4, and 81-18-8, C.R.S. 1963, so as to make an employer's insurance carrier subject to most of the provisions of said sections.

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Insurance - licenses not to be issued for securing commissions 1432 on controlled business. Provides that the insurance commissioner may not issue an agent's, solicitor's, or broker's license to any person if he believes that such person will use or has been using the license principally to secure commissions Controlled business is defined insuron controlled business. ance procured by such person on his own life, person or property, or those of his spouse or relatives by blood or marriage to the 2nd degree, or any person who has been, during the past 6 months his employer or employee. A license is deemed to have been used principally for the purpose of controlled business if during either of the two calendar years immediately preceding the request for renewal of the license, the aggregate amount of commissions from controlled business exceeded 25% of the aggregate amount of commissions, or, if the circumstances of the applicant for a license are such as to cause the commissioner to reasonably believe that during the 12-month period immediately following the issuance or renewal of a license, the commissions from controlled business would exceed 25% of the aggregate of all commissions. June 17 June 17

Roadside advertising. Permits advertising devices which advertise a business or profession which commenced operation subsequent to January 1, 1966, to be erected within 660 feet of the right-of-way of any Colorado interstate or primary high-

1435 roadside advertising, promulgated pursuant to federal or state cont. law, then such device shall be removed at the expense of the owner, but it may remain until the removal date specified by federal or state law. Temporary permits for such devices must be obtained from the department of highways for the erection of such devices. The erection of such a device shall have no effect on the basis for the determination of value under eminent domain proceedings required under federal or state law regarding roadside advertising. Temporary permit becomes invalid if the device for which it was issued does not conform to federal or state standards. Changes expiration date of 1966 act regarding roadside advertising from July 1, 1967, to July 1, 1968.

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Colorado state fair and industrial exposition - horse race meets. Provides that horse race meets conducted at the Colorado state fair and industrial exposition may be conducted for the duration thereof, not to exceed 9 days. Formerly, such meets could not exceed 6 days.

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Funeral contract trust funds. Provides that a savings and loan association which is a member of the federal savings and loan insurance corporation, and acting as an escrow agent, may be a trustee with which a contract seller deposits funds received from the sale of contracts. Provides that savings and loan associations, when acting as trustees, shall invest trust funds as is now provided by state law regarding the investment of funds and by federal law regarding such investments. Trust funds may be accepted by savings and loan associations only to the extent that the full amount thereof is insured by the federal savings and loan insurance corporation.

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Children - custody in divorce and separate maintenance actions. Provides that in a divorce or separate maintenance action, or a subsequent proceeding where either party seeks the custody of any minor child, neither party shall be presumed to be able to serve the best interests of the child because of sex. Provides that before awarding custody in any such action or proceeding, the court shall request the county or district welfare department or the court's probation department to investigate and file a report as to the ability of each party to serve the best interests of the child, and such report must be considered by the court in awarding custody. The cost of the investigation, up to a maximum of \$50, shall be assessed as part of the costs of the action or proceeding.

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Taxation - extension of date of filing sales and use tax returns. Changes the date of filing sales tax returns with the department of revenue from the 15th to the 20th day of the month. The date for filing use tax returns for persons conducting a business in this state is changed from the 15th to the 20th day of the month. Use tax returns for persons not conducting a business in this state are submitted annually and the tax paid at the time the Colorado income tax of such person is due and payable. Act applies to all reports due for periods commencing on or after October 1, 1967.

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Medicine. Provides for a \$30 per diem for members of the state board of medical examiners. Fee for application for license to practice medicine is increased from \$25 to \$35. Physical or mental disability as to render the licentiate unable to perform medical services with reasonable skill and with safety to the patient, is added as constituting unprofessional conduct. Persons may serve in an approved internship or residency in a Colorado hospital for an aggregate period of not more than 6 years, rather than 4 years, without a license to practice medicine or the payment of a fee. Fee for annual registration certificate is increased from \$2 to \$5. Provides for injunctive proceedings, through the attorney general's office, for violations of the provisions of chapter 91, C.R.S. 1963, relating to the practice of medicine.

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1448 Community colleges and occupational education. Establishes a state system of community and technical two-year colleges under the state board for community colleges and occupational education, consisting of nine members appointed by the governor. The board shall appoint an executive secretary, one director of community and technical colleges, and one director of occupational education. Such officers and any professional personnel employed by the directors shall be exempt from civil service of the state. Defines the powers and duties of the board, including the management of the state system of community and technical colleges. Effective July 1, 1967, transfers jurisdiction over junior colleges from the state board of education to the new board, and abolishes the state board for vocational education and transfers its functions to the new board.

Provides for the establishment of new state community colleges by the general assembly, each of which shall be under the control of a five-man college council appointed by the governor, except that if a junior college district elects to join the state system, the junior college committee shall constitute the first council. Provides procedures for the dissolution of any junior college district and the inclusion of

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1448 such junior college in the state system. cont.

Provides that the director of occupational education shall administer the occupational education programs in the state, including those in the public schools, and, upon approval by the board, shall determine the allocation of state and federal funds for such programs.

Contains special provisions allowing the Mesa junior college district to dissolve so that either the Grand Junction junior college or the Rangely junior college, or both, may become a part of the state system, or so that either may become a separate junior college district.

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Community college of Denver. Creates a community college of Denver under the state board for community colleges and occupational education, which college includes the counties of Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, and Jefferson, and the city and county of Denver. Provides that it shall be a two-year college, with not more than three campuses, one to open in the fall of 1968, one to open in the fall of 1969, and the third to open in the fall of 1970. Provides powers of the board with respect to said college, including the power of eminent domain. Provides that the Arapahoe junior college may elect to become a part of said college, or may otherwise join the state system as a separate college, or may remain a junior college district.

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1450 El Paso community college. Creates the El Paso community college under the state board for community colleges and occupational education, similar to that of Denver, created by H.B. 1449, except that only one campus shall be established commencing in the fall of 1969. The state board shall have the same powers with respect to the El Paso college as it has with the Denver college.

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Municipalities - leasing of property. Permits the governing bodies of municipalities and counties to lease land and other property owned by them for a municipal or county purpose, for a term not to exceed 30 years, to a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of this state, in order to effect municipal or county purposes. Such lease must be in conjunction with a lease or proposed lease for a term not to exceed 30 years, from the nonprofit corporation wherein the municipality or county shall be the lessee of property for municipal or county purposes.

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School districts - directors. Provides that in any school dis-1455 trict having a school enrollment of at least 8,000 but less than 40,000, and having 5 directors elected for 6-year terms of office without a director district plan of representation, the board of education of such a school district may, by resolution, submit to the qualified registered electors of the school district, a proposal to increase the number of directors from 5 to 7. Upon petition of at least 10% of the registered electors of such a district, the board shall submit such a proposal to the qualified registered electors. Provides procedures for conducting the election at which such question is submitted. Provides that if the 2 additional directors are elected for the first time in 1971, or any sixth year thereafter, they shall be elected for 6-year terms; if elected for the first time in 1973, or any sixth year thereafter, they shall be elected for 4-year terms; and if elected for the first time in 1975, or any sixth year thereafter, they shall be elected for 2-year terms. Successors to those initially elected, are elected for 6-year terms.

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Chiropractic - out-of-state applications. Provides that a person licensed to practice chiropractic pursuant to the laws of another state, and who has passed the examination prescribed by the national board of chiropractic examiners, part 1, which deals with subjects in basic sciences, and part 2, which deals with clinical subjects, may, in the discretion of the state board of chiropractic examiners, be granted a license to practice in this state. Act is not to be construed as waiving the basic science examination or compliance with other provisions of "The Basic Science Act, 1937".

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Health - creation of authority and procedure for collection of certain fees by local health boards and agencies. Provides that county and district boards of health may establish by rule and regulation the conditions under which fees for personal health services rendered by the local health department may be accepted and administered. Provides such fees cannot exceed the actual cost of rendering such services. Provides that no person will be denied personal health service for failure to pay the fee. Provides that moneys received from state, federal, or other grants, donations, or fees for local health purposes, shall be deposited in the county or district health department fund.

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Agriculture - commercial feedstuffs. Defines the terms "adulterated" and "misbranded", as such terms relate to commercial or mineral feeds. Gives the commissioner of agriculture power to refuse to register adulterated or misbranded commercial feeds, or when such feeds are in such condition to render them unavailable nutritionally, or when the manufacturer fails to establish their nutritive value. Provides that when the commissioner formulates rules and regulations, he does not have to use, but may be guided by the definitions and standards of the American feed control officials.

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Towns and cities - annexation. Provides that a duly established special service district may receive and prosecute a petition or petitions for the inclusion of the same territory or any part thereof within the boundaries of such special service district during any pending annexation proceeding.

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Colorado state fair and industrial exposition - control and management. Places the Colorado state fair and industrial exposition under the care and supervision of the Colorado state fair and industrial exposition commission. Creates the office of manager of the Colorado state fair and industrial exposition, and prescribes his qualifications. Manager serves for an indefinite term, but under civil service, and must devote his entire time to his duties; he is made chief administrative head of the state fair and industrial exposition, and is given general supervisory powers and control of all its activities, employees, and functions.

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Appropriation - school of mines. Out of the school of mines self-liquidating project fund, for the payment of principal and interest on certain revenue bonds of the mines park addition housing - \$41,803.06.

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Liens - federal tax liens - indexing. Provides for the indexing of federal tax liens filed for record, in the personal property records as well as in real property records. Amends "Uniform Commercial Code" to require the filing officer upon request to issue a certificate showing federal tax lien notices as well as any financing or other statement affecting any particular debtor.

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Historical, prehistorical, and archaeological resources of the state. Provides for the designation and preservation of historical, prehistorical, and archaeological sites in areas owned by the state, and for the control thereof by the state historical society. Provides for permits issued by the society for the excavation and investigation of such sites, and requires reports concerning such activities. The society may, by agreement, administer similar sites not owned by the state. Provides misdemeanor penalties for persons who knowingly take, excavate, damage, or destroy any such historical, prehistorical, or archaeological resource without a permit from the society. Authorizes the governor to declare any such resource a state monument, upon the approval thereof by the society and the state agency having jurisdiction thereof.

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Ditch and reservoir companies. Removes the requirement that when a shareholder of a ditch or reservoir company purchases any of the outstanding capital stock of the company, the purchase must be authorized by a two-thirds vote of the outstanding stock of the company, exclusive of the stock to be purchased, at a special or regular stockholders' meeting. Requires that purchase or payment for such companies' own shares shall not be made at a time when such purchase or payment would make the company insolvent. Provides that the sale, exchange, lease or other disposition of part or all of the assets, property, or franchise by such a company to any conservancy district, irrigation district, or to the United States or any agency thereof, shall be deemed to be in the usual course of such company's business.

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Hospital districts - dissolution. Provides that any hospital district with an assessed valuation in excess of \$30,000,000 shall be deemed dissolved if it has existed for three years or more and during such time has not acquired or commenced construction of a hospital or has not incurred any bonded indebtedness therefor. Any such district shall wind up its affairs within 90 days after such dissolution and liquidate its assets and pay its obligations, and prorate the distribution of the remaining assets to the county or counties comprising the district.

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1484 Special fuels - exemption when used in certain equipment. Act provides that special fuels are exempt from the excise tax imposed thereon when such fuels are used in vehicles operated primarily off the streets or highways, or in construction

1484 equipment, or vehicles operated within the confines of highway cont. construction projects when such equipment or vehicles are being used in the construction of such projects. Provides for necessary changes in liability for payment of the special fuel tax, reporting procedures, and licensing, which are required by the exemption. Provides procedures for refunding a tax that is erroneously paid on special fuels on or after the effective date of the act.

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1486 <u>County judges - increase in compensation</u>. Increases the compensation of the county judges of all classes of counties. In most cases, the compensation is increased by 25%.

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State officials - compensation. Makes the following changes in the compensation of certain elected and appointed state officials: Governor, from \$20,000 to \$30,000; lieutenant governor, from \$4,800 to \$10,000, and cuts out the \$20 per day for expenses while serving as governor; attorney general, from \$14,000 to \$18,000; secretary of state, from \$10,000 to \$15,000; treasurer, from \$10,000 to \$15,000. The foregoing salaries are payable for the terms of office for which said officials are elected in 1970.

Deputy secretary of state, from \$8,000 to \$12,000; deputy state treasurer, from \$8,000 to \$12,000; each member of the state board of land commissioners, from \$11,000 to \$12,000; each member of the PUC, from \$14,000 to \$18,000; each member of the industrial commission, from \$11,000 to \$15,000; each member of the civil service commission, from \$10,000 to \$12,000; director of revenue, from \$12,000 to \$18,000; state purchasing agent, from \$11,000 to \$13,000. Provides that the foregoing appointed positions shall be full-time, and the salaries fixed for such positions shall be for the full-time services of the persons involved. The foregoing salaries for appointed officials are payable July 1, 1967, and thereafter.

Appropriates \$42,500 to pay the increased compensation of the appointed officials.

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District attorneys - assistants, deputies, and employees - compensation. Provides for increased compensation of district attorneys and their staffs as follows:

Population of judicial dist.	D.A.'s	Maximum Annual Chief Deputies		
Over 74,000	\$ 18,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 14,000*	\$ 16,000
50,000 - 74,000	10,000		7,000	8,000
25,000 - 50,000	7,500		5,200	6,000
Not over 25,000	6,000		4,000	4,500

*In judicial districts over 74,000 and comprised of more than one county, the district attorney may appoint a deputy in any county other than the one in which the district attorney maintains his office, at a compensation of not more than \$7,000 per annum.

Provides that in judicial districts with a population of more than 74,000, the district attorney, his chief deputy, deputies, and assistant shall devote their full time to their official duties and not engage in the private practice of law, except that a deputy receiving the annual salary not to exceed \$7,000, as above provided, may engage in the private practice of law.

Provides that any district attorney may appoint a chief investigator and other investigators, office employees, and technical and professional assistants as are necessary, subject to the approval of the county commissioners of each county in the district.

Provides that the salary increase requirements as to time devoted to official duties for district attorneys shall take effect on the second Tuesday in January, 1969, and those for assistants, chief deputies, and deputies shall take effect January 1, 1968.

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Cities and towns - collection of taxes for improvements. Provides that the expense of construction and repair of streets, paving of streets, curb and gutter, drainage facilities, or other improvements, which are placed upon city or town streets, other than pursuant to article 2 of chapter 89, C.R.S. 1963, relating to special improvement districts in cities and towns, shall be assessed in the manner prescribed by the ordinance of any such city and town. Provides that except for the construction and repair of sidewalks, no such assessments for other construction shall be made by the city or town unless approved by petition signed by not less than 60% of the owners of property fronting upon the same, and owning at least 60% of the property fronting thereon.

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1491 Unauthorized insurance companies. Defines the transaction of insurance business in this state, but exempts therefrom surplus lines insurance, reinsurance, and certain transactions concerning insurance written outside this state. Authorizes commissioner of insurance to file an action to enjoin unauthorized insurers from doing business in this state. Provides procedure for service of process on unauthorized insurers doing business in this state, by serving the same on the secretary of state. Preserves the validity of insurance contracts issued by un-authorized insurers. Permits commissioner to order the filing of policies of insurance written by or for any person in this state with an unauthorized insurer. Failure to file within 30 days will result in a \$50 penalty, plus an additional \$50 for each day's failure thereafter. Imposes a tax of 21% of net premiums on any insurance obtained from an unauthorized insurer. Act does not apply to insurance obtained by certain industrial insureds nor to certain life insurance companies not for profit issuing insurance and annuities for employees of educational and scientific institutions.

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Income tax - refunds. Repeals prior law regarding the time within which suits for refund of income tax may be commenced. Provides that suits for refund of income tax may not be commenced before the expiration of 6 months from the date of filing the claim for refund unless the director of revenuerenders a decision on such claim within such time. Provides that no suit shall be brought after the expiration of 2 years from the date of mailing by certified or registered mail by the director to the taxpayer of a notice of disallowance of the part of the claim to which the suit relates. The 2-year period may be extended for such period as is agreed upon by the taxpayer and the director.

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Income tax - repeal of law regarding partnerships taxed as corporations. Repeals the provision of law providing that if a partnership elects under the internal revenue code to be taxed as a corporation, such partnership shall be taxed as a corporation for the purposes of the state income tax, and the partners shall not be taxed as partners, but rather as shareholders.

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1497 Income tax - fiduciary adjustment. Provides that prior to the determination of the fiduciary adjustment, modification shall be made directly to the estate or trust for federal income taxes so that such amounts will not enter into the computation of the

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1497 fiduciary adjustment. Applies to tax years beginning after cont. December 31, 1967.

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Income tax - carryback adjustment for net operating loss. Pro-1498 vides that a taxpayer may file an application for a tentative carryback adjustment of the tax for the prior taxable year or years affected by a net operating loss carryback from any taxable year. The application must set forth: Amount of the net operating loss; amount of the tax previously determined for the prior taxable year affected by such carryback; the amount of decrease in such tax, attributable to such carryback; unpaid amount of such tax. Provides that the director of revenue must make a limited examination of the application within a specified period of time, and shall determine the amount of the decrease in tax attributable to the carryback. Provides for disallowing the application under certain circumstances. Provides that any decrease shall be applied against any amount of the tax decreased, and any remainder shall be either credited against any tax or installment thereof due, or refunded to the taxpayer. Applies to tax years beginning after December 31, 1967.

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Income tax - interest income. Provides that in computing the Colorado adjusted income of a resident individual, when adding to federal adjusted income the interest on obligations of other states or their political subdivisions, such interest income shall be reduced by amortization of premium, and the amount of such interest shall be the net amount after reduction by the amount of the deductions related thereto which are required by the internal revenue code to be allocated to such classes of interest. Applies to tax years beginning after December 31, 1967.

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Income tax - net income tax of corporations. Provides that in computing the net income of a corporation for Colorado income tax purposes, there is added to the corporation's federal taxable income, any income, war profits, or excess profits taxes paid or accrued to any foreign country or to any possession of the United States that were deducted on the federal income tax return. Applies to tax years commencing after December 31, 1967.

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Counties and municipalities - authorization to issue revenue bonds. Enacts the "Economic Development Revenue Bond Act".

Provides that, in addition to their other powers, counties and

municipalities shall have the following powers: 1503 To acquire. cont. improve, equip, sell, or otherwise dispose of, one or more projects, which are defined to be land, buildings, or other improvements, and equipment, necessary for manufacturing, industrial, or commercial enterprises; to lease to others any or all of its projects for such rentals and upon such terms as the governing body may deem advisable; to issue revenue bonds for the purpose of defraying the cost of acquiring, improving, and equipping a project; to secure payment of such bonds. Provides that such bonds are to be special, limited obligations, and that the principal of and the interest on such bonds shall be payable solely out of the revenues derived from the leasing of the project to be financed by the bonds. Bonds are authorized by resolution of the county commissioners or by ordinance of the municipality. Principal of, the interest on, and any prior redemption premiums due, on such bonds constitute a lien on the revenues out of which the bonds are made payable. Sets forth provisions that may be contained in the bond security instruments. Sets forth permissible investments for the proceeds from the sale of such bonds. Provides that prior to the initial leasing of any project, the governing body must make certain findings with regard to the amount of rent to be charged under the lease of the project. Provides that prior to the issuance of any bonds, the county or municipality shall lease the project to a lessee on condition of completion of the project, and providing for the payment of the rentals as fixed by the governing body. Provides that the revenue bonds may be refunded by the issuance of refunding bonds. Proceeds of sale of bonds can be used only for the purposes for which they were issued. Counties and municipalities are prohibited from paying out of their general funds the cost of the acquisition of a project, and under most circumstances, cannot use land owned by them for construction of a project thereon. County and municipal property remains exempt from taxation, but a county or municipality acquiring or extending any project shall pay annually out of the project rentals, to the state, and any other political subdivision in which the project is located, and which has power to levy taxes, a sum equal to the taxes which such taxing authorities would receive if the property were privately owned. Power of eminent domain may not be used to acquire land for a project.

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Domestic water districts - dissolution. Changes the votes required for dissolution of any such district from a majority of the entire voting strength of the district to a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election.

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1511 Practical nursing. Enacts completely new "Practical Nurse Practice Act of 1967", providing for the licensing of practical

cont. "Grandfathers" in those persons presently licensed as practical nurses. Continues in office the present board, but limits any member to two five-year terms. Changes name of board to the state board of practical nursing. Prescribes powers and duties of the board, and increases the number of members of the advisory council from nine to eleven, adding a doctor of dentistry and a nursing home administrator, and provides that there shall be included at least two licensed practical nurses on said council. Clarifies requirements for approved practical nursing educational programs, and requirements for licenses, whether by examination, by waiver, or by endorsement. Clarifies exemptions from application of act. Changes name of cash fund to state board of practical nursing fund.

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Anhydrous ammonia. Act requires the commissioner of agriculture to promulgate and enforce regulations covering the design, construction, location, installation, and operation of equipment for storage, handling, and transportation of anhydrous ammonia fertilizer. Provides anhydrous ammonia containers or receptacles cannot be used for any other purpose without the authorization of the owner thereof. Provides that the commissioner may make such inspections as he deems necessary, give notice of violations, investigate complaints of violations, and cause injunctive proceedings to be initiated under certain circumstances. Provides penalties for violations.

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Corporations sole. Permits officials of churches and religious 1522 societies, in whom is vested the title to the property of such church or religious society, to become corporations sole by executing articles of incorporation and filing the same with the secretary of state. Sets forth the powers which corporations sole may have, among which are: Hold property, and contract in the same manner and to the same extent as a natural person; sue and be sued; borrow money, issue notes, and execute encumbrances; perform other acts in furtherance of the objects and purposes of the corporation. Provides that upon the death, resignation, or removal from office, of the person incorporated as a corporation sole, his successor in office becomes vested with title to the property held by his predecessor, and with the same power and authority with respect thereto, or if such successor is not immediately appointed, then such person as the church or religious society shall appoint shall hold such title and have such powers and authority. Provides that upon the death, resignation, or removal from office, of an official of a church or religious society, and who is not incorporated as a corporation sole, and who holds title to trust property for the benefit of such church or religious society, title to

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1522 such property does not revert to the grantor or the heirs of cont. such person, if deceased, but is held in abeyance until such person's successor is appointed. Upon appointment of such successor title to such trust property immediately vests in him.

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1527 Industrial commission - on-the-job training. Provides that the industrial commission, through the apprenticeship council, shall promote the following on-the-job training programs: Programs for journeymen in the apprenticeable occupations; programs in other than apprenticeable occupations for workers entering new occupations who have been displaced from former occupations. Such programs shall be in accord with and agreed to by parties of applicable collective bargaining agreements, and where appropriate, include employer-employee coopera-Industrial commission, through the apprenticeship council. is to assist all interested persons in promoting voluntary on-the-job training programs. Programs may include classroom or correspondence instruction administered by the state board for vocational education. Programs are strictly voluntary and must be accepted by the parties to a collective bargaining agreement, or by an employer, his association, or a union, or its representative where there is no collective bargaining agreement. Commission may deny requests for services contemplated under the act, when it feels conditions in the area or industry would be adversely affected. Commission given authority to contract with and administer funds from federal, state, and other governmental agencies.

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Taxpayers - records - examination and confidentiality thereof. Provides that persons liable for taxes on motor fuels and special fuels must retain records to determine the amount of such tax liability for 3 years, rather than 2 years, as was provided by prior law. Provides that the director of revenue is to keep records concerning the payment of such taxes for a period of 2 years, rather than 3 years. Main purpose of the act is to place certain sections of the law regarding taxpayers' records in a more appropriate section of the statutes.

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1535 State lands - transfer for benefit of the state veterans center.

Authorizes the governor and the state board of control for state homes for the aged to transfer and convey, on behalf of Colorado state veterans center, to consolidated school district no. 8 in Rio Grande county certain described real property located in said county. Conveyance must provide that the premises

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1535 conveyed are to be used for educational or recreational purposes, cont. and if they should cease to be so used, the premises revert to the state.

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Rio Grande Water Conservation District created. This act creates the Rio Grande water conservation district. District is comprised of Alamosa, Conejos, and Rio Grande counties, and those portions of Saguache and Mineral counties which are within the drainage basin of the Rio Grande River and its tributaries. Creates a board of directors for the district and sets forth the powers of the district. Provides that before the district is established, a petition must be filed in the Alamosa county district court signed by not fewer than 400 landowners, each of whom owns 80 or more acres of land located in the proposed district. Sets forth procedures for hearing on petition and for the conduct of an election in the event that the petition is in order.

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State highways - prohibition or restriction of use. Provides that the department of highways may close any portion of a state highway to public travel, or to prohibit the use thereof unless motor vehicles using the same are equipped with tire chains or snow tires. Such restriction or prohibition of use becomes effective when signs giving notice thereof are erected upon the state highway involved, and it is made unlawful to proceed in violation of such notice.

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Repeal - payments by the agriculture department to third parties. Repeals article 4 of chapter 54, and 6-1-12, C.R.S. 1963, relating to premiums paid by the department of agriculture for certain displays at the state fair, and for certain livestock and poultry at the national western stock show in Denver.

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Accountancy. Increases maximum annual limit for daily compensation of accountancy board members from \$600 to \$1200. Provides that one of the experience requirements for an applicant for a license to practice accountancy is doing accounting work as a C.P.A. for any 12 months preceding the date of application. Provides that in giving examinations, the board may use the advisory grading service of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Provides that under certain conditions, a candidate for the C.P.A. certificate who will graduate from a board-approved college or university within 60 days after the

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1545 date of an examination, shall be entitled to examination. cont. Changes re-examination procedures, and the procedures for issuance of a certificate by reciprocity. Annual permit fee for an individual is increased from \$10 to \$15, and for a partnership, from \$20 to \$25. Changes the grounds for revocation or suspension of licenses. Provides that when the board has reason to believe that an unlawful act is being committed, it may issue a cease and desist order to the person committing such act. Provides that the board may conduct investigations with regard to the commission of unlawful acts.

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1547 State purchasing agent. Provides that the state purchasing agent is no longer one of the governor's 3 confidential employees, but that he shall be appointed by the governor, subject to the state civil service laws.

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State planning - "The Colorado Plan". Creates, as a confiden-1548 tial employee of the governor, a state coordinator of planning, as head of the state planning office, to assist in the development of an over-all, comprehensive plan for the orderly development of the state. Prescribes powers and duties of the state planning office, and creates a fifteen-man advisory board to assist in the development of the state plan and make recommendations thereon to the governor, and to be a clearinghouse for planning activities throughout the state. The state planning office shall assist local planning authorities, and shall review capital construction requests with state agencies. fers planning section of the division of commerce and development to the newly created state planning office, and transfers appropriated funds from said division to the state planning office. Appropriates \$10,000 to the office of the governor for the administration of the act.

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Racing - fees. Limits the five per cent fee to licensees licensed for the racing of animals other than horses, and prescribes the following fee schedule for licensees licensed to conduct horse racing: 3% of first \$200,000 of daily wagering receipts; 4% of the excess over \$200,000 but not exceeding \$300,000; 5% of the excess over \$300,000 but not exceeding \$500,000; and 6% of the excess over \$500,000.

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Annexation - continuance of zoning regulations - when. Provides that if a territory has been annexed to a city for a period of 2 years, and such territory is disconnected, the

1553 zoning placed on the territory by the city shall remain in cont. effect until changed by the county.

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Claims against the state - claims commission. Clarifies the jurisdiction of the Colorado claims commission to include acts of a state agency or employee thereof, involving the exercise or failure to exercise a discretionary duty not involving the determination of any policy by such agency. Authorizes the commission to request assistance from employees of any state agency in gathering information relative to any matter under consideration. Authorizes the commission to make settlement of any claim approved by it which does not involve a sum greater than \$500. Appropriates \$5,000 for fiscal year 1967-68 for payment of such claims.

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Counties and municipalities - annual reports concerning roads and street systems. Main purpose of this act is to make uniform the law regarding the reports which have to be filed with the state auditor each year by counties, cities, cities and counties, and towns, which reports concern moneys applied towards county road systems and city street systems. Act requires the state auditor to prescribe uniform expenditure categories to be used in such reports. County commissioners no longer required to submit to the state department of highways a map which indicates changes in mileage or location of roads or changes in the surface classification of roads.

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1563 Elections. Further implements the constitutional amendment regarding the judiciary adopted at the 1966 general election, by deleting from several sections of the election laws references to the election of judges of courts of record. Provides the county central committees shall meet between February 1 and February 10 of the odd-numbered years, rather than between March 1 and the second Saturday in March, for the purpose of holding an organizational meeting.

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Architects - fees for licenses. Provides that when a license to practice architecture in this state is issued to an architect licensed in another state, the additional fee required at the time of issuance of such license is increased from \$30 to \$50. Annual fee for renewal of licenses is increased from \$15 to \$20 for resident architects, and from \$15 to \$40 for non-resident architects.

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Elections. Provides that no election official having responsibilities or duties in connection with the conduct of primary, general, or special elections shall have any proprietary or financial interest, either directly or indirectly, in the manufacture, sale, maintenance, servicing, repair, or transportation of voting machines.

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Elections. Prohibits any candidate from acknowledging the signatures on his petition of designation or nomination. Requires posting of names of primary election candidates at the office of the county clerk instead of at the polling place. Clarifies publications of notices of elections and candidates for office in newspapers in the county, and removes references to newspapers advocating principles of any political party. Requires signs to be posted at polling places, designating them as polls for specified precincts, and requires similar signs to be posted to designate locations of precinct caucuses.

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Elections. Provides for transfer of party affiliation from one county to another by postal card sent by the county clerk of the new county of residence to that of the old after registration in the new county. Also operates to notify clerk of old county of residence that the elector has moved from that county. Eliminates confusion of electors under prior law which required filing of certificate of party affiliation at the time of registration in new county, or suffer severance of party affiliation. Clarifies duty of judges of election to call county clerk's office to receive verbal verification on election day of the registration of a person who desires to vote but whose name is not in the precinct registration book because of error.

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Appropriation - northwest Conejos county fire protection district. For state's contribution to the firemen's pension fund of the northwest Conejos county fire protection district for 1966 - \$1,483.12; to be appropriated out of the firemen's pension fund.

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1570 Telecommunications research facilities. Enacts the "Telecommunications Research Facilities Protection Act of 1967". Defines a "telecommunications research facility of the United States", and prohibits the installation or operation of electrical equipment within a one-half mile radius of such a facility, if the operation of such electrical equipment causes interference with

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the receiption of the facility. Prohibits the installation or 1570 cont. operation of certain types of electrical equipment within a 2-mile radius of such a facility. Act does not apply to radio or TV stations licensed by the FCC, electrical equipment existing within the prohibited 2-mile radius on the effective date of the act, or to certain other radio or electronic equipment. Act provides penalties for violations, and violations may also be enjoined.

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Charter of City of Black Hawk - amendment to provide for the 1576 levy, assessment, and collection of taxes. Amends the charter of the city of Black Hawk to permit the city to levy general (ad valorem) taxes upon all taxable property in the city, which is subject to taxation for state, county, and other purposes, under the laws of the state, and in the manner prescribed in said laws. Provides that delinquent charges, assessments, or taxes levied pursuant to the charter may be certified to the county treasurer for collection in the same manner as other cities and towns. Changes the procedure for conducting sales of real estate for unpaid taxes.

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Charter of City of Black Hawk - amendment concerning ordinances. 1577 Amends the charter of the city of Black Hawk to permit the city council of said city to adopt, make, and publish ordinance codes pursuant to the provisions of article 34 of chapter 139, C.R.S. 1963, concerning ordinance codes adopted by reference.

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Intoxicating liquors - public hearing. Provides that at the 1578 public hearing required to be held by the local licensing authority on an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, any party in interest shall be allowed to present evidence and to cross-examine witnesses. A party in interest is defined to be any one of the following: The applicant for the license; a resident of the neighborhood under consideration; or the owner or manager of a business in the neighborhood under consideration. Provides that the local licensing authority may limit the presentation of evidence and cross-examination so as to prevent repetitive and cumulative evidence or examination.

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General assembly - joint budget committee. Provides that ap-1580 pointees to the joint budget committee may be appointed by the majority and minority parties prior to the convening of the general assembly at which the committee is to serve, whether such appointees are members of the current general assembly or members-elect of the next general assembly, or both. Provides

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that such appointees shall have the same powers and be entitled cont. to the same compensation and expenses as if appointed as is otherwise provided in the law. Committee must elect a chairman and vice-chairman, one from the senate membership of the committee, and one from the house membership. The chairman shall serve for the first regular session of the general assembly at which the committee is to serve, and as vice-chairman for the second regular session; vice-chairman serves as chairman for the second regular session.

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Relief of Nick A. Strubi. Appropriates \$675 out of the game cash fund to Nick A. Strubi for damages sustained by him in protection of his property from elk feeding or attempting to feed on his livestock feed.

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Veterinary medicine. Amends H.B. 1226 so that the definition of "artificial insemination" contained in said bill does not include the subsequent testing of the female animal for pregnancy.

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