

COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF HEALTH PLANS

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Representative Beth McCann
Chair, House Health, Insurance, and Environment Committee
200 E Colfax Ave, Denver, Co 80203

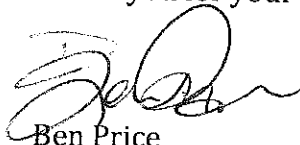
Dear Representative McCann:

Please accept this letter in voice of the Colorado Association of Health Plan's opposition to House Bill 15-1066, which would repeal our health insurance exchange, Connect for Health Colorado.

Our members supported the establishment of the exchange here in our state because it brought access to coverage to many Coloradans that would otherwise go without. We also believe it provides a vibrant, competitive market for our insurance companies to compete in, and a transparent way to shop that is important to today's consumers.

Insurance companies in Colorado have invested many millions in resources into the development of a solution created by Colorado for Coloradans, and we stand behind our partners in the business and consumer communities in saying that repealing that now would not be a productive measure for this Legislature to take.

Thank you for your consideration,



Ben Price
Executive Director