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TITLE: CONCERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS FOR SPECIFIED DEVICES.

Summary of Assessment

This bill changes the name of the Residential Building Energy Conservation Act of 1977 to the Colorado Energy Conservation Act. The bill adopts statutory standards for the energy efficiency of specified household appliances, commercial equipment, and traffic signals sold in Colorado on or after January 1, 2008, and installed in Colorado on or after January 1, 2009.

The bill requires the manufacturer of a product subject to the Act to certify to the Attorney General that the product complies with the standard. The bill specifies certain exempt products. The bill states that violation of the Act constitutes a deceptive trade practice. The bill will become effective August 10, 2005, unless a referendum petition is filed.

The bill will not affect state or local government revenue or expenditures. Any violations of the bill, as a deceptive trade practice under the provisions of the Colorado Consumer Protection Act, are anticipated to generate a minimal amount, if any, of fine revenue. This bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Departments Contacted

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