

HB1224_L.003

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

 Chairman of Committee

 Date
Committee on Business Affairs and Labor.

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

HB09-1224 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, strike everything below the enacting clause, and
2 substitute the following:

3 "SECTION 1. 10-16-221, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended
4 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

5 **10-16-221. Health care task force - creation - duties - repeal.**
6 (2.7) DURING THE 2009 INTERIM, THE TASK FORCE SHALL EXAMINE AND
7 MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ISSUES RAISED BY THE
8 INTRODUCED VERSION OF HOUSE BILL 09-1224, RELATED TO THE
9 CONSIDERATION OF GENDER IN SETTING RATES AND BENEFITS OFFERED FOR
10 INDIVIDUAL HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS.

11 **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act
12 shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
13 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly that is
14 allowed for submitting a referendum petition pursuant to article V,
15 section 1 (3) of the state constitution, (August 4, 2009, if adjournment
16 sine die is on May 6, 2009); except that, if a referendum petition is filed
17 against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period,
18 then the act, item, section, or part, if approved by the people, shall take
19 effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by
20 proclamation of the governor."

21 Page 1, line 102, strike "INSURANCE POLICIES." and substitute "BENEFIT
22 PLANS, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, DIRECTING THE HEALTH



1 CARE TASK FORCE DURING THE 2009 INTERIM TO STUDY ISSUES
2 RELATED TO SUCH PROHIBITION."

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