

Colorado Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note
NO FISCAL IMPACT

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TITLE: CONCERNING THE INCLUSION OF CONSERVATION STANDARDS IN THE PLUMBING CODE.

Summary of Legislation

The Colorado plumbing code, adopted by the State Board of Examining Plumbers, sets standards for the installation and repair of plumbing equipment. This bill adds conservation to the standards that must be addressed in the plumbing code. Conservation includes water efficiency fixtures and installation guidelines that meet or exceed national standards. The bill also encourages the use of locally produced materials. The bill takes effect August 11, 2010, if the General Assembly adjourns on May 12, 2010, as scheduled, and no referendum petition is filed.

Assessment

HB 10-1204 has no affect on state revenues or expenditures. It requires the state board to add conservation to the state code. This can be accomplished within the existing board process for adopting rules and does not require additional resources. For these reasons, the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

Departments Contacted

Regulatory Agencies

Local Affairs