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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE SPECIFICITY OF THE DATA INCLUDED IN THE
102 WEB-BASED SYSTEM THAT PROVIDES THE PUBLIC ACCESS TO
103 STATE FINANCIAL INFORMATION.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

In 2009, the governor issued an executive order to create a web-based system that allows public access to government revenue and expenditures data, which system is commonly known as the "Transparency Online Project". The web-based system was modified by

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

law, which included authority for the chief information officer to aggregate information in the system.

The bill eliminates the chief information officer's ability to aggregate information and, instead, specifically requires the data in the web-based system to be a replicate of the most specific, nonconfidential data available in the state financial system database.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** 24-72.4-102, Colorado Revised Statutes, is
3 amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

4 **24-72.4-102. Definitions.** As used in this article, unless the
5 context otherwise requires:

6 (1.5) "STATE FINANCIAL SYSTEM DATABASE" MEANS THE
7 DATABASE COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE FINANCIAL DATA WAREHOUSE,
8 CREATED BY THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ON BEHALF OF
9 THE STATE CONTROLLER PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY SET FORTH IN
10 SECTION 24-30-202.

11 **SECTION 2.** The introductory portion to 24-72.4-103 (1) and
12 24-72.4-103 (1) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended to read:

13 **24-72.4-103. Web-based system - enhancements.** (1) ~~No later~~
14 ~~than January 1, 2010;~~ The chief information officer shall modify the
15 web-based system to meet the following requirements:

16 (a) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH (g) OF THIS SUBSECTION
17 (1), the state expenditures and revenues data included in the web-based
18 system shall be A REPLICATE OF the expenditure and revenue data
19 included in the state financial system database ~~commonly known as the~~
20 ~~financial data warehouse, created by the office of information technology~~
21 ~~on behalf of the state controller pursuant to the authority set forth in~~
22 ~~section 24-30-202, except that, regardless of the form of the data in the~~

1 ~~financial data warehouse, where access to each individual transaction is~~
2 ~~likely to hinder, rather than foster, the goal of accountability and~~
3 ~~transparency, the system may provide access to aggregated information~~
4 AT THE MOST SPECIFIC LEVEL AT WHICH SUCH DATA IS AVAILABLE IN A
5 MACHINE-READABLE FORMAT;

6 **SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - specified effective date.**
7 This act shall take effect September 1, 2010; except that, if a referendum
8 petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state
9 constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within
10 the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly,
11 then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect unless approved by
12 the people at the general election to be held in November 2010 and shall
13 take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by
14 the governor.