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**HOUSE BILL 11-1014** 

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#### A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE REPEAL OF A LIMITING TRIGGER ASSOCIATED WITH
102 THE CHILD CARE CONTRIBUTION INCOME TAX CREDIT.

### **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.)

The bill repeals a trigger associated with the child care contribution income tax credit that specifies that the income tax credit is not allowed for any income tax year when general fund revenues for a fiscal year are not sufficient to grow the total state general fund appropriations by 6% over such appropriations for the previous fiscal

year. The effect of removing this trigger is that the child care contribution income tax credit will be available for income tax years commencing on or after January 1, 2011, but prior to January 1, 2020, unless the general assembly acts by bill to remove or otherwise limit the availability of the income tax credit.

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

SECTION 1. Repeal. 39-22-121 (6.7), Colorado Revised

Statutes, is repealed as follows:

39-22-121. Credit for child care facilities - repeal. (6.7) (a) If the revenue estimate prepared by the staff of the legislative council in December 2010 and each December thereafter indicates that the amount of the total general fund revenues for that particular fiscal year will not be sufficient to grow the total state general fund appropriations by six percent over such appropriations for the previous fiscal year, then the credit authorized in this section shall not be allowed for any income tax year commencing during the calendar year following the year in which the estimate is prepared; except that any taxpayer who would have been eligible to claim a credit pursuant to this section in the income tax year in which the credit is not allowed shall be allowed to claim the credit earned in such income tax year in the next income tax year in which the estimate indicates that the amount of the total general fund revenues will be sufficient to grow the total state general fund appropriations by six percent over such appropriations for the previous fiscal year.

(b) The department of revenue shall, through its web site, specify on or before January 1, 2011, and on or before each January 1 thereafter, whether the credit authorized in this section shall be allowed for a given income tax year pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subsection (6.7).

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- 1 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
- determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
- 3 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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