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Sixty-ninth General Assembly  
STATE OF COLORADO**

**PREAMENDED**

*This Unofficial Version Includes Committee  
Amendments Not Yet Adopted on Second Reading*

LLS NO. 13-0736.01 Kristen Forrestal x4217

**HOUSE BILL 13-1167**

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**HOUSE SPONSORSHIP**

**Pettersen and Duran,**

**SENATE SPONSORSHIP**

**(None),**

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**House Committees**

Business, Labor, Economic, & Workforce Development

Appropriations

**Senate Committees**

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**A BILL FOR AN ACT**

101 **CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF BUSINESS INFORMATION BY THE**  
102 **SECRETARY OF STATE.**

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**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 requires the secretary of state to request information from each business owner that files documents with the secretary of state regarding whether the business is owned by a woman, minority, veteran, or person with a disability and requires the secretary of state to make the information available to the public.

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.*

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

2           **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, **add** 24-21-114 as  
3 follows:

4           **24-21-114. Secretary of state collection of business information.**

5 BEGINNING THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE OF THIS SECTION, THE  
6 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL REQUEST THAT EACH INDIVIDUAL WHO FILES  
7 DOCUMENTS WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE PURSUANT TO PART 3 OF  
8 ARTICLE 90 OF TITLE 7, C.R.S., SUBMIT INFORMATION TO THE SECRETARY  
9 OF STATE UPON INITIAL REGISTRATION OF A BUSINESS AND WHEN  
10 UPDATING A BUSINESS REGISTRATION. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL  
11 REQUEST THAT EACH REPORTING ENTITY, AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED IN  
12 SECTION 7-90-102 (58), C.R.S., TO WHICH THE FILING RELATES, SUBMIT  
13 THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT THE REPORTING ENTITY: GENDER;  
14 RACE, INCLUDING WHETHER THE PERSON IS LATINO, AFRICAN AMERICAN,  
15 ASIAN, ANGLO, NATIVE AMERICAN, OR OTHER; VETERAN STATUS;  
16 WHETHER THE REPORTING ENTITY IS A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY; AND  
17 THE NATIONAL AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM CODE OR ITS  
18 SUCCESSOR CODE OF THE REPORTING ENTITY'S BUSINESS, IF APPLICABLE.

19           THE INDIVIDUAL IS NOT REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THE INFORMATION. THE  
20 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL MAKE THE INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO THE  
21 PUBLIC ON THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S WEB SITE IN A SEARCHABLE  
22 MANNER BY THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED.

23           **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act  
24 takes effect January 1, 2014, except that, if a referendum petition is filed  
25 pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this  
26 act or an item, section, or part of this act within the ninety-day period

1 after final adjournment of the general assembly, then the act, item,  
2 section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the  
3 general election to be held in November 2014 and, in such case, will take  
4 effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the  
5 governor.