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HOUSE BILL 14-1054

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING RESTRICTING ACCESS BY MINORS TO ARTIFICIAL**
102 **TANNING DEVICES.**

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>.)

Effective July 1, 2014, the bill prohibits the use of artificial tanning devices by minors under 18 years of age unless the use is prescribed by a physician.

Owners and operators of artificial tanning devices are subject to penalties of up to \$200 for each failure to comply with the requirements

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
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of the bill.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-5-1007, **add** (8) as follows:

25-5-1007. Owner responsibilities - prohibit access by minors - rules - definitions. (8) (a) EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014, AN OWNER, EMPLOYEE, OR OPERATOR OF AN ARTIFICIAL TANNING DEVICE OR TANNING FACILITY SHALL NOT ALLOW A MINOR WHO IS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE TO USE AN ARTIFICIAL TANNING DEVICE.

(b) THE OWNER, EMPLOYEE, OR OPERATOR SHALL REQUIRE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTATION, AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT, VERIFYING THE AGE OF A PERSON SEEKING ACCESS TO AN ARTIFICIAL TANNING DEVICE.

(c) AN OWNER OR OPERATOR WHO FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO PENALTIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 25-5-1009 FOR EACH INCIDENT OF NONCOMPLIANCE.

(d) THE BOARD MAY ADOPT RULES AS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS SUBSECTION (8).

(e) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION (8):

(I) "MINOR" MEANS A PERSON UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND INCLUDES AN EMANCIPATED MINOR, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 13-21-107.5 (1) (a), C.R.S.

(II) "OPERATOR" MEANS THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR OPERATING AND MANAGING A TANNING FACILITY BUSINESS ON BEHALF OF THE OWNER OF THE TANNING FACILITY.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

- 1 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
- 2 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.