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Legislative Fact Sheet

Regulation of Naturopathic Doctors

Rep. Curry/Sen. Williams

DORA Supports HB 09-1175

- Two Sunrise Reports, in 2005 and 2008, document sufficient risk of harm to warrant regulation of naturopathic doctors for public protection.
- The current bill is a result of agreements between the Colorado Medical Society, the Colorado Association of Naturopathic Physicians and the Department of Regulatory Agencies.
- This legislation would bring a task force to continue the solid efforts at compromise solutions begun with HB 09-1175.
- The system of registration will allow DORA to collect additional data over the next four (4) years regarding the types of complaints and alleged harm consumers are experiencing from naturopathic doctors.
- DORA asks for your support of HB 1175.