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HOUSE BILL 25-1161

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING REQUIRING THE LABELING OF GAS-FUELED STOVES.

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://leg.colorado.gov.)

The bill requires a wholesaler or supplier of a gas-fueled stove (stove) to, prior to selling a stove to a consumer in the state, affix an adhesive label to the stove with the phrase "This appliance should be ventilated to the exterior when in use."

Before transacting an online sale of a stove to an address in the state, a wholesaler or supplier is required to post the same phrase on the internet website where the online sale occurs.

The bill specifies that a violation of the requirements of the bill is

1	Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:
2	SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add part 16 to article
3	5 of title 25 as follows:
4	PART 16
5	LABELING OF GAS-FUELED STOVES
6	25-5-1601. Definitions. As used in this part 16, unless the
7	CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:
8	(1) (a) "COVERED ENTITY" MEANS A WHOLESALER OR SUPPLIER OF
9	A NEW GAS-FUELED STOVE.
10	(b) "COVERED ENTITY" DOES NOT INCLUDE A SUPPLIER OF A USED
11	GAS-FUELED STOVE.
12	(2) "Gas-fueled stove" means a household stove, range, or
13	COOKTOP THAT DIRECTLY COMBUSTS A GASEOUS OR LIQUID FUEL, IS USED
14	FOR INDOOR FOOD PREPARATION, AND PROVIDES AT LEAST ONE OF THE
15	FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS:
16	(a) SURFACE COOKING;
17	(b) OVEN COOKING; OR
18	(c) Broiling.
19	25-5-1602. Labeling requirements. (1) A COVERED ENTITY
20	SHALL NOT SELL, ATTEMPT TO SELL, OR OFFER TO SELL, IN A STORE OR
21	ONLINE, A GAS-FUELED STOVE TO A CONSUMER IN THE STATE UNLESS AN
22	ADHESIVE LABEL ON THE GAS-FUELED STOVE BEARS THE FOLLOWING
23	STATEMENT IN BOLD-FACED TYPE THAT IS CLEARLY LEGIBLE IN ENGLISH
24	AND SPANISH:
25	THIS APPLIANCE SHOULD BE VENTILATED TO THE

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2	(2) A COVERED ENTITY SHALL AFFIX THE ADHESIVE LABEL
3	DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION TO A GAS-FUELED STOVE
4	AS FOLLOWS:
5	(a) FOR A GAS-FUELED STOVE THAT INCLUDES AN OVEN, A
6	COVERED ENTITY SHALL AFFIX THE ADHESIVE LABEL TO THE LIP OF THE
7	GAS-FUELED STOVE IN A POSITION THAT IS CAPABLE OF BEING EASILY READ
8	BY A CONSUMER EXAMINING THE GAS-FUELED STOVE; AND
9	(b) FOR A GAS-FUELED STOVE COMPRISED OF A COOKTOP THAT
10	PROVIDES SURFACE COOKING, A COVERED ENTITY SHALL AFFIX THE
11	ADHESIVE LABEL IN A POSITION THAT IS CAPABLE OF BEING EASILY READ
12	BY A CONSUMER EXAMINING THE GAS-FUELED STOVE. THE ADHESIVE
13	LABEL MUST BE REMOVABLE BY THE CONSUMER.
14	(3) Before transacting an online sale of a gas-fueled
15	STOVE TO AN ADDRESS IN THE STATE, A COVERED ENTITY SHALL
16	PROMINENTLY POST ON THE INTERNET WEBSITE WHERE THE ONLINE SALE
17	OCCURS THE CONTENT OF THE LABEL DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF
18	THIS SECTION FOR THE PROSPECTIVE PURCHASER.
19	25-5-1603. Enforcement. A COVERED ENTITY THAT, IN THE
20	COURSE OF THE COVERED ENTITY'S BUSINESS, VIOLATES SECTION
21	25-5-1602 COMMITS A DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICE UNDER THE
22	"COLORADO CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT", ARTICLE 1 OF TITLE 6.
23	SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 6-1-105, add (1)(iiii)
24	as follows:
25	6-1-105. Unfair or deceptive trade practices - definitions.
26	(1) A person engages in a deceptive trade practice when, in the course of
27	the person's business, vocation, or occupation, the person:

1 EXTERIOR WHEN IN USE.

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1	(iiii) VIOLATES SECTION 25-5-1602.
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3	SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date -
4	applicability. (1) This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following
5	the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the
6	general assembly; except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant
7	to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an
8	item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item,
9	section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the
10	general election to be held in November 2026 and, in such case, will take
11	effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the
12	governor.
13	(2) This act applies to conduct occurring on or after the applicable
14	effective date of this act.

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