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# An Act

HOUSE BILL 21-1328

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Herod and Van Winkle, Burnett, Neville, Pico, Ricks, Sandridge, Snyder, Williams;  
also SENATOR(S) Fields and Priola, Coleman, Garcia.

CONCERNING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF SENATE BILL 20-123.

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

**SECTION 1.** In Session Laws of Colorado 2020, **amend** section 4 of chapter 35 as follows:

Section 4. **Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act takes effect ~~January 1, 2023~~ JULY 1, 2021; except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect ~~January 1, 2023~~ JULY 1, 2021.

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

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

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Alec Garnett  
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Leroy M. Garcia  
PRESIDENT OF  
THE SENATE

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OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Cindi L. Markwell  
SECRETARY OF  
THE SENATE

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date and Time)

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Jared S. Polis  
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO