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The Honorable Colorado State House of Representatives
The 73rd General Assembly
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Colorado State Capitol
200 East Colfax Avenue
Denver, CO, 80203

Dear Honorable Members of the Colorado State House of Representatives:

Today I vetoed House Bill 21-1196, "Update Senate Bill 19-263 Effective Date Clause" at 9:10 am.

House Bill 21-1196 (HB 21-1196), which originated with the Statutory Revision Committee and which updated an effective date that was contained in Senate Bill 19-263, has no practical effect because Senate Bill 21-260 repealed the requirement that a statewide ballot issue seeking authorization for the issuance of TRANS be referred to the voters at the 2021 statewide election. As such, if signed HB21-1196 might only serve to confuse Coloradans.

I appreciate the work of the sponsors and the Statutory Revision Committee generally, and look forward to signing many more of the committee's cleanup bills in the future.

Therefore, HB 21-1196 is disapproved and vetoed.

Sincerely,

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Jared Polis

Governor