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CHAPTER 62

HEALTH

WATER QUALITY CONTROL — HEARING OFFICERS

SENATE BILL NO. 86. BY SENATOR Anderson; also REPRESENTATIVES Gunn, Gaon, and Quinlan.

AN ACT

AMENDING 66-28-401 (6), COLORADO REVISED STATUTES 1963, AS AMENDED, CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT AND QUALIFICATIONS OF HEARING OFFICERS.

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

Section 1. 66-28-401 (6), Colorado Revised Statutes 1963, as amended by section 1 of chapter 210, Session Laws of Colorado 1973, is amended to read:

66-28-401. Authority and procedures for hearings. (6) The commission or division may designate a hearing officer who shall have the power to issue notices of hearings, to issue subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses and the production of evidence, to administer oaths, and to take such testimony as may be necessary or in conformity with article 16 of chapter 3, C.R.S. 1963; and such hearing officer shall certify and file recommended findings, conclusions, and a proposed order with the commission or division, as appropriate, for adoption or modification by such commission or division. IF THE HEARING FOR WHICH A HEARING OFFICER IS TO BE DESIGNATED IS A HEARING FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING CONTROL REGULATIONS OR FOR THE PURPOSE OF A HEARING HELD PURSUANT TO SECTION 66-28-502, THE HEARING OFFICER MAY BE AN EMPLOYEE OF THE DIVISION.

Section 2. **Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

Approved: March 26, 1974