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Colorado Workforce Center, Glenwood Springs Chamber Resort Association, and Colorado Mountain College Present Employer Workshop
Colorado Anti-Discrimination Law and Status of the Rules Regarding the 2009 Amendment to the Americans with Disabilities Act to be discussed

When: Tuesday February 24th, 2009

Time: 2:00 – 4:00 pm

**Where: Colorado Mountain College – Glenwood Springs Center, RM# 3F
1402 Blake Ave.
Glenwood Springs CO. 81601**

Employers will have the opportunity to learn and discuss Colorado's employment Anti-Discrimination laws and learn more about the status of changes to the new 2009 ADA by attending a seminar. Questions and informal discussion of employment topics are encouraged as part of the program. This is your chance to ask an expert the questions you have always wondered about regarding these topics and how it may affect your business.

Colorado Anti-Discrimination Law: Presented by Francie McDonald from the Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies, Civil Rights Division.

Ms. McDonald is the Outreach & Education Coordinator for the Colorado Civil Rights Division. She works with employers and interested groups throughout the state of Colorado to educate them regarding the anti-discrimination sections of the Colorado law. These sections include anti-discrimination portions related to employment, housing and public accommodation. Among other duties, she is responsible for managing the Civil Rights Division's website, found www.dora.state.co.us/civil-rights, and participates in the review and preparation of present and pending legislation as appropriate. Francie's twenty years of active

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practice of law, preceded by a high level human resources position with a large Colorado company, emphasized all aspects of employment law being involved in the development of diversity plans, recruitment, hiring, and the development of rules and handbooks.

Status of the 2009 Amendment to the Americans with Disabilities Act: Presented by Colorado Workforce Center Staff.

Why should you attend this seminar?

Presentations and discussions will lead to positive management of your employees, employee retention and an increased bottom line profit for your business helping you to thrive in this tough economic time.

To RSVP for this event:

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About the Glenwood Springs Chamber: Located in the heart of the downtown at 1102 Grand Avenue in Glenwood Springs, CO, the Glenwood Springs Chamber is a not-for-profit organization with 650 members. The purpose of the GSCRA is to provide leadership, promote commerce, encourage measured growth and continue to support such endeavors which will enrich the quality of life in our community. For more information, or to become a chamber member, phone (970)945-6589.