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HOUSE BILL 17-1074

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Arndt, Thurlow, Hooton, Humphrey, Kraft-Tharp, Lawrence, Lontine, Neville P., Pabon, Sias, Valdez, Duran; also SENATOR(S) Holbert, Kerr, Moreno, Tate, Cooke, Crowder, Gardner, Hill, Kagan, Martinez Humenik, Priola, Scott, Todd.

CONCERNING THE REPEAL OF OBSOLETE LAWS RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, repeal 2-1-101.

**SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-1-102, **amend** (1) introductory portion as follows:

**2-1-102.** Neutral criteria for judicial determinations of congressional districts. (1) In determining whether one or more of the congressional districts established in section 2-1-101 ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 44 OF ARTICLE V OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION are lawful and in adopting or enforcing any change to any such district, courts:

**SECTION 3.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the

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ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 9, 2017, if adjournment sine die is on May 10, 2017); 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 such period, 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 2018 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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APPROVED\_\_\_\_\_

John W. Hickenlooper GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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