

## CHAPTER 140

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**CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE**

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**HOUSE BILL 03-1020**

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Boyd, Frangas, Jahn, Madden, Paccione, Pommer, Romanoff, Tochtrop, Veiga, and Williams S.;  
also SENATOR(S) Groff, Grossman, Hanna, and Tapia.

**AN ACT****CONCERNING FORGERY.**

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

**SECTION 1.** 18-1-202 (7) (b) (II) (S) and (7) (b) (II) (T), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended, and the said 18-1-202 (7) (b) (II) is further amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUB-SUBPARAGRAPH, to read:

**18-1-202. Place of trial.** (7) (b) (II) The provisions of subparagraph (I) of this paragraph (b) shall apply to the following offenses:

(S) Fraud in connection with obtaining public assistance, as described in section 26-1-127, C.R.S.; ~~and~~

(T) Fraud in connection with obtaining food stamps, as described in section 26-2-305, C.R.S.; AND

(U) FORGERY, AS DEFINED IN SECTIONS 18-5-102 AND 18-5-104.

**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.

Approved: April 17, 2003

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