

NOTE: The governor signed this measure on 6/10/2016.

An Act

HOUSE BILL 16-1367

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Hamner and Rankin, Becker K., Klingenschmitt, Pabon, Rosenthal, Salazar, Vigil, Hulinghorst; also SENATOR(S) Hodge and Marble.

CONCERNING THE RE-CATEGORIZATION OF CERTAIN COUNTIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING SALARIES PAID TO COUNTY OFFICERS IN THOSE COUNTIES.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 30-2-102, **amend** (1.5) (a) as follows:

30-2-102. Categorization of counties for fixing salaries of county officers - salary amounts - legislative declaration. (1.5) (a) For the purpose of establishing the salaries of county officers whose terms of office begin on or after January 1, 2016:

(I) (A) Category I-A counties consist of the counties of Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Douglas, El Paso, Jefferson, Larimer, Pueblo, and Weld;

(B) CATEGORY I-D COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTY OF MESA.

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

(II) (A) Category II-A counties consist of the counties of Eagle, ~~Fremont~~, Garfield, La Plata, ~~Mesa~~, ~~Pitkin~~, Routt, and Summit;

(B) CATEGORY II-C COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF FREMONT AND PITKIN.

(III) (A) Category III-A counties consist of the counties of Alamosa, ~~Archuleta~~, Chaffee, Clear Creek, ~~Delta~~, ~~Gilpin~~, ~~Grand~~, Gunnison, ~~Las Animas~~, ~~Logan~~, Moffat, ~~Montezuma~~, Montrose, Morgan, ~~Otero~~, Park, Rio Blanco, San Miguel, and Teller;

(B) CATEGORY III-B COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF ARCHULETA, DELTA, GILPIN, AND LOGAN;

(C) CATEGORY III-C COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTY OF OTERO;

(D) CATEGORY III-D COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF GRAND, LAS ANIMAS, AND MONTEZUMA.

(IV) (A) Category IV-A counties consist of the counties of Custer, Elbert, ~~Huerfano~~, ~~Kit Carson~~, Lake, Ouray, AND Prowers; ~~Rio Grande~~, ~~Washington~~, and Yuma;

(B) CATEGORY IV-B COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF KIT CARSON, WASHINGTON, AND YUMA;

(C) CATEGORY IV-C COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTY OF HUERFANO;

(D) CATEGORY IV-D COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTY OF RIO GRANDE.

(V) (A) Category V-A counties consist of the counties of Baca, ~~Bent~~, ~~Cheyenne~~, Conejos, Costilla, ~~Crowley~~, ~~Dolores~~, ~~Hinsdale~~, Lincoln, Mineral, Phillips, ~~Saguache~~, and San Juan; and

(B) CATEGORY V-B COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF CROWLEY AND HINSDALE;

(C) CATEGORY V-C COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF BENT AND DOLORES;

(D) CATEGORY V-D COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF CHEYENNE AND SAGUACHE.

(VI) (A) ~~Category VI-A~~ CATEGORY VI-B counties consist of the ~~counties~~ COUNTY of Jackson, ~~Kiowa and Sedgwick~~;

(B) CATEGORY VI-D COUNTIES CONSIST OF THE COUNTIES OF JACKSON AND KIOWA.

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.

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