

CHAPTER 333

ELECTIONS

SENATE BILL 93-229

BY SENATORS Roberts, Wells, and Schroeder;
also REPRESENTATIVES R. Hernandez, Jerke, and Pffifner.

AN ACT

**CONCERNING THE COLOR OF INK THAT AN ELECTOR IS ENCOURAGED TO USE IN SIGNING A PETITION,
INCLUDING AN INITIATIVE OR REFERENDUM PETITION.**

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

SECTION 1. 1-40-106 (2) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes, 1980 Repl. Vol., as amended, is amended to read:

1-40-106. Warning - signatures - affidavits - circulators. (2) (a) Any initiative or referendum petition shall be signed only by registered electors. Each registered elector shall sign his own signature and shall print his name, the address at which he resides, including the street number and name, the city and town, the county, and the date of signing. Each registered elector signing a petition shall be encouraged by the circulator of such petition to sign such petition in ~~black~~ ink. In the event a registered elector is physically disabled or is illiterate and wishes to sign such petition, such elector shall sign or make his mark in the space so provided. Any person, but not a circulator, may assist the disabled or illiterate elector in completing the remaining information required by this paragraph (a). The person providing assistance shall sign his name and address and shall state that such assistance was rendered to the disabled or illiterate elector.

SECTION 2. Effective date. This act shall take effect July 1, 1993.

SECTION 3. 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: June 9, 1993

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