

CHAPTER 130

**CONSUMER AND COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS**

**HOUSE BILL 02-1162**

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Cloer, Jahn, Kester, King, Lee, Mace, Schultheis, Stafford, White, Garcia, Groff, Jameson, Smith, Tapia, and Weddig;  
also SENATOR(S) Epps, Perlmutter, and Takis.

**AN ACT**

**CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST IMPOSING ADDITIONAL CHARGES ON WINNERS OF SWEEPSTAKES WHO MUST RESPOND TO THE SPONSOR OF THE SWEEPSTAKE TO CLAIM THE PRIZE.**

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

**SECTION 1.** 6-1-803, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

**6-1-803. Prohibited practices and required disclosures.** (17) NO SPONSOR, REQUIRING A PERSON TO RESPOND IN ANY MANNER TO CLAIM A PRIZE, SHALL REQUIRE THE PERSON TO PURCHASE INSURANCE; EXCEPT THAT THE SPONSOR IS IN NO WAY RESPONSIBLE FOR APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL TAXES ON THE PRIZE; AND EXCEPT THAT A SPONSOR MAY REQUIRE PROOF OF HEALTH INSURANCE IN ORDER TO CLAIM A PRIZE FOR TRAVEL OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES. SUCH HEALTH INSURANCE MAY NOT BE ACQUIRED FROM THE SPONSOR.

**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 25, 2002

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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.*