

## CHAPTER 192

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**CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE**

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**HOUSE BILL 03-1304**

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) McCluskey, Hall, Berry, Briggs, Fairbank, Frangas, Fritz, Hoppe, Larson, Lee, May M., Merrifield, Paccione, Rippy, Rose, Sinclair, Spence, Spradley, Stafford, White, Wiens, Boyd, Brophy, Carroll, Cloer, Coleman, Garcia, Harvey, Hefley, Jahn, Johnson R., King, Madden, Marshall, Miller, Pommer, Rhodes, Romanoff, Schultheis, Smith, Weissmann, Williams S., and Young;

also SENATOR(S) Johnson S., Anderson, Andrews, Arnold, Chlouber, Dyer, Evans, Groff, Hagedorn, Hanna, Kester, Lamborn, May R., McElhany, Reeves, Sandoval, Tapia, Taylor, Teck, Tupa, and Windels.

**AN ACT****CONCERNING THE PENALTIES ASSOCIATED WITH IMPERSONATING A PEACE OFFICER.**

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

**SECTION 1.** 18-8-112, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**18-8-112. Impersonating a peace officer.** A person who falsely pretends to be a peace officer and performs an act in that pretended capacity commits impersonating a peace officer, which is a ~~class 2~~ CLASS 1 misdemeanor.

**SECTION 2. Effective date - applicability.** This act shall take effect May 1, 2003, and shall apply to offenses committed on or after said date.

**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: April 29, 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.*