

CHAPTER 107

CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE

SENATE BILL 11-007

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AN ACT**CONCERNING THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE PROSECUTION OF A PERSON WHO IS CHARGED WITH
FAILURE TO REGISTER AS A SEX OFFENDER.**

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

SECTION 1. 18-1-202 (12), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

18-1-202. Place of trial. (12) If a person commits the offense of failure to register as a sex offender as provided in section 18-3-412.5, the offense is committed and the offender may be tried ~~in the county in which the offender was released from incarceration for commission of the offense requiring registration or~~ in the county in which the offender resides, IN THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE OFFENDER COMPLETED HIS OR HER LAST REGISTRATION, or in the county in which the offender is apprehended.

SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 10, 2011, if adjournment sine die is on May 11, 2011); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2012 and shall take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: April 13, 2011

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