

CHAPTER 66

CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE

HOUSE BILL 24-1241

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AN ACT

CONCERNING ALIGNING THE THRESHOLD FOR A COMPARABLE MUNICIPAL OFFENSE TO A STATE-LEVEL PETTY PROPERTY CRIME FOR PURPOSES OF PROHIBITING A MONETARY CONDITION OF RELEASE.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 16-4-113, **amend** (2)(a) as follows:

16-4-113. Type of bond in certain misdemeanor cases. (2) (a) For a defendant charged with a traffic offense, a petty offense, or a comparable municipal offense, a court shall not impose a monetary condition of release. If the comparable municipal offense is a property crime and the factual basis reflects a value of ~~less than fifty dollars~~ and the offense ~~PROPERTY LOSS OR DAMAGE THAT~~ would be a petty offense ~~PROPERTY CRIME IF CHARGED~~ under state law, this subsection (2)(a) applies.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety or for appropriations for the support and maintenance of the departments of the state and state institutions.

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