NOTE: This bill has been prepared for the signatures of the appropriate legislative officers and the Governor. To determine whether the Governor has signed the bill or taken other action on it, please consult the legislative status sheet, the legislative history, or the Session Laws.

HOUSE BILL 20-1281

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Pelton and Valdez D., Gray, Liston, Neville; also SENATOR(S) Hisey, Crowder, Donovan, Gardner, Holbert, Marble, Priola, Rankin, Sonnenberg, Tate.

CONCERNING THE SALARY CATEGORIZATION OF LOCALLY ELECTED OFFICERS IN SPECIFIED COUNTIES.

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

**SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 30-2-102, **amend** (1.5)(a)(III)(A), (1.5)(a)(III)(B), (1.5)(a)(IV)(B), and (1.5)(a)(IV)(C) as follows:

**30-2-102.** Categorization of counties for fixing salaries of county officers - salary amounts - legislative declaration. (1.5) (a) For the purpose of establishing the salaries of county officers whose terms of office begin on or after January 1, 2016:

(III) (A) Category III-A counties consist of the counties of Alamosa, Chaffee, Clear Creek, Gunnison, Moffat, Montrose, Morgan, Park, Rio Blanco, San Miguel, and Teller;

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.

(B) Category III-B counties consist of the counties of ALAMOSA, Archuleta, Delta, Gilpin, Grand, and Logan;

(IV) (B) Category IV-B counties consist of the counties of Kit Carson, Lake, AND Washington; and Yuma;

(C) Category IV-C counties consist of the counties of Huerfano, <del>and</del> Rio Grande, AND YUMA;

**SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes 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 5, 2020, if adjournment sine die is on May 6, 2020); 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 will not take effect unless

approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2020 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

KC Becker SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Leroy M. Garcia PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Robin Jones CHIEF CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Cindi L. Markwell SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

APPROVED\_\_\_\_

(Date and Time)

Jared S. Polis GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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