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An Act

HOUSE BILL 17-1145

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Herod, Liston, Nordberg, Pabon, Willett, Becker K., Esgar, Ginal, Gray, Hamner, Hooton, Lawrence, Lebsock, Lontine, Melton, Mitsch Bush, Rosenthal, Valdez, Winter, Duran; also SENATOR(S) Gardner, Aguilar, Fenberg, Fields, Jones, Kerr, Merrifield, Moreno, Neville T., Tate, Todd, Williams A., Grantham.

CONCERNING AUTHORIZATION FOR AMATEUR WINEMAKERS TO ENTER WINES IN ORGANIZED EVENTS.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 12-47-106, **amend** (2)(d) as follows:

12-47-106. Exemptions. (2) (d) Malt liquors OR VINOUS LIQUORS produced ~~pursuant to~~ IN ACCORDANCE WITH this subsection (2) may be transported and delivered by the producer to any licensed ~~premise~~ PREMISES where consumption of malt liquors OR VINOUS LIQUORS by persons ~~over the age of twenty-one~~ AT LEAST TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE is authorized for use at organized affairs, exhibitions, or competitions, such as home brew OR WINE-MAKING contests, tastings, or judgments. TO CLAIM THIS EXEMPTION, consumption ~~shall~~ MUST be limited solely to the participants in and judges of ~~such~~ THE events. Malt liquors OR VINOUS LIQUORS used for

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

the purposes described in this ~~paragraph (d) shall~~ SUBSECTION (2)(d) MUST ALSO be served in portions not exceeding six ounces and ~~shall~~ MUST not be sold, offered for sale, or made available for consumption by the general public.

SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date - applicability. (1) 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 9, 2017, if adjournment sine die is on May 10, 2017); 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 2018 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

(2) This act applies to organized events occurring on or after the applicable effective date of this act.

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