

2023-2024 #283 - Amended

Be it Enacted by the People of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In ~~the Colorado Revised Statutes~~constitution, ~~24-77-101~~section 20 of article X, ~~add~~amend ~~(5-52)~~ as follows:

~~24-77-101.(2) Term Definitions~~definitions. ~~As used in this article 77, unless the context otherwise requires~~Within this section:

~~(5d.5)~~ “FEE” MEANS A VOLUNTARILY INCURRED GOVERNMENTAL CHARGE IN EXCHANGE FOR SPECIFIC BENEFIT CONFERRED ON THE PAYER, WHICH FEE SHOULD REASONABLY APPROXIMATE THE PAYER'S FAIR SHARE OF THE COSTS INCURRED BY THE GOVERNMENT IN PROVIDING SAID SPECIFIC BENEFIT.

~~SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add 24-77-108 as follows:~~

~~24-77-108. Prohibited fees. NO PERSON SHALL BE ASSESSED A FEE UNLESS THE ASSESSED AMOUNT IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH C.R.S. 24-77-101.~~

SECTION 32. Effective date – applicability.

(1) Effective date. This act takes effect on upon ~~passage by the voters and signature~~the official declaration of the vote thereon by proclamation of the Governor.

(2) This definition applies to fees enacted or increased on or after the effective date of this act.