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BALLOT TITLE SETTING BOARD

Colorado Secretary of State

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED INITIATIVE 2019-2020 #3

MOTION FOR REHEARING ON PROPOSED INITIATIVE 2019-2020 #3

On behalf of Carol Hedges and Steve Briggs, representatives of the proponents of Proposed Initiative 2019-2020 #3, undersigned counsel hereby submits this Motion for Rehearing on said Initiative pursuant to Section 1-40-107, C.R.S. (2018), and as grounds therefore states as follows:

1. The Ballot Title Setting Board denied the setting of a title for Proposed Initiative 2019-2020 #3 on the grounds that it does not constitute a single subject. Proponents request a rehearing on the issue of whether a straight repeal – as distinct from adoption, amendment, or preventing a repeal – constitutes a single subject in this context.

2. The Proponents also are not satisfied with the abstract prepared by the Director of Research of the Legislative Council of the General Assembly with regard to Proposed Initiative 2019-2020 #3. The Proponents submit that commentary in the abstract regarding an expected economic impact of shifting a portion of the state's economy from the private sector to the public sector, as well as a corresponding reduction in household and business spending or saving, is wholly speculative regarding unknowable legislative responses to the restoration of its core constitutional responsibilities, incorrect, misleading, and prejudicial.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd day of January, 2019.

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