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Via Facsimile (303-866-3855)
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Kirk Mlinek
Director, Legislative Council Staff
Room 029
State Capitol Building
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Proposed Initiative
Our File No. 1913.58

Dear Mr. Mlinek:

Enclosed is a proposed initiative for a constitutional amendment to the Colorado Constitution for review and comment by the Legislative Council Staff.

The names, addresses, and contact information of two people who are representing the proponents of this proposed initiative are:

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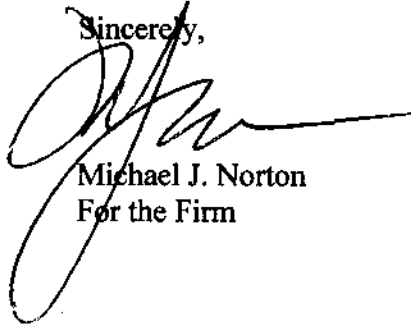
In addition to these two proponents, please also direct any communications or comments about this proposed initiative to the undersigned.

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Thank you for your courtesy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Norton", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Michael J. Norton
For the Firm

Enclosure

cc: Representative Kevin Lundberg (with enclosure)
Mr. Perkins (with enclosure)

PROPOSED INITIATIVE

Ballot Title:

AN AMENDMENT TO THE COLORADO CONSTITUTION EXPRESSING THE REQUIREMENT THAT NEITHER THE STATE NOR ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS MAY CREATE OR RECOGNIZE A LEGAL STATUS SIMILAR TO THAT OF MARRIAGE AS DEFINED IN C.R.S. §§ 14-2-101 through 104, THE UNIFORM MARRIAGE ACT.

Text

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

Section 1: Article II of the Colorado constitution is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to read:

Section 32. Legal Status of Marriage.

Neither the state nor any of its political subdivisions may create or recognize a legal status similar to that of marriage, as defined in Colorado Revised Statute § 14-2-101 through 104 (2005) (the Uniform Marriage Act).

Section 2: Effective date.

This section shall take effect upon proclamation of the vote by the governor.