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STATEMENT OF SUFFICIENCY

Proposed Initiative 2015-2016 #96 "Requirements for Initiated Constitutional Amendments"

August 16, 2016

On August 5, 2016, the proponents and designated representatives of Proposed Initiative 2015-2016 #96 ("Requirements for Initiated Constitutional Amendments") submitted 183,691 petition signatures to the Secretary of State. After reviewing a five-percent random sample of the submitted signatures, the Secretary of State projected the number of valid signatures to be greater than 110 percent of the total number of signatures required for placement on the ballot.

Random sample verification summary:

Total number of qualified signatures submitted	183,691
5% of qualified signatures submitted (random sample)	9,185
Total number of entries accepted (valid) from the random sample	6,353
Total number of entries rejected (invalid) from the random sample	2,832
Number of projected valid signatures from the random sample	127,054
Total number of signatures required for placement on ballot	98,492
Projected percentage of required valid signatures	129.00%

Because the random sample verification established that the projected number of valid signatures totals 129.00 percent of the amount required for placement on the ballot, Proposed Initiative 2015-2016 #96 is sufficient and will be certified to the 2016 general election ballot.

Dated August 16, 2016.

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Colorado Secretary of State