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SENATE BILL 13-164

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING QUALIFICATIONS FOR DIRECTORS OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries.)

Current law requires candidates for school board membership to have been a registered elector of the district for 12 consecutive months prior to election. The bill repeals the requirement that the candidate be a registered elector of the district.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 22-31-107, amend 3 (1) as follows: 4 22-31-107. Candidates for school director - call - qualification 5 - **nomination.** (1) Any candidate for the office of school director of a 6 school district shall have been a registered elector of the district for at 7 least twelve consecutive months prior to the election. If the school district 8 has a director district plan of representation or a combined director 9 district and at-large plan of representation, the candidate shall be a 10 resident of the director district that will be represented, unless the 11 candidate will serve as an at-large director or has been elected at the time 12 of or prior to the adoption of a director district plan of representation or 13 a combined director district and at-large plan of representation by the 14 eligible electors of the district. 15 **SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act 16 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the 17 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 18 7, 2013, if adjournment sine die is on May 8, 2013); except that, if a 19 referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the 20 state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act 21 within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect 22 unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in 23 November 2014 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the

official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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