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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Proclamation
Declaration of Vote on Proposition 116 - State Income Tax Rate Reduction

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado, and, in particular, pursuant to Article V, Section 1(4)(a) of the Colorado Constitution, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this proclamation declaring the vote on Proposition 116.

I. Background and Purpose

Proposition 116 was referred to the people of the state at the biennial regular election held on November 3, 2020. Secretary of State Jena Griswold certified on December 11, 2020 that she had canvassed the “Abstract of Votes Cast,” and that the measure was approved by a majority of the votes cast.

Pursuant to Article V, Section 1(4)(a) of the Colorado Constitution, measures in initiated or referred to the people of the state shall become law or part of the constitution when approved by a majority of the votes cast, and shall take effect from and after the date of the official declaration of the vote by proclamation of the governor, but not later than thirty days after the vote has been canvassed.

II. Declaration

Accordingly, I hereby issue this proclamation declaring the vote of the following measure referred to the people on November 3, 2020:

Shall there be a change to the Colorado Revised Statutes reducing the state income tax rate from 4.63% to 4.55%?

Yes – 1,821,702 (57.86 percent)
No – 1,327,025 (42.14 percent)
GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this thirty-first day of December, 2020.

Jared Polis
Governor