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STATE OF COLORADO**

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LLS NO. 14-0045.01 Richard Sweetman x4333

HOUSE BILL 14-1059

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

Garcia,

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Crowder,

House Committees
State, Veterans, & Military Affairs

Senate Committees
State, Veterans, & Military Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING CLARIFYING THAT THE RITUAL DISCHARGE OF BLANK**
102 **AMMUNITION CARTRIDGES AT A MILITARY FUNERAL DOES NOT**
103 **CONSTITUTE THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF DISORDERLY CONDUCT.**

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>.)

The ritual discharge of blank ammunition cartridges at a funeral for a deceased person who was a veteran of the United States armed forces does not constitute disorderly conduct.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

SENATE
2nd Reading Unamended
February 24, 2014

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
January 27, 2014

HOUSE
Amended 2nd Reading
January 24, 2014

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-9-106, **amend** (1)

3 (e) as follows:

4 **18-9-106. Disorderly conduct.** (1) A person commits disorderly
5 conduct if he or she intentionally, knowingly, or recklessly:

6 (e) Not being a peace officer, discharges a firearm in a public
7 place except when engaged in lawful target practice or hunting OR THE
8 RITUAL DISCHARGE OF BLANK AMMUNITION CARTRIDGES AS AN ATTENDEE
9 AT A FUNERAL FOR A DECEASED PERSON WHO WAS A VETERAN OF THE
10 ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES; or

11 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
12 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
13 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.