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Subject: SB 1012 Referendum Determination

December 2, 2025

Dear SB 1012 Referendum Sponsors,

Utah Code §20A-7-105(5)(a)(ii) requires that all signature packets for a statewide referendum be submitted to county clerks within 40 calendar days after the legislative session in which the law was passed. Additionally, Utah Code §20A-7-301(1)(a)(ii) requires sponsors to gather 140,748 valid signatures from at least 15 Senate districts. Under Utah Code §20A-7-307(3)(b), the Lieutenant Governor must declare a referendum insufficient if any of these statutory requirements are not met.

The “Congressional Boundaries Designation” referendum was submitted on October 14, 2025 after the completion of the October 6, 2025 special session. Accordingly, the deadline to have submitted signatures to county clerks was 5:00 p.m. on November 17, 2025. No signature packets were submitted to county clerks by that deadline.

Because the required signature threshold was not met, the “Congressional Boundaries Designation” Referendum is insufficient, and therefore will not be placed on the ballot (Utah Code 20a-7-307). The official determination letter has been attached to this email for your review.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "iM. Stringam".

Kenna Stringam
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