

**Trevor Lee** proposes the following substitute bill:

**Voter Registration Records Amendments**

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Senate Sponsor:

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3 **LONG TITLE**

4 **General Description:**

5 This bill amends provisions relating to voter registration records.

6 **Highlighted Provisions:**

7 This bill:

8 ▶ defines terms;

9 ▶ modifies and recodifies provisions relating to:

10 • the information in a voter registration record that is available to a person based on the  
11 capacity in which the person requests the information; and

12 • the requirements to obtain additional privacy protection for a voter registration record;

13 ▶ provides that a voter's voter registration record that, before May 7, 2025, was classified as  
14 private without requiring a reason for the classification will be reclassified as a public  
15 voter registration record, unless the voter takes certain action to obtain additional  
16 protection for the voter's voter registration record;

17 ▶ requires an election officer to notify a voter whose voter registration is subject to  
18 reclassification as described in the preceding paragraph in order to give the voter an  
19 opportunity to apply for additional protection for the voter's voter registration record;

20 ▶ requires the assignment of new voter identification numbers;

21 ▶ modifies the voter registration form to reflect the changes made in this bill;

22 ▶ establishes additional requirements to ensure the removal of deceased individuals from  
23 voter registration records;

24 ▶ modifies penalties that may be imposed in relation to the unlawful disclosure of a voter  
25 registration record;

26 ▶ makes technical and conforming changes; and

27 ▶ coordinates this bill with S.B. 191, Protective Orders Amendments, to, by reference,  
28 adopt a definition added in S.B. 191.

29 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

30 None

31 **Other Special Clauses:**

32 This bill provides a coordination clause.

33 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

34 AMENDS:

35 **20A-1-102**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 438

36 **20A-2-104**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapters 327, 406

37 **20A-2-108**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 406

38 **20A-2-204**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 237

39 **20A-2-504**, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 297

40 **20A-2-505**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapters 327, 406 and renumbered  
41 and amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 297

42 **20A-3a-401**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 477

43 **20A-5-410**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2022, Chapter 248

44 **20A-6-105**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 406

45 **63G-2-301**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapters 255, 399

46 **63G-2-302**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 234

47 **63G-2-303**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2024, Chapter 465

48 ENACTS:

49 **20A-2-601**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

50 **20A-2-602**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

51 **20A-2-603**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

52 **20A-2-604**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

53 **20A-2-605**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

54 **20A-2-606**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

55 **20A-2-607**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

56 **Utah Code Sections affected by Coordination Clause:**



58 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

59 Section 1. Section **20A-1-102** is amended to read:

60 **20A-1-102 . Definitions.**

61 As used in this title:

62 (1) "Active voter" means a registered voter who has not been classified as an inactive voter

- 63 by the county clerk.
- 64 (2) "Automatic tabulating equipment" means apparatus that automatically examines and  
65 counts votes recorded on ballots and tabulates the results.
- 66 (3)(a) "Ballot" means the storage medium, including a paper, mechanical, or electronic  
67 storage medium, that records an individual voter's vote.
- 68 (b) "Ballot" does not include a record to tally multiple votes.
- 69 (4) "Ballot proposition" means a question, issue, or proposal that is submitted to voters on  
70 the ballot for their approval or rejection including:
- 71 (a) an opinion question specifically authorized by the Legislature;
- 72 (b) a constitutional amendment;
- 73 (c) an initiative;
- 74 (d) a referendum;
- 75 (e) a bond proposition;
- 76 (f) a judicial retention question;
- 77 (g) an incorporation of a city or town; or
- 78 (h) any other ballot question specifically authorized by the Legislature.
- 79 (5) "Bind," "binding," or "bound" means securing more than one piece of paper together  
80 using staples or another means in at least three places across the top of the paper in the  
81 blank space reserved for securing the paper.
- 82 (6) "Board of canvassers" means the entities established by Sections 20A-4-301 and  
83 20A-4-306 to canvass election returns.
- 84 (7) "Bond election" means an election held for the purpose of approving or rejecting the  
85 proposed issuance of bonds by a government entity.
- 86 (8) "Business reply mail envelope" means an envelope that may be mailed free of charge by  
87 the sender.
- 88 (9) "Canvass" means the review of election returns and the official declaration of election  
89 results by the board of canvassers.
- 90 (10) "Canvassing judge" means a poll worker designated to assist in counting ballots at the  
91 canvass.
- 92 (11) "Contracting election officer" means an election officer who enters into a contract or  
93 interlocal agreement with a provider election officer.
- 94 (12) "Convention" means the political party convention at which party officers and  
95 delegates are selected.
- 96 (13) "Counting center" means one or more locations selected by the election officer in

97 charge of the election for the automatic counting of ballots.

98 (14) "Counting judge" means a poll worker designated to count the ballots during election  
99 day.

100 (15) "Counting room" means a suitable and convenient private place or room for use by the  
101 poll workers and counting judges to count ballots.

102 (16) "County officers" means those county officers that are required by law to be elected.

103 (17) "Date of the election" or "election day" or "day of the election":

104 (a) means the day that is specified in the calendar year as the day that the election  
105 occurs; and

106 (b) does not include:

107 (i) deadlines established for voting by mail, military-overseas voting, or emergency  
108 voting; or

109 (ii) any early voting or early voting period as provided under Chapter 3a, Part 6,  
110 Early Voting.

111 (18) "Elected official" means:

112 (a) a person elected to an office under Section 20A-1-303 or Chapter 4, Part 6,  
113 Municipal Alternate Voting Methods Pilot Project;

114 (b) a person who is considered to be elected to a municipal office in accordance with  
115 Subsection 20A-1-206(1)(c)(ii); or

116 (c) a person who is considered to be elected to a special district office in accordance  
117 with Subsection 20A-1-206(3)(b)(ii).

118 (19) "Election" means a regular general election, a municipal general election, a statewide  
119 special election, a local special election, a regular primary election, a municipal primary  
120 election, and a special district election.

121 (20) "Election Assistance Commission" means the commission established by the Help  
122 America Vote Act of 2002, Pub. L. No. 107-252.

123 (21) "Election cycle" means the period beginning on the first day persons are eligible to file  
124 declarations of candidacy and ending when the canvass is completed.

125 (22) "Election judge" means a poll worker that is assigned to:

126 (a) preside over other poll workers at a polling place;

127 (b) act as the presiding election judge; or

128 (c) serve as a canvassing judge, counting judge, or receiving judge.

129 (23) "Election officer" means:

130 (a) the lieutenant governor, for all statewide ballots and elections;

- 131 (b) the county clerk for:
- 132 (i) a county ballot and election; and
- 133 (ii) a ballot and election as a provider election officer as provided in Section
- 134 20A-5-400.1 or 20A-5-400.5;
- 135 (c) the municipal clerk for:
- 136 (i) a municipal ballot and election; and
- 137 (ii) a ballot and election as a provider election officer as provided in Section
- 138 20A-5-400.1 or 20A-5-400.5;
- 139 (d) the special district clerk or chief executive officer for:
- 140 (i) a special district ballot and election; and
- 141 (ii) a ballot and election as a provider election officer as provided in Section
- 142 20A-5-400.1 or 20A-5-400.5; or
- 143 (e) the business administrator or superintendent of a school district for:
- 144 (i) a school district ballot and election; and
- 145 (ii) a ballot and election as a provider election officer as provided in Section
- 146 20A-5-400.1 or 20A-5-400.5.
- 147 (24) "Election official" means any election officer, election judge, or poll worker.
- 148 (25) "Election results" means:
- 149 (a) for an election other than a bond election, the count of votes cast in the election and
- 150 the election returns requested by the board of canvassers; or
- 151 (b) for bond elections, the count of those votes cast for and against the bond proposition
- 152 plus any or all of the election returns that the board of canvassers may request.
- 153 (26) "Election returns" includes:
- 154 (a) the pollbook, the military and overseas absentee voter registration and voting
- 155 certificates, one of the tally sheets, any unprocessed ballots, all counted ballots, all
- 156 excess ballots, all unused ballots, all spoiled ballots, the ballot disposition form, and
- 157 the total votes cast form; and
- 158 (b) the record, described in Subsection 20A-3a-401(8)(c), of voters contacted to cure a
- 159 ballot.
- 160 (27) "Electronic signature" means an electronic sound, symbol, or process attached to or
- 161 logically associated with a record and executed or adopted by a person with the intent to
- 162 sign the record.
- 163 (28) "Inactive voter" means a registered voter who is listed as inactive by a county clerk
- 164 under Subsection 20A-2-505(4)(c)(i) or (ii).

- 165 (29) "Judicial office" means the office filled by any judicial officer.
- 166 (30) "Judicial officer" means any justice or judge of a court of record or any county court  
167 judge.
- 168 (31) "Local election" means a regular county election, a regular municipal election, a  
169 municipal primary election, a local special election, a special district election, and a  
170 bond election.
- 171 (32) "Local political subdivision" means a county, a municipality, a special district, or a  
172 local school district.
- 173 (33) "Local special election" means a special election called by the governing body of a  
174 local political subdivision in which all registered voters of the local political subdivision  
175 may vote.
- 176 (34) "Manual ballot" means a paper document produced by an election officer on which an  
177 individual records an individual's vote by directly placing a mark on the paper document  
178 using a pen or other marking instrument.
- 179 (35) "Mechanical ballot" means a record, including a paper record, electronic record, or  
180 mechanical record, that:
- 181 (a) is created via electronic or mechanical means; and
- 182 (b) records an individual voter's vote cast via a method other than an individual directly  
183 placing a mark, using a pen or other marking instrument, to record an individual  
184 voter's vote.
- 185 (36) "Municipal executive" means:
- 186 (a) the mayor in the council-mayor form of government defined in Section 10-3b-102; or
- 187 (b) the mayor in the council-manager form of government defined in Subsection  
188 10-3b-103(6).
- 189 (37) "Municipal general election" means the election held in municipalities and, as  
190 applicable, special districts on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of  
191 each odd-numbered year for the purposes established in Section 20A-1-202.
- 192 (38) "Municipal legislative body" means the council of the city or town in any form of  
193 municipal government.
- 194 (39) "Municipal office" means an elective office in a municipality.
- 195 (40) "Municipal officers" means those municipal officers that are required by law to be  
196 elected.
- 197 (41) "Municipal primary election" means an election held to nominate candidates for  
198 municipal office.

- 199 (42) "Municipality" means a city or town.
- 200 (43) "Official ballot" means the ballots distributed by the election officer for voters to  
201 record their votes.
- 202 (44) "Official endorsement" means the information on the ballot that identifies:  
203 (a) the ballot as an official ballot;  
204 (b) the date of the election; and  
205 (c)(i) for a ballot prepared by an election officer other than a county clerk, the  
206 facsimile signature required by Subsection 20A-6-401(1)(a)(iii); or  
207 (ii) for a ballot prepared by a county clerk, the words required by Subsection  
208 20A-6-301(1)(b)(iii).
- 209 (45) "Official register" means the official record furnished to election officials by the  
210 election officer that contains the information required by Section 20A-5-401.
- 211 (46) "Political party" means an organization of registered voters that has qualified to  
212 participate in an election by meeting the requirements of Chapter 8, Political Party  
213 Formation and Procedures.
- 214 (47)(a) "Poll worker" means a person assigned by an election official to assist with an  
215 election, voting, or counting votes.  
216 (b) "Poll worker" includes election judges.  
217 (c) "Poll worker" does not include a watcher.
- 218 (48) "Pollbook" means a record of the names of voters in the order that they appear to cast  
219 votes.
- 220 (49) "Polling place" means a building where voting is conducted.
- 221 (50) "Position" means a square, circle, rectangle, or other geometric shape on a ballot in  
222 which the voter marks the voter's choice.
- 223 (51) "Presidential Primary Election" means the election established in Chapter 9, Part 8,  
224 Presidential Primary Election.
- 225 (52) "Primary convention" means the political party conventions held during the year of the  
226 regular general election.
- 227 (53) "Protective counter" means a separate counter, which cannot be reset, that:  
228 (a) is built into a voting machine; and  
229 (b) records the total number of movements of the operating lever.
- 230 (54) "Provider election officer" means an election officer who enters into a contract or  
231 interlocal agreement with a contracting election officer to conduct an election for the  
232 contracting election officer's local political subdivision in accordance with Section

- 233 20A-5-400.1.
- 234 (55) "Provisional ballot" means a ballot voted provisionally by a person:
- 235 (a) whose name is not listed on the official register at the polling place;
- 236 (b) whose legal right to vote is challenged as provided in this title; or
- 237 (c) whose identity was not sufficiently established by a poll worker.
- 238 (56) "Provisional ballot envelope" means an envelope printed in the form required by
- 239 Section 20A-6-105 that is used to identify provisional ballots and to provide information
- 240 to verify a person's legal right to vote.
- 241 (57)(a) "Public figure" means an individual who, due to the individual being considered
- 242 for, holding, or having held a position of prominence in a public or private capacity,
- 243 or due to the individual's celebrity status, has an increased risk to the individual's
- 244 safety.
- 245 (b) "Public figure" does not include an individual:
- 246 (i) elected to public office, unless, in relation to the individual's service in public
- 247 office, the individual has received threats of harm to a person or property; or
- 248 (ii) appointed to fill a vacancy in an elected public office, unless, in relation to the
- 249 individual's service in public office, the individual has received threats of harm to
- 250 a person or property.
- 251 (58) "Qualify" or "qualified" means to take the oath of office and begin performing the
- 252 duties of the position for which the individual was elected.
- 253 (59) "Receiving judge" means the poll worker that checks the voter's name in the official
- 254 register at a polling place and provides the voter with a ballot.
- 255 (60) "Registration form" means a form by which an individual may register to vote under
- 256 this title.
- 257 (61) "Regular ballot" means a ballot that is not a provisional ballot.
- 258 (62) "Regular general election" means the election held throughout the state on the first
- 259 Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each even-numbered year for the
- 260 purposes established in Section 20A-1-201.
- 261 (63) "Regular primary election" means the election, held on the date specified in Section
- 262 20A-1-201.5, to nominate candidates of political parties and candidates for nonpartisan
- 263 local school board positions to advance to the regular general election.
- 264 (64) "Resident" means a person who resides within a specific voting precinct in Utah.
- 265 (65) "Return envelope" means the envelope, described in Subsection 20A-3a-202(4),
- 266 provided to a voter with a manual ballot:



- 267 (a) into which the voter places the manual ballot after the voter has voted the manual  
268 ballot in order to preserve the secrecy of the voter's vote; and
- 269 (b) that includes the voter affidavit and a place for the voter's signature.
- 270 (66) "Sample ballot" means a mock ballot similar in form to the official ballot, published as  
271 provided in Section 20A-5-405.
- 272 (67) "Special district" means a local government entity under Title 17B, Limited Purpose  
273 Local Government Entities - Special Districts, and includes a special service district  
274 under Title 17D, Chapter 1, Special Service District Act.
- 275 (68) "Special district officers" means those special district board members who are required  
276 by law to be elected.
- 277 (69) "Special election" means an election held as authorized by Section 20A-1-203.
- 278 (70) "Spoiled ballot" means each ballot that:
- 279 (a) is spoiled by the voter;
- 280 (b) is unable to be voted because it was spoiled by the printer or a poll worker; or
- 281 (c) lacks the official endorsement.
- 282 (71) "Statewide special election" means a special election called by the governor or the  
283 Legislature in which all registered voters in Utah may vote.
- 284 (72) "Tabulation system" means a device or system designed for the sole purpose of  
285 tabulating votes cast by voters at an election.
- 286 (73) "Ticket" means a list of:
- 287 (a) political parties;
- 288 (b) candidates for an office; or
- 289 (c) ballot propositions.
- 290 (74) "Transfer case" means the sealed box used to transport voted ballots to the counting  
291 center.
- 292 (75) "Vacancy" means:
- 293 (a) except as provided in Subsection (75)(b), the absence of an individual to serve in a  
294 position created by state constitution or state statute, whether that absence occurs  
295 because of death, disability, disqualification, resignation, or other cause ; or
- 296 (b) in relation to a candidate for a position created by state constitution or state statute,  
297 the removal of a candidate due to the candidate's death, resignation, or  
298 disqualification.
- 299 (76) "Valid voter identification" means:
- 300 (a) a form of identification that bears the name and photograph of the voter which may

- 301 include:
- 302 (i) a currently valid Utah driver license;
- 303 (ii) a currently valid identification card that is issued by:
- 304 (A) the state; or
- 305 (B) a branch, department, or agency of the United States;
- 306 (iii) a currently valid Utah permit to carry a concealed weapon;
- 307 (iv) a currently valid United States passport; or
- 308 (v) a currently valid United States military identification card;
- 309 (b) one of the following identification cards, whether or not the card includes a
- 310 photograph of the voter:
- 311 (i) a valid tribal identification card;
- 312 (ii) a Bureau of Indian Affairs card; or
- 313 (iii) a tribal treaty card; or
- 314 (c) two forms of identification not listed under Subsection (76)(a) or (b) but that bear the
- 315 name of the voter and provide evidence that the voter resides in the voting precinct,
- 316 which may include:
- 317 (i) a current utility bill or a legible copy thereof, dated within the 90 days before the
- 318 election;
- 319 (ii) a bank or other financial account statement, or a legible copy thereof;
- 320 (iii) a certified birth certificate;
- 321 (iv) a valid social security card;
- 322 (v) a check issued by the state or the federal government or a legible copy thereof;
- 323 (vi) a paycheck from the voter's employer, or a legible copy thereof;
- 324 (vii) a currently valid Utah hunting or fishing license;
- 325 (viii) certified naturalization documentation;
- 326 (ix) a currently valid license issued by an authorized agency of the United States;
- 327 (x) a certified copy of court records showing the voter's adoption or name change;
- 328 (xi) a valid Medicaid card, Medicare card, or Electronic Benefits Transfer Card;
- 329 (xii) a currently valid identification card issued by:
- 330 (A) a local government within the state;
- 331 (B) an employer for an employee; or
- 332 (C) a college, university, technical school, or professional school located within
- 333 the state; or
- 334 (xiii) a current Utah vehicle registration.

335 (77) "Valid write-in candidate" means a candidate who has qualified as a write-in candidate  
 336 by following the procedures and requirements of this title.

337 (78) "Vote by mail" means to vote, using a manual ballot that is mailed to the voter, by:

338 (a) mailing the ballot to the location designated in the mailing; or

339 (b) depositing the ballot in a ballot drop box designated by the election officer.

340 (79) "Voter" means an individual who:

341 (a) meets the requirements for voting in an election;

342 (b) meets the requirements of election registration;

343 (c) is registered to vote; and

344 (d) is listed in the official register book.

345 (80) "Voter registration deadline" means the registration deadline provided in Section  
 346 20A-2-102.5.

347 (81) "Voting area" means the area within six feet of the voting booths, voting machines,  
 348 and ballot box.

349 (82) "Voting booth" means:

350 (a) the space or compartment within a polling place that is provided for the preparation  
 351 of ballots, including the voting enclosure or curtain; or

352 (b) a voting device that is free standing.

353 (83) "Voting device" means any device provided by an election officer for a voter to vote a  
 354 mechanical ballot.

355 (84) "Voting precinct" means the smallest geographical voting unit, established under  
 356 Chapter 5, Part 3, Duties of the County and Municipal Legislative Bodies.

357 (85) "Watcher" means an individual who complies with the requirements described in  
 358 Section 20A-3a-801 to become a watcher for an election.

359 (86) "Write-in ballot" means a ballot containing any write-in votes.

360 (87) "Write-in vote" means a vote cast for an individual, whose name is not printed on the  
 361 ballot, in accordance with the procedures established in this title.

362 Section 2. Section **20A-2-104** is amended to read:

363 **20A-2-104 . Voter registration form.**

364 [~~(1) As used in this section:~~]

365 [~~(a) "Candidate for public office" means an individual:~~]

366 [~~(i) who files a declaration of candidacy for a public office;~~]

367 [~~(ii) who files a notice of intent to gather signatures under Section 20A-9-408; or]~~

368 [~~(iii) employed by, under contract with, or a volunteer of, an individual described in~~

369 Subsection (1)(a)(i) or (ii) for political campaign purposes.]  
 370 [(b) "Dating violence" means the same as that term is defined in Section 78B-7-402 and  
 371 the federal Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended.]  
 372 [(c) "Domestic violence" means the same as that term is defined in Section 77-36-1 and  
 373 the federal Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended.]  
 374 [(d) "Hash Code" means a code generated by applying an algorithm to a set of data to  
 375 produce a code that:]  
 376 [(i) uniquely represents the set of data;]  
 377 [(ii) is always the same if the same algorithm is applied to the same set of data; and]  
 378 [(iii) cannot be reversed to reveal the data applied to the algorithm.]

379 [(e) "Protected individual" means an individual:]  
 380 [(i) who submits a withholding request form with the individual's voter registration  
 381 record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the individual indicates  
 382 on the form that the individual, or an individual who resides with the individual, is  
 383 a victim of domestic violence or dating violence or is likely to be a victim of  
 384 domestic violence or dating violence;]  
 385 [(ii) who submits a withholding request form with the individual's voter registration  
 386 record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the individual indicates  
 387 on the form and provides verification that the individual, or an individual who  
 388 resides with the individual, is a law enforcement officer, a member of the armed  
 389 forces as defined in Section 20A-1-513, a public figure, or protected by a  
 390 protective order or protection order; or]  
 391 [(iii) whose voter registration record was classified as a private record at the request  
 392 of the individual before May 12, 2020.]

393 [(2)(a)] (1) An individual applying for voter registration, or an individual preregistering to vote,  
 394 shall complete a voter registration form in substantially the following form:

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396 UTAH ELECTION REGISTRATION FORM

397 Are you a citizen of the United States of America? Yes No

398 If you checked "no" to the above question, do not complete this form.

399 Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day? Yes No

400 If you checked "no" to the above question, are you 16 or 17 years of age and  
 401 preregistering to  
 vote? Yes No

402 If you checked "no" to both of the prior two questions, do not complete this form.

403 Name of Voter

404 \_\_\_\_\_

405 First Middle Last

406 Utah Driver License or Utah Identification Card

407 Number \_\_\_\_\_

408 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

409 Street Address of Principal Place of Residence

410 \_\_\_\_\_

411 City County State Zip Code

412 Telephone Number (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

413 Email Address (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

414 Last four digits of Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

415 Last former address at which I was registered to vote (if

416 known) \_\_\_\_\_

417 \_\_\_\_\_

418 City County State Zip Code

419 Political Party

420 (a listing of each registered political party, as defined in Section 20A-8-101 and  
421 maintained by the lieutenant governor under Section 67-1a-2, with each party's name preceded  
422 by a checkbox)

423  Unaffiliated (no political party preference)  Other (Please  
424 specify) \_\_\_\_\_

425 I do swear (or affirm), subject to penalty of law for false statements, that the information  
426 contained in this form is true, and that I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the  
427 state of Utah, residing at the above address. Unless I have indicated above that I am  
428 preregistering to vote in a later election, I will be at least 18 years of age and will have resided  
429 in Utah for 30 days immediately before the next election. I am not a convicted felon currently  
430 incarcerated for commission of a felony.

431 Signed and sworn

432 \_\_\_\_\_

433 Voter's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (month/day/year).

434 PRIVACY INFORMATION

435 Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such

436 as your voter identification number and address. Your name, date of birth, email address, and  
437 phone number are available only to a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any,  
438 or an authorized government entity. Your driver license number, state identification card  
439 number, and social security number are available only to an authorized government entity, to  
440 the extent authorized by law.

#### 441 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION

442 In addition to the protections provided above, you may request designation as an at-risk  
443 voter by submitting to the county clerk, either with this registration form or at a later time, an  
444 at-risk voter request form, together with the verification required by law, indicating that:

- 445 • you are or are likely to be, or that you reside with a person who is or is likely to be, a  
446 victim of domestic violence or dating violence;
- 447 • you are, or reside with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a public figure, or  
448 protected by a protective order or a protection order; or
- 449 • you are, or are a qualified family member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed  
450 forces.

451 If, based on your voter request form and the required verification, the county clerk  
452 designates you as an at-risk voter:

- 453 • your entire voter registration record will be withheld from all persons, other than a political  
454 party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, or an authorized government entity;
- 455 • a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, will have access to your entire  
456 voter registration record other than your name, phone number, email address, driver license  
457 number, state identification card number, and social security number; and
- 458 • a government entity will have access to your voter registration record to the extent  
459 authorized by law.

460 ~~[Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such as~~  
461 ~~your name and address, some information that is available only to government entities, and~~  
462 ~~some information that is available only to certain third parties in accordance with the~~  
463 ~~requirements of law.~~

464 ~~Your driver license number, identification card number, social security number, email~~  
465 ~~address, full date of birth, and phone number are available only to government entities. Your~~  
466 ~~year of birth is available to political parties, candidates for public office, certain third parties,~~  
467 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, in accordance with the requirements of law.~~

468 ~~You may request that all information on your voter registration records be withheld~~  
469 ~~from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,~~

470 and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by indicating here:

471        Yes, I request that all information on my voter registration records be withheld  
472 from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,  
473 and their contractors, employees, and volunteers.

474 **REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION**

475 In addition to the protections provided above, you may request that identifying  
476 information on your voter registration records be withheld from all political parties, candidates  
477 for public office, and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a  
478 withholding request form, and any required verification, as described in the following  
479 paragraphs.

480 A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
481 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
482 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form with this  
483 registration record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the person is or is likely  
484 to be, or resides with a person who is or is likely to be, a victim of domestic violence or dating  
485 violence.

486 A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
487 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
488 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form and any  
489 required verification with this registration form, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk,  
490 if the person is, or resides with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a member of the  
491 armed forces, a public figure, or protected by a protective order or a protection order.]

492 **CITIZENSHIP AFFIDAVIT**

493 Name:

494 Name at birth, if different:

495 Place of birth:

496 Date of birth:

497 Date and place of naturalization (if applicable):

498 I hereby swear and affirm, under penalties for voting fraud set forth below, that I am a  
499 citizen and that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information above is true and  
500 correct.

501 \_\_\_\_\_

502 Signature of Applicant

503 In accordance with Section 20A-2-401, the penalty for willfully causing, procuring, or

504 allowing yourself to be registered or preregistered to vote if you know you are not entitled to  
505 register or preregister to vote is up to one year in jail and a fine of up to \$2,500.

506 NOTICE: IN ORDER TO BE ALLOWED TO VOTE, YOU MUST PRESENT VALID  
507 VOTER IDENTIFICATION TO THE POLL WORKER BEFORE VOTING, WHICH MUST  
508 BE A VALID FORM OF PHOTO IDENTIFICATION THAT SHOWS YOUR NAME AND  
509 PHOTOGRAPH; OR

510 TWO DIFFERENT FORMS OF IDENTIFICATION THAT SHOW YOUR NAME  
511 AND CURRENT ADDRESS.

512 FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

513 Type of I.D. \_\_\_\_\_

514 Voting Precinct \_\_\_\_\_

515 Voting I.D. Number \_\_\_\_\_

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517 ~~[(b)]~~ (2) The voter registration form described in Subsection ~~[(2)(a)]~~ (1) shall include a section  
518 in substantially the following form:

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520 BALLOT NOTIFICATIONS

521 If you have provided a phone number or email address, you can receive notifications by  
522 text message or email regarding the status of a ballot that is mailed to you or a ballot that you  
523 deposit in the mail or in a ballot drop box, by indicating here:

524 \_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like to receive electronic notifications regarding the status of my  
525 ballot.

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527 ~~[(e)]~~ (3)~~[(i)]~~ (a) Except as provided under Subsection ~~[(2)(e)(ii)]~~ (3)(b), the county clerk  
528 shall retain a copy of each voter registration form in a permanent countywide  
529 alphabetical file, which may be electronic or some other recognized system.

530 ~~[(ii)]~~ (b) The county clerk may transfer a superseded voter registration form to the  
531 Division of Archives and Records Service created under Section 63A-12-101.

532 ~~[(3)]~~ (4)(a) Each county clerk shall retain ~~[lists]~~ a list of currently registered voters.

533 (b) The lieutenant governor shall maintain a list of registered voters in electronic form.

534 (c) If there are any discrepancies between the two lists, the county clerk's list is the  
535 official list.

536 (d) The lieutenant governor and the county clerks may charge the fees established under  
537 the authority of Subsection 63G-2-203(10) to ~~[individuals who wish]~~ a person who



538 wishes to obtain a copy of the list of registered voters.

539 [(4)(a) As used in this Subsection (4), "qualified person" means:]

540 [(i) a government official or government employee acting in the government official's

541 or government employee's capacity as a government official or a government

542 employee;]

543 [(ii) a health care provider, as defined in Section 26B-8-501, or an agent, employee,

544 or independent contractor of a health care provider;]

545 [(iii) an insurance company, as defined in Section 67-4a-102, or an agent, employee,

546 or independent contractor of an insurance company;]

547 [(iv) a financial institution, as defined in Section 7-1-103, or an agent, employee, or

548 independent contractor of a financial institution;]

549 [(v) a political party, or an agent, employee, or independent contractor of a political

550 party;]

551 [(vi) a candidate for public office, or an employee, independent contractor, or

552 volunteer of a candidate for public office;]

553 [(vii) a person described in Subsections (4)(a)(i) through (vi) who, after obtaining a

554 year of birth from the list of registered voters:]

555 [(A) provides the year of birth only to a person described in Subsections (4)(a)(i)

556 through (vii);]

557 [(B) verifies that the person described in Subsection (4)(a)(vii)(A) is a person

558 described in Subsections (4)(a)(i) through (vii);]

559 [(C) ensures, using industry standard security measures, that the year of birth may

560 not be accessed by a person other than a person described in Subsections

561 (4)(a)(i) through (vii);]

562 [(D) verifies that each person described in Subsections (4)(a)(ii) through (iv) to

563 whom the person provides the year of birth will only use the year of birth to

564 verify the accuracy of personal information submitted by an individual or to

565 confirm the identity of a person in order to prevent fraud, waste, or abuse;]

566 [(E) verifies that each person described in Subsection (4)(a)(i) to whom the person

567 provides the year of birth will only use the year of birth in the person's capacity

568 as a government official or government employee; and]

569 [(F) verifies that each person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) to whom the

570 person provides the year of birth will only use the year of birth for a political

571 purpose of the political party or candidate for public office; or]

572           ~~[(viii) a person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) who, after obtaining~~  
573           ~~information under Subsection (4)(n) and (o):]~~

574           ~~[(A) provides the information only to another person described in Subsection~~  
575           ~~(4)(a)(v) or (vi):]~~

576           ~~[(B) verifies that the other person described in Subsection (4)(a)(viii)(A) is a~~  
577           ~~person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi):]~~

578           ~~[(C) ensures, using industry standard security measures, that the information may~~  
579           ~~not be accessed by a person other than a person described in Subsection~~  
580           ~~(4)(a)(v) or (vi); and]~~

581           ~~[(D) verifies that each person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) to whom~~  
582           ~~the person provides the information will only use the information for a political~~  
583           ~~purpose of the political party or candidate for public office.]~~

584       ~~[(b) Notwithstanding Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(j)(iv), and except as provided in~~  
585       ~~Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(k) or (l), the lieutenant governor or a county clerk shall,~~  
586       ~~when providing the list of registered voters to a qualified person under this section,~~  
587       ~~include, with the list, the years of birth of the registered voters, if:]~~

588           ~~[(i) the lieutenant governor or a county clerk verifies the identity of the person and~~  
589           ~~that the person is a qualified person; and]~~

590           ~~[(ii) the qualified person signs a document that includes the following:]~~

591           ~~[(A) the name, address, and telephone number of the person requesting the list of~~  
592           ~~registered voters;]~~

593           ~~[(B) an indication of the type of qualified person that the person requesting the list~~  
594           ~~claims to be;]~~

595           ~~[(C) a statement regarding the purpose for which the person desires to obtain the~~  
596           ~~years of birth;]~~

597           ~~[(D) a list of the purposes for which the qualified person may use the year of birth~~  
598           ~~of a registered voter that is obtained from the list of registered voters;]~~

599           ~~[(E) a statement that the year of birth of a registered voter that is obtained from the~~  
600           ~~list of registered voters may not be provided or used for a purpose other than a~~  
601           ~~purpose described under Subsection (4)(b)(ii)(D);]~~

602           ~~[(F) a statement that if the person obtains the year of birth of a registered voter~~  
603           ~~from the list of registered voters under false pretenses, or provides or uses the~~  
604           ~~year of birth of a registered voter that is obtained from the list of registered~~  
605           ~~voters in a manner that is prohibited by law, is guilty of a class A misdemeanor~~

- 606 and is subject to a civil fine;]
- 607 [(G) an assertion from the person that the person will not provide or use the year  
608 of birth of a registered voter that is obtained from the list of registered voters in  
609 a manner that is prohibited by law; and]
- 610 [(H) notice that if the person makes a false statement in the document, the person  
611 is punishable by law under Section 76-8-504.]
- 612 [(e) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk:]
- 613 [(i) may not disclose the year of birth of a registered voter to a person that the  
614 lieutenant governor or county clerk reasonably believes:]
- 615 [(A) is not a qualified person or a person described in Subsection (4)(l); or]  
616 [(B) will provide or use the year of birth in a manner prohibited by law; and]
- 617 [(ii) may not disclose information under Subsections (4)(n) or (o) to a person that the  
618 lieutenant governor or county clerk reasonably believes:]
- 619 [(A) is not a person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi); or]  
620 [(B) will provide or use the information in a manner prohibited by law.]
- 621 [(d) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose the voter registration  
622 form of a person, or information included in the person's voter registration form,  
623 whose voter registration form is classified as private under Subsection (4)(h) to a  
624 person other than:]
- 625 [(i) a government official or government employee acting in the government official's  
626 or government employee's capacity as a government official or government  
627 employee; or]
- 628 [(ii) subject to Subsection (4)(e), a person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) for  
629 a political purpose.]
- 630 [(e)(i) Except as provided in Subsection (4)(e)(ii), when disclosing a record or  
631 information under Subsection (4)(d)(ii), the lieutenant governor or county clerk  
632 shall exclude the information described in Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(j), other than  
633 the year of birth.]
- 634 [(ii) If disclosing a record or information under Subsection (4)(d)(ii) in relation to the  
635 voter registration record of a protected individual, the lieutenant governor or  
636 county clerk shall comply with Subsections (4)(n) through (p).]
- 637 [(f) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose a withholding request  
638 form, described in Subsections (7) and (8), submitted by an individual, or information  
639 obtained from that form, to a person other than a government official or government

- 640 employee acting in the government official's or government employee's capacity as a  
641 government official or government employee.]
- 642 [(g) A person is guilty of a class A misdemeanor if the person:]
- 643 [(i) obtains from the list of registered voters, under false pretenses, the year of birth  
644 of a registered voter or information described in Subsection (4)(n) or (o);]
- 645 [(ii) uses or provides the year of birth of a registered voter, or information described  
646 in Subsection (4)(n) or (o), that is obtained from the list of registered voters in a  
647 manner that is not permitted by law;]
- 648 [(iii) obtains a voter registration record described in Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(k)  
649 under false pretenses;]
- 650 [(iv) uses or provides information obtained from a voter registration record described  
651 in Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(k) in a manner that is not permitted by law;]
- 652 [(v) unlawfully discloses or obtains a voter registration record withheld under  
653 Subsection (7) or a withholding request form described in Subsections (7) and (8);  
654 or]
- 655 [(vi) unlawfully discloses or obtains information from a voter registration record  
656 withheld under Subsection (7) or a withholding request form described in  
657 Subsections (7) and (8).]
- 658 [(h) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk shall classify the voter registration record  
659 of a voter as a private record if the voter:]
- 660 [(i) submits a written application, created by the lieutenant governor, requesting that  
661 the voter's voter registration record be classified as private;]
- 662 [(ii) requests on the voter's voter registration form that the voter's voter registration  
663 record be classified as a private record; or]
- 664 [(iii) submits a withholding request form described in Subsection (7) and any  
665 required verification.]
- 666 [(i) Except as provided in Subsections (4)(d)(ii) and (e)(ii), the lieutenant governor or a  
667 county clerk may not disclose to a person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) a  
668 voter registration record, or information obtained from a voter registration record, if  
669 the record is withheld under Subsection (7).]
- 670 [(j) In addition to any criminal penalty that may be imposed under this section, the  
671 lieutenant governor may impose a civil fine against a person who violates a provision  
672 of this section, in an amount equal to the greater of:]
- 673 [(i) the product of 30 and the square root of the total number of:]

- 674           ~~[(A) records obtained, provided, or used unlawfully, rounded to the nearest whole~~  
675           ~~dollar; or]~~
- 676           ~~[(B) records from which information is obtained, provided, or used unlawfully,~~  
677           ~~rounded to the nearest whole dollar; or]~~
- 678           ~~[(ii) \$200.]~~
- 679           ~~[(k) A qualified person may not obtain, provide, or use the year of birth of a registered~~  
680           ~~voter, if the year of birth is obtained from the list of registered voters or from a voter~~  
681           ~~registration record, unless the person:]~~
- 682           ~~[(i) is a government official or government employee who obtains, provides, or uses~~  
683           ~~the year of birth in the government official's or government employee's capacity~~  
684           ~~as a government official or government employee;]~~
- 685           ~~[(ii) is a qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(ii), (iii), or (iv) and obtains or~~  
686           ~~uses the year of birth only to verify the accuracy of personal information~~  
687           ~~submitted by an individual or to confirm the identity of a person in order to~~  
688           ~~prevent fraud, waste, or abuse;]~~
- 689           ~~[(iii) is a qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) and obtains,~~  
690           ~~provides, or uses the year of birth for a political purpose of the political party or~~  
691           ~~candidate for public office; or]~~
- 692           ~~[(iv) is a qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(vii) and obtains, provides, or~~  
693           ~~uses the year of birth to provide the year of birth to another qualified person to~~  
694           ~~verify the accuracy of personal information submitted by an individual or to~~  
695           ~~confirm the identity of a person in order to prevent fraud, waste, or abuse.]~~
- 696           ~~[(l) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may provide a year of birth to a member~~  
697           ~~of the media, in relation to an individual designated by the member of the media, in~~  
698           ~~order for the member of the media to verify the identity of the individual.]~~
- 699           ~~[(m) A person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) may not use or disclose~~  
700           ~~information from a voter registration record for a purpose other than a political~~  
701           ~~purpose.]~~
- 702           ~~[(n) Notwithstanding Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(k) or (l), the lieutenant governor or a~~  
703           ~~county clerk shall, when providing the list of registered voters to a qualified person~~  
704           ~~described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi), include, from the record of a voter whose~~  
705           ~~record is withheld under Subsection (7), the information described in Subsection~~  
706           ~~(4)(o), if:]~~
- 707           ~~[(i) the lieutenant governor or a county clerk verifies the identity of the person and~~

- 708 that the person is a qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi); and]
- 709 [(ii) the qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi) signs a document
- 710 that includes the following:]
- 711 [(A) the name, address, and telephone number of the person requesting the list of
- 712 registered voters;]
- 713 [(B) an indication of the type of qualified person that the person requesting the list
- 714 claims to be;]
- 715 [(C) a statement regarding the purpose for which the person desires to obtain the
- 716 information;]
- 717 [(D) a list of the purposes for which the qualified person may use the information;]
- 718 [(E) a statement that the information may not be provided or used for a purpose
- 719 other than a purpose described under Subsection (4)(n)(ii)(D);]
- 720 [(F) a statement that if the person obtains the information under false pretenses, or
- 721 provides or uses the information in a manner that is prohibited by law, the
- 722 person is guilty of a class A misdemeanor and is subject to a civil fine;]
- 723 [(G) an assertion from the person that the person will not provide or use the
- 724 information in a manner that is prohibited by law; and]
- 725 [(H) notice that if the person makes a false statement in the document, the person
- 726 is punishable by law under Section 76-8-504.]
- 727 [(o) Except as provided in Subsection (4)(p), the information that the lieutenant
- 728 governor or a county clerk is required to provide, under Subsection (4)(n), from the
- 729 record of a protected individual is:]
- 730 [(i) a single hash code, generated from a string of data that includes both the voter's
- 731 voter identification number and residential address;]
- 732 [(ii) the voter's residential address;]
- 733 [(iii) the voter's mailing address, if different from the voter's residential address;]
- 734 [(iv) the party affiliation of the voter;]
- 735 [(v) the precinct number for the voter's residential address;]
- 736 [(vi) the voter's voting history; and]
- 737 [(vii) a designation of which age group, of the following age groups, the voter falls
- 738 within:]
- 739 [(A) 25 or younger;]
- 740 [(B) 26 through 35;]
- 741 [(C) 36 through 45;]

742           ~~[(D) 46 through 55;]~~

743           ~~[(E) 56 through 65;]~~

744           ~~[(F) 66 through 75; or]~~

745           ~~[(G) 76 or older.]~~

746           ~~[(p) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose:]~~

747           ~~[(i) information described in Subsection (4)(o) that, due to a small number of voters~~  
748           ~~affiliated with a particular political party, or due to another reason, would likely~~  
749           ~~reveal the identity of a voter if disclosed; or]~~

750           ~~[(ii) the address described in Subsection (4)(o)(iii) if the lieutenant governor or the~~  
751           ~~county clerk determines that the nature of the address would directly reveal~~  
752           ~~sensitive information about the voter.]~~

753           ~~[(q) A qualified person described in Subsection (4)(a)(v) or (vi), may not obtain,~~  
754           ~~provide, or use the information described in Subsection (4)(n) or (o), except to the~~  
755           ~~extent that the qualified person uses the information for a political purpose of a~~  
756           ~~political party or candidate for public office.]~~

757           (5) When political parties not listed on the voter registration form qualify as registered  
758           political parties under Title 20A, Chapter 8, Political Party Formation and Procedures,  
759           the lieutenant governor shall inform the county clerks of the name of the new political  
760           party and direct the county clerks to ensure that the voter registration form is modified to  
761           include that political party.

762           (6) Upon receipt of a voter registration form from an applicant, the county clerk or the  
763           clerk's designee shall:

764           (a) review each voter registration form for completeness and accuracy; and

765           (b) if the county clerk believes, based upon a review of the form, that an individual may  
766           be seeking to register or preregister to vote who is not legally entitled to register or  
767           preregister to vote, refer the form to the county attorney for investigation and  
768           possible prosecution.

769           ~~[(7) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk shall withhold from a person, other than a~~  
770           ~~person described in Subsection (4)(a)(i), the voter registration record, and information~~  
771           ~~obtained from the voter registration record, of a protected individual.]~~

772           ~~[(8)(a) The lieutenant governor shall design and distribute the withholding request form~~  
773           ~~described in Subsection (7) to each election officer and to each agency that provides~~  
774           ~~a voter registration form.]~~

775           ~~[(b) An individual described in Subsection (1)(c)(i) is not required to provide~~

776 verification, other than the individual's attestation and signature on the withholding  
777 request form, that the individual, or an individual who resides with the individual, is a  
778 victim of domestic violence or dating violence or is likely to be a victim of domestic  
779 violence or dating violence.]

780 [(e) The director of elections within the Office of the Lieutenant Governor shall make  
781 rules, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act,  
782 establishing requirements for providing the verification described in Subsection  
783 (1)(e)(ii).]

784 [(9) An election officer or an employee of an election officer may not encourage an  
785 individual to submit, or discourage an individual from submitting, a withholding request  
786 form.]

787 [(10)(a) The lieutenant governor shall make and execute a plan to provide notice to  
788 registered voters who are protected individuals, that includes the following  
789 information:]

790 [(i) that the voter's classification of the record as private remains in effect;]

791 [(ii) that certain non-identifying information from the voter's voter registration record  
792 may, under certain circumstances, be released to political parties and candidates  
793 for public office;]

794 [(iii) that the voter's name, driver license or identification card number, social  
795 security number, email address, phone number, and the voter's day, month, and  
796 year of birth will remain private and will not be released to political parties or  
797 candidates for public office;]

798 [(iv) that a county clerk will only release the information to political parties and  
799 candidates in a manner that does not associate the information with a particular  
800 voter; and]

801 [(v) that a county clerk may, under certain circumstances, withhold other information  
802 that the county clerk determines would reveal identifying information about the  
803 voter.]

804 [(b) The lieutenant governor may include in the notice described in this Subsection (10)  
805 a statement that a voter may obtain additional information on the lieutenant  
806 governor's website.]

807 [(c) The plan described in Subsection (10)(a) may include providing the notice described  
808 in Subsection (10)(a) by:]

809 [(i) publication on the Utah Public Notice Website, created in Section 63A-16-601;]





844 • you are, or reside with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a public figure, or  
 845 protected by a protective order or a protection order; or  
 846 • you are, or are a qualified family member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed  
 847 forces.

848 If, based on your voter request form and the required verification, the county clerk  
 849 designates you as an at-risk voter:

850 • your entire voter registration record will be withheld from all persons, other than a political  
 851 party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, or an authorized government entity;  
 852 • a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, will have access to your entire  
 853 voter registration record other than your name, phone number, email address, driver license  
 854 number, state identification card number, and social security number; and  
 855 • a government entity will have access to your voter registration record to the extent  
 856 authorized by law."; and

857 [~~Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such as~~  
 858 ~~your name and address, some information that is available only to government entities, and~~  
 859 ~~some information that is available only to certain third parties in accordance with the~~  
 860 ~~requirements of law.~~

861 ~~Your driver license number, identification card number, social security number, email~~  
 862 ~~address, full date of birth, and phone number are available only to government entities. Your~~  
 863 ~~year of birth is available to political parties, candidates for public office, certain third parties,~~  
 864 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, in accordance with the requirements of law.~~

865 ~~You may request that all information on your voter registration records be withheld~~  
 866 ~~from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,~~  
 867 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by indicating here:~~

868 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I request that all information on my voter registration records be withheld~~  
 869 ~~from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,~~  
 870 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers.~~

#### 871 **REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION**

872 ~~In addition to the protections provided above, you may request that identifying~~  
 873 ~~information on your voter registration records be withheld from all political parties, candidates~~  
 874 ~~for public office, and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a~~  
 875 ~~withholding request form, and any required verification, as described in the following~~  
 876 ~~paragraphs.~~

877 ~~A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration~~

878 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
 879 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form with this  
 880 registration record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the person is or is likely  
 881 to be, or resides with a person who is or is likely to be, a victim of domestic violence or dating  
 882 violence.

883 A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
 884 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
 885 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form and any  
 886 required verification with this registration form, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk,  
 887 if the person is, or resides with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a member of the  
 888 armed forces, a public figure, or protected by a protective order or a protection order."; and]

889 (c) a section in substantially the following form:

890 -----

891 **BALLOT NOTIFICATIONS**

892 If you have provided a phone number or email address, you can receive notifications by  
 893 text message or email regarding the status of a ballot that is mailed to you or a ballot that you  
 894 deposit in the mail or in a ballot drop box, by indicating here:

895  Yes, I would like to receive electronic notifications regarding the status of my  
 896 ballot.

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898 (3) The lieutenant governor and the Driver License Division shall ensure that a qualifying  
 899 form contains:

900 (a) a place for an individual to affirm the individual's citizenship, voting eligibility, and  
 901 Utah residency, and that the information provided in the form is true;

902 (b) a records disclosure that is similar to the records disclosure on a voter registration  
 903 form described in Section 20A-2-104;

904 (c) a statement that if an applicant declines to register or preregister to vote, the fact that  
 905 the applicant has declined to register or preregister will remain confidential and will  
 906 be used only for voter registration purposes;

907 (d) a statement that if an applicant does register or preregister to vote, the office at which  
 908 the applicant submits a voter registration application will remain confidential and will  
 909 be used only for voter registration purposes; and

910 (e) if the applicant answers "yes" to the question described in Subsection (2)(a), a space  
 911 where an individual may, if desired:

- 912 (i) indicate the individual's desired political affiliation from a listing of each  
 913 registered political party, as defined in Section 20A-8-101;  
 914 (ii) specify a political party that is not listed under Subsection (3)(e)(i) with which the  
 915 individual desires to affiliate; or  
 916 (iii) indicate that the individual does not wish to affiliate with a political party.

917 Section 4. Section **20A-2-204** is amended to read:

918 **20A-2-204 . Registering to vote when applying for or renewing a driver license.**

- 919 (1) As used in this section, "voter registration form" means, when an individual named on a  
 920 qualifying form, as defined in Section 20A-2-108, answers "yes" to the question  
 921 described in Subsection 20A-2-108(2)(a), the information on the qualifying form that  
 922 can be used for voter registration purposes.
- 923 (2)(a) Except as provided in Subsection (2)(b), a citizen who is qualified to vote may  
 924 register to vote, and a citizen who is qualified to preregister to vote may preregister to  
 925 vote, by answering "yes" to the question described in Subsection 20A-2-108(2)(a)  
 926 and completing the voter registration form.
- 927 (b) A citizen who is a program participant in the Safe at Home Program created in  
 928 Section 77-38-602 is not eligible to register to vote as described in Subsection (2)(a),  
 929 but is eligible to register to vote by any other means described in this part.
- 930 (3) The Driver License Division shall:
- 931 (a) assist an individual in completing the voter registration form unless the individual  
 932 refuses assistance;
- 933 (b) electronically transmit each address change to the lieutenant governor within five  
 934 days after the day on which the division receives the address change; and
- 935 (c) within five days after the day on which the division receives a voter registration  
 936 form, electronically transmit the form to the Office of the Lieutenant Governor,  
 937 including the following for the individual named on the form:
- 938 (i) the name, date of birth, driver license or state identification card number, last four  
 939 digits of the social security number, Utah residential address, place of birth, and  
 940 signature;
- 941 (ii) a mailing address, if different from the individual's Utah residential address;
- 942 (iii) an email address and phone number, if available;
- 943 (iv) the desired political affiliation, if indicated; and
- 944 [~~(v) an indication of whether the individual requested that the individual's voter~~  
 945 ~~registration record be classified as a private record under Subsection~~

- 946                   20A-2-108(2)(b); and]
- 947                   [(vi)] (v) [~~a withholding~~] an at-risk voter request form described in [Subsections
- 948                   20A-2-104(7) and (8)] Subsection 20A-2-606(5) and any verification submitted
- 949                   with the form.
- 950 (4) Upon receipt of an individual's voter registration form from the Driver License Division
- 951                   under Subsection (3), the lieutenant governor shall:
- 952                   (a) enter the information into the statewide voter registration database; and
- 953                   (b) if the individual [~~requests on the individual's voter registration form that the~~
- 954                   ~~individual's voter registration record be classified as a private record or the individual~~
- 955                   ~~submits a withholding request form described in~~] [Subsections 20A-2-104(7) and (8)]
- 956                   submits an at-risk voter request form described in Subsection 20A-2-606(5) and any
- 957                   required verification, classify the individual's voter registration record as a private
- 958                   record.
- 959 (5) The county clerk of an individual whose information is entered into the statewide voter
- 960                   registration database under Subsection (4) shall:
- 961                   (a) ensure that the individual meets the qualifications to be registered or preregistered to
- 962                   vote; and
- 963                   (b)(i) if the individual meets the qualifications to be registered to vote:
- 964                               (A) ensure that the individual is assigned to the proper voting precinct; and
- 965                               (B) send the individual the notice described in Section 20A-2-304; or
- 966                   (ii) if the individual meets the qualifications to be preregistered to vote, process the
- 967                   form in accordance with the requirements of Section 20A-2-101.1.
- 968 (6)(a) When the county clerk receives a correctly completed voter registration form
- 969                   under this section, the clerk shall:
- 970                   (i) comply with the applicable provisions of this Subsection (6); or
- 971                   (ii) if the individual is preregistering to vote, comply with Section 20A-2-101.1.
- 972 (b) If the county clerk receives a correctly completed voter registration form under this
- 973                   section no later than 5 p.m. or, if submitting the form electronically, midnight, 11
- 974                   calendar days before the date of an election, the county clerk shall:
- 975                   (i) accept the voter registration form; and
- 976                   (ii) unless the individual is preregistering to vote:
- 977                               (A) enter the individual's name on the list of registered voters for the voting
- 978                               precinct in which the individual resides; and
- 979                               (B) notify the individual that the individual is registered to vote in the upcoming

980 election; and  
 981 (iii) if the individual named in the form is preregistering to vote, comply with Section  
 982 20A-2-101.1.

983 (c) If the county clerk receives a correctly completed voter registration form under this  
 984 section after the deadline described in Subsection (6)(b), the county clerk shall,  
 985 unless the individual named in the form is preregistering to vote:

986 (i) accept the application for registration of the individual;

987 (ii) process the voter registration form; and

988 (iii) unless the individual is preregistering to vote, and except as provided in  
 989 Subsection 20A-2-207(6), inform the individual that the individual will not be  
 990 registered to vote in the pending election, unless the individual registers to vote by  
 991 provisional ballot during the early voting period, if applicable, or on election day,  
 992 in accordance with Section 20A-2-207.

993 (7)(a) If the county clerk determines that an individual's voter registration form received  
 994 from the Driver License Division is incorrect because of an error, because the form is  
 995 incomplete, or because the individual does not meet the qualifications to be registered  
 996 to vote, the county clerk shall mail notice to the individual stating that the individual  
 997 has not been registered or preregistered because of an error, because the registration  
 998 form is incomplete, or because the individual does not meet the qualifications to be  
 999 registered to vote.

1000 (b) If a county clerk believes, based upon a review of a voter registration form, that an  
 1001 individual, who knows that the individual is not legally entitled to register or  
 1002 preregister to vote, may be intentionally seeking to register or preregister to vote, the  
 1003 county clerk shall refer the form to the county attorney for investigation and possible  
 1004 prosecution.

1005 Section 5. Section **20A-2-504** is amended to read:

1006 **20A-2-504 . Removing names from the official register -- General requirements --**  
 1007 **Deceased individuals.**

1008 (1) The county clerk may not remove a voter's name from the official register solely  
 1009 because the voter has failed to vote in an election.

1010 (2) The county clerk shall remove a voter's name from the official register if:

1011 (a) the voter dies and the requirements of Subsection [~~3~~] (4) are met;

1012 (b) the county clerk, after complying with the requirements of Section 20A-2-505,  
 1013 receives written confirmation from the voter that the voter no longer resides within

- 1014 the county clerk's county;
- 1015 (c)(i) the county clerk obtains evidence that the voter's residence has changed;
- 1016 (ii) the county clerk mails notice to the voter as required under Section 20A-2-505;
- 1017 (iii) the county clerk:
- 1018 (A) receives no response from the voter; or
- 1019 (B) does not receive information that confirms the voter's residence; and
- 1020 (iv) the voter does not vote or appear to vote in an election during the period
- 1021 beginning on the date of the notice described in Section 20A-2-505 and ending on
- 1022 the day after the date of the second regular general election occurring after the
- 1023 date of the notice;
- 1024 (d) the voter requests, in writing, that the voter's name be removed from the official
- 1025 register;
- 1026 (e) the county clerk receives notice that a voter has been convicted of any felony or a
- 1027 misdemeanor for an offense under this title and the voter's right to vote has not been
- 1028 restored as provided in Section 20A-2-101.3 or 20A-2-101.5; or
- 1029 (f) the county clerk receives notice that a voter has registered to vote in another state
- 1030 after the day on which the voter registered to vote in this state.

1031 (3) The lieutenant governor shall make available to a county clerk the United States Social

1032 Security Administration data received by the lieutenant governor regarding deceased

1033 individuals.

- 1034 ~~[(3)]~~ (4) The county clerk shall remove a voter's name from the[-] official register within
- 1035 five business days after the day on which the county clerk[-receives-] :
- 1036 (a) receives, from the lieutenant governor, the information described in Subsection (3) or
- 1037 26B-8-114(11) in relation to the voter; or
- 1038 (b) receives confirmation from the Office of Vital Records that the voter is deceased.

- 1039 ~~[(4)]~~ (5) No later than 90 days before each primary and general election[-:] :
- 1040 (a) the county clerk shall update the official register by reviewing the official register
- 1041 and taking the actions permitted or required by law under this section, Section
- 1042 20A-2-503, and Section 20A-2-505[-:] ; and
- 1043 (b) the lieutenant governor shall compare the records that the lieutenant governor has
- 1044 received under Subsections (3), (4)(a), and 26B-8-114(11) to the official register to
- 1045 ensure that each county clerk has complied with Subsection (4).

1046 Section 6. Section **20A-2-505** is amended to read:

1047 **20A-2-505 . Removing names from the official register -- Determining and**

1048 **confirming change of residence.**

1049 (1) A county clerk may not remove a voter's name from the official register on the grounds  
1050 that the voter has changed residence unless the voter:

1051 (a) confirms in writing that the voter has changed residence to a place outside the  
1052 county; or

1053 (b)(i) does not vote in an election during the period beginning on the date of the  
1054 notice described in Subsection (3), and ending on the day after the date of the  
1055 second regular general election occurring after the date of the notice; and

1056 (ii) does not respond to the notice described in Subsection (3).

1057 (2)(a) Within 31 days after the day on which a county clerk obtains information that a  
1058 voter's address has changed, if it appears that the voter still resides within the same  
1059 county, the county clerk shall:

1060 (i) change the official register to show the voter's new address; and

1061 (ii) send to the voter, by forwardable mail, the notice described in Subsection (3).

1062 (b) When a county clerk obtains information that a voter's address has changed and it  
1063 appears that the voter now resides in a different county, the county clerk shall verify  
1064 the changed residence by sending to the voter, by forwardable mail, the notice  
1065 described in Subsection (3), printed on a postage prepaid, preaddressed return form.

1066 (3)(a) Each county clerk shall use substantially the following form to notify voters whose  
1067 addresses have changed:

1068 "VOTER REGISTRATION NOTICE

1069 We have been notified that your residence has changed. Please read, complete, and  
1070 return this form so that we can update our voter registration records. What is your current  
1071 street address?

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1073 Street City County State Zip

1074 What is your current phone number (optional)? \_\_\_\_\_

1075 What is your current email address (optional)? \_\_\_\_\_

1076 If you have not changed your residence, or have moved but stayed within the same  
1077 county, you must complete and return this form to the county clerk so that it is received by the  
1078 county clerk before 5 p.m. no later than 30 days before the date of the election. If you fail to  
1079 return this form within that time:

1080 - you may be required to show evidence of your address to the poll worker before being  
1081 allowed to vote in either of the next two regular general elections; or



1082 - if you fail to vote at least once, from the date this notice was mailed until the passing of  
 1083 two regular general elections, you will no longer be registered to vote. If you have changed  
 1084 your residence and have moved to a different county in Utah, you may register to vote by  
 1085 contacting the county clerk in your county.

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 Signature of Voter

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#### PRIVACY INFORMATION

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Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such as your voter identification number and address. Your name, date of birth, email address, and phone number are available only to a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, or an authorized government entity. Your driver license number, state identification card number, and social security number are available only to an authorized government entity, to the extent authorized by law.

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#### REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION

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In addition to the protections provided above, you may request designation as an at-risk voter by submitting to the county clerk, either with this registration form or at a later time, an at-risk voter request form, together with the verification required by law, indicating that:

- you are or are likely to be, or that you reside with a person who is or is likely to be, a victim of domestic violence or dating violence;
- you are, or reside with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a public figure, or protected by a protective order or a protection order; or
- you are, or are a qualified family member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed forces.

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If, based on your voter request form and the required verification, the county clerk designates you as an at-risk voter:

- your entire voter registration record will be withheld from all persons, other than a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, or an authorized government entity;
- a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, will have access to your entire voter registration record other than your name, phone number, email address, driver license number, state identification card number, and social security number; and
- a government entity will have access to your voter registration record to the extent authorized by law."

~~[Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such as your name and address, some information that is available only to government entities, and~~

1116 some information that is available only to certain third parties in accordance with the  
1117 requirements of law.

1118 ~~Your driver license number, identification card number, social security number, email  
1119 address, full date of birth, and phone number are available only to government entities. Your  
1120 year of birth is available to political parties, candidates for public office, certain third parties,  
1121 and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, in accordance with the requirements of law.~~

1122 ~~You may request that all information on your voter registration records be withheld  
1123 from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,  
1124 and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by indicating here:~~

1125 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I request that all information on my voter registration records be withheld  
1126 from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,  
1127 and their contractors, employees, and volunteers.~~

1128 ~~REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION~~

1129 ~~In addition to the protections provided above, you may request that identifying  
1130 information on your voter registration records be withheld from all political parties, candidates  
1131 for public office, and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a  
1132 withholding request form, and any required verification, as described in the following  
1133 paragraphs.~~

1134 ~~A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
1135 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
1136 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form with this  
1137 registration record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the person is or is likely  
1138 to be, or resides with a person who is or is likely to be, a victim of domestic violence or dating  
1139 violence.~~

1140 ~~A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
1141 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
1142 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form and any  
1143 required verification with this registration form, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk,  
1144 if the person is, or resides with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a member of the  
1145 armed forces, a public figure, or protected by a protective order or a protection order."]~~

1146 (b) The form described in Subsection (3)(a) shall also include a section in substantially the  
1147 following form:

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1149 **BALLOT NOTIFICATIONS**

1150 If you have provided a phone number or email address, you can receive notifications by  
 1151 text message or email regarding the status of a ballot that is mailed to you or a ballot that you  
 1152 deposit in the mail or in a ballot drop box, by indicating here:

1153 \_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like to receive electronic notifications regarding the status of my  
 1154 ballot.

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1156 (4)(a) Except as provided in Subsection (4)(b), the county clerk may not remove the  
 1157 names of any voters from the official register during the 90 days before a regular  
 1158 primary election or the 90 days before a regular general election.

1159 (b) The county clerk may remove the names of voters from the official register during  
 1160 the 90 days before a regular primary election or the 90 days before a regular general  
 1161 election if:

1162 (i) the voter requests, in writing, that the voter's name be removed; or  
 1163 (ii) the voter dies.

1164 (c)(i) After a county clerk mails a notice under this section, the county clerk shall,  
 1165 unless otherwise prohibited by law, list that voter as inactive.

1166 (ii) If a county clerk receives a returned voter identification card, determines that  
 1167 there was no clerical error causing the card to be returned, and has no further  
 1168 information to contact the voter, the county clerk shall, unless otherwise  
 1169 prohibited by law, list that voter as inactive.

1170 (iii) An inactive voter may vote, sign petitions, and have all other privileges of a  
 1171 registered voter.

1172 (iv) A county is not required to:

1173 (A) send routine mailings to an inactive voter; or

1174 (B) count inactive voters when dividing precincts and preparing supplies.

1175 [~~(5) The lieutenant governor shall make available to a county clerk United States Social~~  
 1176 ~~Security Administration data received by the lieutenant governor regarding deceased~~  
 1177 ~~individuals.]~~

1178 [~~(6) A county clerk shall, within ten business days after the day on which the county clerk~~  
 1179 ~~receives the information described in Subsection (5) or Subsections 26B-8-114(11) and~~  
 1180 ~~(12) relating to a decedent whose name appears on the official register, remove the~~  
 1181 ~~decedent's name from the official register.]~~

1182 [~~(7) Ninety days before each primary and general election the lieutenant governor shall~~  
 1183 ~~compare the information the lieutenant governor has received under Subsection~~

1184 26B-8-114(11) with the official register of voters to ensure that all deceased voters have  
1185 been removed from the official register.]

1186 Section 7. Section **20A-2-601** is enacted to read:

1187 **20A-2-601 . Definitions.**

1188 As used in this part:

1189 (1)(a) "At-risk voter" means:

1190 (i) a voter who is designated as an at-risk voter under Subsection 20A-2-606(2) or  
1191 (6), regardless of whether the voter files a subsequent voter registration form after  
1192 receiving the designation, unless the voter loses status as an at-risk voter:

1193 (A) under Subsection 20A-2-606(7)(b); or

1194 (B) by requesting that the lieutenant governor or county clerk remove the voter's  
1195 status as an at-risk voter; or

1196 (ii) a preregistered voter.

1197 (b) "At-risk voter," before the lieutenant governor takes the action described in

1198 Subsection 20A-2-602(2), includes a voter with a segregated record.

1199 (2)(a) "Candidate for public office" means an individual:

1200 (i) who files a declaration of candidacy for a public office;

1201 (ii) who files a notice of intent to gather signatures under Section 20A-9-408; or

1202 (iii) who is employed by, under contract with, or a volunteer of, an individual  
1203 described in Subsection (2)(a)(i) or (ii), who is authorized to act on behalf of the  
1204 individual described in Subsection (2)(a)(i) or (ii) for political purposes.

1205 (b) "Candidate for public office" does not include:

1206 (i) an individual described in Subsection (2)(a)(i) or (ii) who is eliminated as a  
1207 candidate for:

1208 (A) failure to qualify for the primary election ballot via signature-gathering or  
1209 convention;

1210 (B) failure to advance to the general election; or

1211 (C) any other reason provided by law; or

1212 (ii) an individual who is employed by, under contract with, or a volunteer of, an  
1213 individual described in Subsection (2)(b)(i).

1214 (3) "Dating violence" means the same as that term is defined in the federal Violence  
1215 Against Women Act of 1994, as amended.

1216 (4) "Domestic violence" means the same as that term is defined in Section 77-36-1 and the  
1217 federal Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended.

- 1218 (5)(a) "Government entity" means:  
1219 (i) the state; or  
1220 (ii) a county, city, town, school district, special district, special service district, or  
1221 other political subdivision of the state.  
1222 (b) "Government entity" includes an agency, bureau, office, department, division, board,  
1223 commission, institution, laboratory, or other instrumentality of an entity described in  
1224 Subsection (5)(a).
- 1225 (6) "Government official" means:  
1226 (a) an elected or appointed officer of a government entity; or  
1227 (b) an employee of a government entity.
- 1228 (7) "Political party" means the same as that term is defined in Section 20A-1-102.
- 1229 (8) "Public office" means the offices of governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general,  
1230 state auditor, state treasurer, state senator, state representative, state school board, or an  
1231 elective office of a local political subdivision.
- 1232 (9) "Public registered voter" means a registered voter who is not an at-risk voter.
- 1233 (10) "Qualified family member," when used in relation to a remotely-deployed member of  
1234 the armed forces, means an individual who:  
1235 (a) resides with the remotely-deployed member of the armed forces; or  
1236 (b) would reside with the remotely-deployed member of the armed forces, but for the  
1237 deployment.
- 1238 (11) "Remotely-deployed member of the armed forces" means a member of the armed  
1239 forces, as defined in Section 20A-1-513, who is deployed to a location where the  
1240 member of the armed forces would not live but for the deployment.
- 1241 (12) "Segregated record" means a voter registration record that was classified as a private  
1242 record by a voter:  
1243 (a) via the method that existed before May 12, 2020; or  
1244 (b) via a method that existed on or after May 12, 2020, other than the method of  
1245 submitting a withholding request form.
- 1246 (13) "Standard voter data" means the following information from a voter registration record:  
1247 (a) the voter's voter identification number and federal information processing series  
1248 geographic code;  
1249 (b) the voter's complete residential address, including the unit type and number;  
1250 (c) the voter's county of residence;  
1251 (d) the voter's mailing address, including the city;

1252 (e) the voter's precinct, congressional district, state House of Representatives district,  
 1253 state Senate district, State School Board district, local school board district, county  
 1254 council district, and city council district;

1255 (f) the voter's party affiliation or status as unaffiliated;

1256 (g) the voter's status as active or otherwise;

1257 (h) the last day on which the voter's voter registration record was updated; and

1258 (i) the voter's voting history for the preceding eight years;

1259 (14) "Withheld status" means the status granted, before May 7, 2025, to the voter  
 1260 registration record of a voter that prevented the disclosure of the voter registration  
 1261 record to a person other than an official or employee of a government entity acting in the  
 1262 official's or employee's capacity as an official or employee of a governmental entity.

1263 Section 8. Section **20A-2-602** is enacted to read:

1264 **20A-2-602 . Change of voter registration record privacy status -- Notice --**

1265 **Redesignation of status -- New voter identification number.**

1266 (1) The lieutenant governor shall, on or before June 1, 2025, mail to each voter who has a  
 1267 segregated record, at the last known address of the voter, a notice that includes the  
 1268 following information:

1269 (a) that the privacy status of the voter's voter registration record will change on March 1,  
 1270 2027, and, unless the voter applies for and receives designation as an at-risk voter  
 1271 before March 1, 2027, the voter will be redesignated as a public registered voter on  
 1272 that date;

1273 (b) that, as a public registered voter:

1274 (i) the following information from the voter's voter registration record is public:

1275 (A) the voter's voter identification number and federal information processing  
 1276 series geographic code;

1277 (B) the voter's complete residential address, including the unit type and number;

1278 (C) the voter's county of residence;

1279 (D) the voter's mailing address, including the city;

1280 (E) the voter's precinct, congressional district, state House of Representatives  
 1281 district, state Senate district, State School Board district, local school board  
 1282 district, county council district, and city council district;

1283 (F) the voter's party affiliation or status as unaffiliated;

1284 (G) the voter's status as an active or inactive voter;

1285 (H) the last day on which the voter's voter registration record was updated; and

- 1286 (I) the voter's voting history for the preceding eight years; and  
 1287 (ii) in addition to, and in connection with, the information described in Subsection  
 1288 (1)(b)(i), a political party with which the voter is affiliated, if any, will be given  
 1289 the voter's:  
 1290 (A) first, middle, and last name, including any suffix;  
 1291 (B) day, month, and year of birth; and  
 1292 (C) phone number;  
 1293 (c) that:  
 1294 (i) the voter may apply for designation as an at-risk voter in accordance with Section  
 1295 20A-2-606; and  
 1296 (ii) if the voter is designated as an at-risk voter under Section 20A-2-606:  
 1297 (A) the voter's entire voter registration record will be withheld from all persons,  
 1298 other than a political party with which the voter chooses to affiliate, if any, or  
 1299 an authorized government entity;  
 1300 (B) a political party with which the voter chooses to affiliate, if any, will have  
 1301 access to the voter's entire voter registration record other than the voter's name,  
 1302 phone number, driver license number, state identification card number, social  
 1303 security number, and email address; and  
 1304 (C) a government entity will have access to the voter's voter registration record to  
 1305 the extent authorized by law;  
 1306 (d) instructions on how the voter may apply for designation as an at-risk voter; and  
 1307 (e) information on how the voter may obtain a copy of the at-risk voter request form,  
 1308 described in Section 20A-2-606, online or by mail.  
 1309 (2) Unless, before March 1, 2027, a voter with a segregated record applies for and receives  
 1310 designation as an at-risk voter under Subsections 20A-2-606(5) and (6), the lieutenant  
 1311 governor or a county clerk shall, on March 1, 2027, designate a voter who has a  
 1312 segregated record as a public registered voter.  
 1313 (3) On March 1, 2027, each county clerk shall, under the direction of the lieutenant  
 1314 governor:  
 1315 (a) assign a new voter identification number to each registered voter in Utah; and  
 1316 (b) ensure that the new voter identification number:  
 1317 (i) is not the same as a number previously assigned to the registered voter; and  
 1318 (ii) cannot be used, by the number alone, to identify the voter.  
 1319 Section 9. Section **20A-2-603** is enacted to read:

1320 **20A-2-603 . General request for voter registration records.**

1321 Except as otherwise provided in this section or another express provision of law, upon  
1322 receiving a request from a person for voter registration records, the lieutenant governor or a  
1323 county clerk:

1324 (1) shall disclose to the person the standard voter data from a public registered voter's voter  
1325 registration record; and

1326 (2) may not disclose to the person:

1327 (a) any other information from the public registered voter's voter registration record that  
1328 is not standard voter data; or

1329 (b) any information from an at-risk voter's voter registration record.

1330 Section 10. Section **20A-2-604** is enacted to read:

1331 **20A-2-604 . Request for voter registration records by a political party.**

1332 (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section or another express provision of law, upon  
1333 receiving a request from a political party for voter registration records, the lieutenant  
1334 governor or a county clerk:

1335 (a) for each public registered voter who is not affiliated with the political party:

1336 (i) shall provide to the political party the voter's standard voter data; and

1337 (ii) may not provide to the political party any information relating to the voter other  
1338 than the voter's standard voter data;

1339 (b) for each public registered voter who is affiliated with the political party:

1340 (i) shall, subject to Subsections (2) and (3), and except as provided in Subsection (4),  
1341 provide to the political party, the voter's:

1342 (A) full name;

1343 (B) day, month, and year of birth;

1344 (C) phone number;

1345 (D) email address; and

1346 (E) standard voter data; and

1347 (ii) may not provide to the political party any information relating to the voter other  
1348 than the information described in Subsection (1)(b)(i);

1349 (c) for each at-risk voter who is affiliated with the political party:

1350 (i) shall, subject to Subsections (2) and (3), and except as provided in Subsection (4),  
1351 disclose to the political party the following information from the voter registration  
1352 record of the at-risk voter:

1353 (A) the voter's standard voter data; and



- 1354 (B) the voter's day, month, and year of birth; and  
 1355 (ii) may not provide to the political party:  
 1356 (A) any part of the voter's name;  
 1357 (B) the voter's phone number;  
 1358 (C) the voter's email address; or  
 1359 (D) any information relating to the voter other than the information described in  
 1360 Subsection (1)(c)(i); and  
 1361 (d) may not disclose to a political party with which an at-risk voter is not affiliated, any  
 1362 information from the voter's voter registration record.  
 1363 (2) A political party, or an agent of a political party, that receives information under  
 1364 Subsection (1)(b)(i) or (c)(i):  
 1365 (a) shall ensure, using industry standard security measures, that the information may not  
 1366 be accessed by a person other than the political party or an agent of the political party;  
 1367 (b) may only use the information, in connection with a voter's name, to:  
 1368 (i) communicate with an individual who is affiliated with the political party in  
 1369 relation to the business of the political party or a political purpose;  
 1370 (ii) verify that the voter is a member of the political party; or  
 1371 (iii) conduct demographic and other analysis for political purposes; and  
 1372 (c) may not:  
 1373 (i) use the information, in connection with a voter's name, for a purpose other than a  
 1374 purpose described in Subsection (2)(b); or  
 1375 (ii) share from the information a voter's name, or any of the information in  
 1376 connection with the voter's name, with:  
 1377 (A) a candidate for public office; or  
 1378 (B) any other person, except to the extent necessary to use the information in the  
 1379 manner described in Subsection (2)(b).  
 1380 (3) Before providing the information described in Subsection (1)(b)(i) or (c)(i) to a political  
 1381 party:  
 1382 (a) the lieutenant governor or county clerk shall verify that the individual requesting the  
 1383 information on behalf of the political party is an authorized agent of the political  
 1384 party; and  
 1385 (b) the individual requesting the information under Subsection (3)(a) shall sign a request  
 1386 form that includes:  
 1387 (i) the name, address, and telephone number of the political party that is seeking the

- 1388 information;
- 1389 (ii) the name, address, and telephone number of the individual;
- 1390 (iii) a statement that the individual is an authorized agent of the political party and
- 1391 has presented to the lieutenant governor or the county clerk valid verification that
- 1392 the individual is an authorized agent of the political party;
- 1393 (iv) a statement that the political party and the individual will ensure, using industry
- 1394 standard security measures, that the information may not be accessed by a person
- 1395 other than the political party or an agent of the political party;
- 1396 (v) a statement that the political party, or an agent of the political party, will only use
- 1397 the information, in connection with a voter's name, to:
- 1398 (A) communicate with an individual who is affiliated with the political party in
- 1399 relation to business of the political party or for a political purpose;
- 1400 (B) verify that an individual is a member of the political party; or
- 1401 (C) conduct demographic and other analysis for political purposes;
- 1402 (vi) a statement that the political party, or an agent of the political party, will not:
- 1403 (A) use the information, in connection with a voter's name, for a purpose other
- 1404 than a purpose described in Subsection (3)(b)(v);
- 1405 (B) share from the information a voter's name, or any of the information in
- 1406 connection with the voter's name, with a candidate for public office; or
- 1407 (C) share from the information a voter's name, or any of the information in
- 1408 connection with the voter's name, with any other person, except to the extent
- 1409 necessary to use the information in the manner described in Subsection
- 1410 (3)(b)(v);
- 1411 (vii) a statement that the political party, or an agent of the political party, will not
- 1412 provide or use the information obtained from the list of registered voters in a
- 1413 manner that is prohibited by law;
- 1414 (viii) a statement that obtaining the information under false pretenses, or providing or
- 1415 using the information in a manner that is prohibited by law, is punishable as a
- 1416 class A misdemeanor and by a civil fine; and
- 1417 (ix) notice that if a person makes a false statement in the request form, the person is
- 1418 punishable by law under Section 76-8-504.
- 1419 (4) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose the information described in
- 1420 Subsection (1)(b)(i) or (c)(i) to a person requesting the information under this section if
- 1421 the lieutenant governor or county clerk reasonably believes that the person:

- 1422 (a) is not a political party or an agent of the political party; or  
1423 (b) will provide or use the information in a manner prohibited by law.
- 1424 Section 11. Section **20A-2-605** is enacted to read:
- 1425 **20A-2-605 . Request for voter registration records by a government official.**
- 1426 (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section or another express provision of law, upon  
1427 request by a government official acting in the government official's capacity as a  
1428 government official, the lieutenant governor or a county clerk:
- 1429 (a) shall disclose to the government official the information in a voter registration record  
1430 necessary to permit the government official to fulfill a duty of the government  
1431 official; and
- 1432 (b) may not disclose to the government official the information in a voter registration  
1433 record that is not necessary to permit the government official to fulfill a duty of the  
1434 government official.
- 1435 (2) A government official that receives information described in Subsection (1)(a) under  
1436 this section:
- 1437 (a) shall ensure, using industry standard security measures, that the information may not  
1438 be accessed by a person other than the government official or the government entity  
1439 that the government official represents;
- 1440 (b) may only use the information to the extent necessary to fulfill a duty of the  
1441 government official; and
- 1442 (c) may not disclose the information to a person other than a person needing the  
1443 information to fulfill a duty of the government official or the government entity that  
1444 the government official represents.
- 1445 (3) Before providing the information described in Subsection (1)(a) to a government  
1446 official:
- 1447 (a) the lieutenant governor or county clerk shall verify that:
- 1448 (i) the person requesting the information is a government official; and  
1449 (ii) it is necessary to provide the information requested to permit the government  
1450 official to fulfill a duty of the government official; and
- 1451 (b) the government official requesting the information shall sign a request form that  
1452 includes:
- 1453 (i) the name, address, and telephone number of the government official;  
1454 (ii) the government official's position or title;  
1455 (iii) a description of the information requested;

- 1456 (iv) a description of the duty of the government official that requires the requested  
 1457 information;
- 1458 (v) a statement that the government official will ensure, using industry standard  
 1459 security measures, that the information may not be accessed by a person other  
 1460 than the government official or the government entity that the government official  
 1461 represents;
- 1462 (vi) a statement that the government official will only use the information to the  
 1463 extent necessary to fulfill a duty of the government official;
- 1464 (vii) an assertion that the government official will not provide or use the information  
 1465 obtained from the voter registration records in a manner that is prohibited by law;
- 1466 (viii) a statement that obtaining the information under false pretenses, or providing or  
 1467 using the information from the voter registration records in a manner that is  
 1468 prohibited by law, is punishable as a class A misdemeanor and a civil fine; and
- 1469 (ix) notice that if the person signing the request form makes a false statement in the  
 1470 request form, the person is punishable by law under Section 76-8-504.
- 1471 (4) The lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose the information under this  
 1472 section if the lieutenant governor or county clerk reasonably believes that the person:
- 1473 (a) is not a government official;
- 1474 (b) does not need the information requested to fulfill a duty of the government official; or
- 1475 (c) will provide or use the information in a manner prohibited by law.

1476 Section 12. Section **20A-2-606** is enacted to read:

1477 **20A-2-606 . At-risk registered voter -- Application -- Designation -- Change of**  
 1478 **status.**

- 1479 (1) Except to the extent expressly authorized in this part or otherwise expressly provided by  
 1480 law, the lieutenant governor or a county clerk may not disclose an at-risk voter's voter  
 1481 registration record, or any information from an at-risk voter's voter registration record.
- 1482 (2) On May 7, 2025, each county clerk shall designate as an at-risk voter each voter whose  
 1483 voter registration record had withheld status on May 6, 2025, for one of the following  
 1484 reasons:
- 1485 (a) the voter:
- 1486 (i) submitted a withholding request form with the individual's voter registration  
 1487 record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk; and
- 1488 (ii) indicated on the form that the voter, or an individual who resides with the voter,  
 1489 is a victim of domestic violence or dating violence or is likely to be a victim of

- 1490 domestic violence or dating violence; or
- 1491 (b) the voter:
- 1492 (i) submitted a withholding request form with the individual's voter registration
- 1493 record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk; and
- 1494 (ii) indicated on the form and provided verification that the voter, or an individual
- 1495 who resides with the voter, is a law enforcement officer, a member of the armed
- 1496 forces as defined in Section 20A-1-513, a public figure, or protected by a
- 1497 protective order or protection order.
- 1498 (3)(a) The lieutenant governor shall design and distribute an at-risk voter request form to
- 1499 each election officer and to each agency that provides a voter registration form.
- 1500 (b) The director of elections within the Office of the Lieutenant Governor may make
- 1501 rules, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act,
- 1502 establishing requirements for providing the proof described in Subsections (5)(a)(ii),
- 1503 (b)(ii), and (c)(ii).
- 1504 (4) The following may not encourage an individual to submit, or discourage an individual
- 1505 from submitting, an at-risk voter request form:
- 1506 (a) an election officer;
- 1507 (b) an agency described in Subsection (3)(a); or
- 1508 (c) an employee of a person described in Subsection (4)(a) or (b).
- 1509 (5) A voter may apply for designation as an at-risk voter by submitting, with the voter's
- 1510 voter registration form, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk:
- 1511 (a)(i) an at-risk voter request form indicating that the voter, or an individual who
- 1512 resides with the voter, is a victim of domestic violence or dating violence or is
- 1513 likely to be a victim of domestic violence or dating violence; and
- 1514 (ii) in accordance with any rules made under Subsection (3)(b), proof of the
- 1515 indication described in Subsection (5)(a)(i) in the form of a sworn affidavit where
- 1516 the voter swears to the following statement:
- 1517 "I am applying for designation as an at-risk voter because either myself, or
- 1518 someone who resides with me, is a victim of domestic violence or dating violence
- 1519 or is likely to be a victim of domestic violence or dating violence.";
- 1520 (b)(i) an at-risk voter request form indicating that the voter, or an individual who
- 1521 resides with the voter, is a law enforcement officer, a public figure, or protected
- 1522 by a protective order or protection order; and
- 1523 (ii) in accordance with any rules made under Subsection (3)(b), proof of the

- 1524 indication described in Subsection (5)(b)(i); or  
1525 (c)(i) an at-risk voter request form indicating that the voter is, or is a qualified family  
1526 member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed forces; and  
1527 (ii) in accordance with any rules made under Subsection (3)(b), proof of the  
1528 indication described in Subsection (5)(c)(i).
- 1529 (6) Beginning on May 7, 2025, a county clerk or the lieutenant governor shall designate a  
1530 voter as an at-risk voter if the voter:
- 1531 (a)(i) is a victim of domestic violence or dating violence or is likely to be a victim of  
1532 domestic violence or dating violence;  
1533 (ii) is, or resides with an individual who is, a law enforcement officer, a public figure,  
1534 or protected by a protective order or protection order; or  
1535 (iii) is, or is a qualified family member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed  
1536 forces; and
- 1537 (b) complies with Subsection (5).
- 1538 (7) A county clerk shall, beginning in 2030, and every five years after 2030, before July 15:
- 1539 (a) mail to each voter who, for at least the last year, has been designated as an at-risk  
1540 voter:
- 1541 (i) notice that the voter is designated as an at-risk voter and the grounds for the  
1542 designation;  
1543 (ii) a list of the grounds for designating a voter as an at-risk voter;  
1544 (iii) an inquiry regarding whether the voter still qualifies as an at-risk voter; and  
1545 (iv) a self-addressed envelope, with postage prepaid, for the voter to mail the voter's  
1546 response to the inquiry described in Subsection (7)(a)(iii); and
- 1547 (b) remove the designation of a voter as an at-risk voter if the voter responds that the  
1548 voter no longer qualifies as an at-risk voter.
- 1549 Section 13. Section **20A-2-607** is enacted to read:
- 1550 **20A-2-607 . Applicability and enforcement.**
- 1551 (1) This part does not govern or restrict the release of a voter registration record:
- 1552 (a) to an election officer;  
1553 (b) for a purpose relating to voter registration or the administration of an election;  
1554 (c) to the federal government to comply with, or verify compliance with, the  
1555 requirements of law;  
1556 (d) pursuant to an order of a court with jurisdiction; or  
1557 (e) to a federal, state, or local law enforcement agency for a legitimate law enforcement

1558 purpose.

1559 (2) It is unlawful for a person to:

1560 (a) obtain information from the list of registered voters under false pretenses;

1561 (b) obtain or use information from the list of registered voters in a manner that is not  
1562 permitted by law; or

1563 (c) disclose information from the list of registered voters in a manner that is not  
1564 permitted by law.

1565 (3) A violation of Subsection (2) is a class A misdemeanor.

1566 Section 14. Section **20A-3a-401** is amended to read:

1567 **20A-3a-401 . Custody of voted ballots mailed or deposited in a ballot drop box --**

1568 **Disposition -- Notice -- Disclosures relating to unresolved ballots.**

1569 (1) This section governs ballots returned by mail or via a ballot drop box.

1570 (2)(a) Poll workers shall open return envelopes containing manual ballots that are in the  
1571 custody of the poll workers in accordance with this section.

1572 (b) The poll workers shall, first, compare the signature of the voter on the affidavit of the  
1573 return envelope to the signature of the voter in the voter registration records.

1574 (3) After complying with Subsection (2), the poll workers shall determine whether:

1575 (a) the signatures correspond;

1576 (b) the affidavit is sufficient;

1577 (c) the voter is registered to vote in the correct precinct;

1578 (d) the voter's right to vote the ballot has been challenged;

1579 (e) the voter has already voted in the election;

1580 (f) the voter is required to provide valid voter identification; and

1581 (g) if the voter is required to provide valid voter identification, whether the voter has  
1582 provided valid voter identification.

1583 (4)(a) The poll workers shall take the action described in Subsection (4)(b) if the poll  
1584 workers determine:

1585 (i) in accordance with the rules made under Subsection (11):

1586 (A) that the signature on the affidavit of the return envelope is reasonably  
1587 consistent with the individual's signature in the voter registration records; or

1588 (B) for an individual who checks the box described in Subsection (5)(c)(v), that  
1589 the signature is verified by alternative means;

1590 (ii) that the affidavit is sufficient;

1591 (iii) that the voter is registered to vote in the correct precinct;

- 1592 (iv) that the voter's right to vote the ballot has not been challenged;  
1593 (v) that the voter has not already voted in the election; and  
1594 (vi) for a voter required to provide valid voter identification, that the voter has  
1595 provided valid voter identification.
- 1596 (b) If the poll workers make all of the findings described in Subsection (4)(a), the poll  
1597 workers shall:
- 1598 (i) remove the manual ballot from the return envelope in a manner that does not  
1599 destroy the affidavit on the return envelope;  
1600 (ii) ensure that the ballot does not unfold and is not otherwise examined in  
1601 connection with the return envelope; and  
1602 (iii) place the ballot with the other ballots to be counted.
- 1603 (c) If the poll workers do not make all of the findings described in Subsection (4)(a), the  
1604 poll workers shall:
- 1605 (i) disallow the vote;  
1606 (ii) without opening the return envelope, record the ballot as "rejected" and state the  
1607 reason for the rejection; and  
1608 (iii) place the return envelope, unopened, with the other rejected return envelopes.
- 1609 (5)(a) If the poll workers reject an individual's ballot because the poll workers  
1610 determine, in accordance with rules made under Subsection (11), that the signature  
1611 on the return envelope is not reasonably consistent with the individual's signature in  
1612 the voter registration records, the election officer shall:
- 1613 (i) contact the individual in accordance with Subsection (6); and  
1614 (ii) inform the individual:
- 1615 (A) that the individual's signature is in question;  
1616 (B) how the individual may resolve the issue; and  
1617 (C) that, in order for the ballot to be counted, the individual is required to deliver  
1618 to the election officer a correctly completed affidavit, provided by the county  
1619 clerk, that meets the requirements described in Subsection (5)(c).
- 1620 (b) The election officer shall ensure that the notice described in Subsection (5)(a)  
1621 includes:
- 1622 (i) when communicating the notice by mail, a printed copy of the affidavit described  
1623 in Subsection (5)(c) and a courtesy reply envelope;  
1624 (ii) when communicating the notice electronically, a link to a copy of the affidavit  
1625 described in Subsection (5)(c) or information on how to obtain a copy of the



- 1626 affidavit; or
- 1627 (iii) when communicating the notice by phone, either during a direct conversation  
1628 with the voter or in a voicemail, arrangements for the voter to receive a copy of  
1629 the affidavit described in Subsection (5)(c), either in person from the clerk's  
1630 office, by mail, or electronically.
- 1631 (c) An affidavit described in Subsection (5)(a)(ii)(C) shall include:
- 1632 (i) an attestation that the individual voted the ballot;
- 1633 (ii) a space for the individual to enter the individual's name, date of birth, and driver  
1634 license number or the last four digits of the individual's social security number;
- 1635 (iii) a space for the individual to sign the affidavit;
- 1636 (iv) a statement that, by signing the affidavit, the individual authorizes the lieutenant  
1637 governor's and county clerk's use of the individual's signature on the affidavit for  
1638 voter identification purposes; and
- 1639 (v) a check box accompanied by language in substantially the following form: "I am  
1640 a voter with a qualifying disability under the Americans with Disabilities Act that  
1641 impacts my ability to sign my name consistently. I can provide appropriate  
1642 documentation upon request. To discuss accommodations, I can be contacted at  
1643 \_\_\_\_\_".
- 1644 (d) In order for an individual described in Subsection (5)(a) to have the individual's  
1645 ballot counted, the individual shall deliver the affidavit described in Subsection (5)(c)  
1646 to the election officer.
- 1647 (e) An election officer who receives a signed affidavit under Subsection (5)(d) shall  
1648 immediately:
- 1649 (i) scan the signature on the affidavit electronically and keep the signature on file in  
1650 the statewide voter registration database developed under Section 20A-2-502;
- 1651 (ii) if the election officer receives the affidavit no later than 5 p.m. three days before  
1652 the day on which the canvass begins, count the individual's ballot; and
- 1653 (iii) if the check box described in Subsection (5)(c)(v) is checked, comply with the  
1654 rules described in Subsection (11)(c).
- 1655 (6)(a) The election officer shall, within two business days after the day on which an  
1656 individual's ballot is rejected, notify the individual of the rejection and the reason for  
1657 the rejection, by phone, mail, email, or SMS text message, unless:
- 1658 (i) the ballot is cured within one business day after the day on which the ballot is  
1659 rejected; or

- 1660 (ii) the ballot is rejected because the ballot is received late or for another reason that  
1661 cannot be cured.
- 1662 (b) If an individual's ballot is rejected for a reason described in Subsection (6)(a)(ii), the  
1663 election officer shall notify the individual of the rejection and the reason for the  
1664 rejection by phone, mail, email, or SMS text message, within the later of:
- 1665 (i) 30 days after the day of the rejection; or  
1666 (ii) 30 days after the day of the election.
- 1667 (c) The election officer may, when notifying an individual by phone under this  
1668 Subsection (6), use auto-dial technology.
- 1669 (7) An election officer may not count the ballot of an individual whom the election officer  
1670 contacts under Subsection (5) or (6) unless, no later than 5 p.m. three days before the  
1671 day on which the canvass begins, the election officer:
- 1672 (a) receives a signed affidavit from the individual under Subsection (5); or  
1673 (b)(i) contacts the individual;  
1674 (ii) if the election officer has reason to believe that an individual, other than the voter  
1675 to whom the ballot was sent, signed the ballot affidavit, informs the individual that  
1676 it is unlawful to sign a ballot affidavit for another person, even if the person gives  
1677 permission;  
1678 (iii) verifies the identity of the individual by:
- 1679 (A) requiring the individual to provide at least two types of personal identifying  
1680 information for the individual; and  
1681 (B) comparing the information provided under Subsection (7)(b)(iii)(A) to records  
1682 relating to the individual that are in the possession or control of an election  
1683 officer; and  
1684 (iv) documenting the verification described in Subsection (7)(b)(iii), by recording:
- 1685 (A) the name and voter identification number of the individual contacted;  
1686 (B) the name of the individual who conducts the verification;  
1687 (C) the date and manner of the communication;  
1688 (D) the type of personal identifying information provided by the individual;  
1689 (E) a description of the records against which the personal identifying information  
1690 provided by the individual is compared and verified; and  
1691 (F) other information required by the lieutenant governor.
- 1692 (8) The election officer shall:
- 1693 (a) retain and preserve the return envelopes in the manner provided by law for the

- 1694 retention and preservation of ballots voted at that election;
- 1695 (b) retain and preserve the documentation described in Subsection (7)(b)(iv); and
- 1696 (c) if the election officer complies with Subsection (8)(b) by including the
- 1697 documentation in the voter's voter registration record, make, retain, and preserve a
- 1698 record of the name and voter identification number of each voter contacted under
- 1699 Subsection (7)(b).
- 1700 (9)(a) The election officer shall record the following in the database used to verify
- 1701 signatures:
- 1702 (i) any initial rejection of a ballot under Subsection (4)(c), within one business day
- 1703 after the day on which the election officer rejects the ballot; and
- 1704 (ii) any resolution of a rejection of a ballot under Subsection (7), within one business
- 1705 day after the day on which the ballot rejection is resolved.
- 1706 (b) An election officer shall include, in the canvass report, a final report of the
- 1707 disposition of all rejected and resolved ballots, including, for ballots rejected, the
- 1708 following:
- 1709 (i) the number of ballots rejected because the voter did not sign the voter's ballot; and
- 1710 (ii) the number of ballots rejected because the voter's signatures on the ballot, and in
- 1711 records on file, do not correspond.
- 1712 (10) Willful failure to comply with this section constitutes willful neglect of duty under
- 1713 Section 20A-5-701.
- 1714 (11) The director of elections within the Office of the Lieutenant Governor shall make
- 1715 rules, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, to
- 1716 establish:
- 1717 (a) criteria and processes for use by poll workers in determining if a signature
- 1718 corresponds with the signature on file for the voter under Subsections (3)(a) and
- 1719 (4)(a)(i)(A);
- 1720 (b) training and certification requirements for election officers and employees of election
- 1721 officers regarding the criteria and processes described in Subsection (11)(a); and
- 1722 (c) in compliance with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C.
- 1723 Secs. 12131 through 12165, an alternative means of verifying the identity of an
- 1724 individual who checks the box described in Subsection (5)(c)(v).
- 1725 (12) Subject to Subsection (13), if, in response to a request, and in accordance with the
- 1726 requirements of law, an election officer discloses the [name] voter identification number
- 1727 or address of voters whose ballots have been rejected and not yet resolved, the election

1728 officer shall:

1729 (a) make the disclosure within two business days after the day on which the request is  
1730 made;

1731 (b) respond to each request in the order the requests were made; and

1732 (c) make each disclosure in a manner, and within a period of time, that does not reflect  
1733 favoritism to one requestor over another.

1734 (13) A disclosure described in Subsection (12) may not include~~[ the name or address of a~~  
1735 ~~protected individual, as defined in Subsection 20A-2-104(1).]~~ :

1736 (a) the name of a voter; or

1737 (b) any information relating to an at-risk voter, as defined in Section 20A-2-601.

1738 Section 15. Section **20A-5-410** is amended to read:

1739 **20A-5-410 . Election officer to provide voting history information and status.**

1740 (1) As used in this section, "voting history record" means the information about the  
1741 existence and status of absentee ballot requests required by this section.

1742 (2)(a) Each election officer shall maintain, in the election officer's office, a voting  
1743 history record of those voters registered to vote in the election officer's jurisdiction.

1744 (b) Except as it relates to a voter whose voter registration record is classified as private  
1745 under Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(k), the voting history record is a public record under  
1746 Title 63G, Chapter 2, Government Records Access and Management Act.

1747 (3)(a) When an election officer reports voting history for an election, the election officer  
1748 shall~~[, for each voter whose voter registration is classified as private under~~  
1749 ~~Subsection 20A-2-104(4)(h),]~~ report the following for each at-risk voter, as defined  
1750 in Section 20A-2-601, for that election only, without disclosing the identity of the  
1751 voter:

1752 (i) for voting by mail, the information described in Subsection (4)(a);

1753 (ii) for early voting, the date the individual voted; and

1754 (iii) for voting on election day, the date the individual voted.

1755 (b) In relation to the information of [~~a voter whose voter registration is classified as~~  
1756 ~~private under Subsection 20A-2-104(4)(h)] an at-risk voter, as defined in Section  
1757 20A-2-601, a report described in Subsection (3)(a) may not disclose, by itself or in  
1758 conjunction with any other public information, the voter identification number, the  
1759 identity, or any other personal identifying information of the voter.~~

1760 (4) [~~The~~] Except as otherwise provided in Subsection (3), the election officer shall ensure  
1761 that the voting history record for each voting precinct contains:

- 1762 (a) for voting by mail:
- 1763 (i) the date that the manual ballot was mailed to the voter; and
- 1764 (ii) the date that the voted manual ballot was received by the election officer;
- 1765 (b) for early voting:
- 1766 (i) the [name] voter identification number and address of each individual who
- 1767 participated in early voting; and
- 1768 (ii) the date the individual voted; and
- 1769 (c) for voting on election day, the [name] voter identification number and address of each
- 1770 individual who voted on election day.

1771 (5)(a) Notwithstanding the time limits for response to a request for records under

1772 Section 63G-2-204 or the time limits for a request for records established in any

1773 ordinance, the election officer shall ensure that the information required by this

1774 section is recorded and made available to the public no later than one business day

1775 after its receipt in the election officer's office.

1776 (b) Notwithstanding the fee requirements of Section 63G-2-203 or the fee requirements

1777 established in any ordinance, the election officer shall make copies of the voting

1778 history record available to the public for the actual cost of production or copying.

1779 Section 16. Section **20A-6-105** is amended to read:

1780 **20A-6-105 . Provisional ballot envelopes.**

1781 (1) Each election officer shall ensure that provisional ballot envelopes are printed in

1782 substantially the following form:

1783 "AFFIRMATION

1784 Are you a citizen of the United States of America? Yes No

1785 Will you be 18 years old on or before election day? Yes No

1786 If you checked "no" in response to either of the two above questions, do not complete

1787 this form.

1788 Name of Voter \_\_\_\_\_

1789 First Middle Last

1790 Driver License or Identification Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

1791 State of Issuance of Driver License or Identification Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

1792 Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

1793 Street Address of Principal Place of Residence

1794 \_\_\_\_\_

1795 City County State Zip Code

1796 Telephone Number (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

1797 Email Address (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

1798 Last four digits of Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

1799 Last former address at which I was registered to vote (if known)

1800 \_\_\_\_\_

1801 City County State Zip Code

1802 Voting Precinct (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

1803 I, (please print your full name) \_\_\_\_\_ do solemnly swear or

1804 affirm:

1805 That I am eligible to vote in this election; that I have not voted in this election in any  
1806 other precinct; that I am eligible to vote in this precinct; and that I request that I be permitted  
1807 to vote in this precinct; and

1808 Subject to penalty of law for false statements, that the information contained in this form  
1809 is true, and that I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of Utah, residing at the above  
1810 address; and that I am at least 18 years old and have resided in Utah for the 30 days  
1811 immediately before this election.

1812 Signed

1813 \_\_\_\_\_

1814 Dated

1815 \_\_\_\_\_

1816 In accordance with Section 20A-3a-506, wilfully providing false information above is a  
1817 class B misdemeanor under Utah law and is punishable by imprisonment and by fine.

1818 PRIVACY INFORMATION

1819 Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such  
1820 as your voter identification number and address. Your name, date of birth, email address, and  
1821 phone number are available only to a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any,  
1822 or an authorized government entity. Your driver license number, state identification card  
1823 number, and social security number are available only to an authorized government entity, to  
1824 the extent authorized by law.

1825 REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION

1826 In addition to the protections provided above, you may request designation as an at-risk  
1827 voter by submitting to the county clerk, either with this registration form or at a later time, an  
1828 at-risk voter request form, together with the verification required by law, indicating that:  
1829 • you are or are likely to be, or that you reside with a person who is or is likely to be, a

1830 victim of domestic violence or dating violence;  
 1831 • you are, or reside with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a public figure, or  
 1832 protected by a protective order or a protection order; or  
 1833 • you are, or are a qualified family member of, a remotely-deployed member of the armed  
 1834 forces.  
 1835 If, based on your voter request form and the required verification, the county clerk  
 1836 designates you as an at-risk voter:  
 1837 • your entire voter registration record will be withheld from all persons, other than a political  
 1838 party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, or an authorized government entity;  
 1839 • a political party with which you choose to affiliate, if any, will have access to your entire  
 1840 voter registration record other than your name, phone number, email address, driver license  
 1841 number, state identification card number, and social security number; and  
 1842 • a government entity will have access to your voter registration record to the extent  
 1843 authorized by law.

1844 [~~Voter registration records contain some information that is available to the public, such as~~  
 1845 ~~your name and address, some information that is available only to government entities, and~~  
 1846 ~~some information that is available only to certain third parties in accordance with the~~  
 1847 ~~requirements of law.~~

1848 ~~Your driver license number, identification card number, social security number, email~~  
 1849 ~~address, full date of birth, and phone number are available only to government entities. Your~~  
 1850 ~~year of birth is available to political parties, candidates for public office, certain third parties,~~  
 1851 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, in accordance with the requirements of law.~~

1852 ~~You may request that all information on your voter registration records be withheld~~  
 1853 ~~from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,~~  
 1854 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by indicating here:~~

1855 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I request that all information on my voter registration records be withheld~~  
 1856 ~~from all persons other than government entities, political parties, candidates for public office,~~  
 1857 ~~and their contractors, employees, and volunteers.~~

#### 1858 ~~REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION~~

1859 ~~In addition to the protections provided above, you may request that identifying~~  
 1860 ~~information on your voter registration records be withheld from all political parties, candidates~~  
 1861 ~~for public office, and their contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a~~  
 1862 ~~withholding request form, and any required verification, as described in the following~~  
 1863 ~~paragraphs.~~

1864 A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
 1865 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
 1866 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form with this  
 1867 registration record, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk, if the person is or is likely  
 1868 to be, or resides with a person who is or is likely to be, a victim of domestic violence or dating  
 1869 violence.

1870 A person may request that identifying information on the person's voter registration  
 1871 records be withheld from all political parties, candidates for public office, and their  
 1872 contractors, employees, and volunteers, by submitting a withholding request form and any  
 1873 required verification with this registration form, or to the lieutenant governor or a county clerk,  
 1874 if the person is, or resides with a person who is, a law enforcement officer, a member of the  
 1875 armed forces, a public figure, or protected by a protective order or a protection order.]

1876 CITIZENSHIP AFFIDAVIT

1877 Name:

1878 Name at birth, if different:

1879 Place of birth:

1880 Date of birth:

1881 Date and place of naturalization (if applicable):

1882 I hereby swear and affirm, under penalties for voting fraud set forth below, that I am a  
 1883 citizen and that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information above is true and  
 1884 correct.

1885

1886 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Applicant

1887 In accordance with Section 20A-2-401, the penalty for willfully causing, procuring, or  
 1888 allowing yourself to be registered to vote if you know you are not entitled to register to vote is  
 1889 up to one year in jail and a fine of up to \$2,500."

1890 (2) The provisional ballot envelope shall include:

1891 (a) a unique number;

1892 (b) a detachable part that includes the unique number;

1893 (c) a telephone number, internet address, or other indicator of a means, in accordance  
 1894 with Section 20A-6-105.5, where the voter can find out if the provisional ballot was  
 1895 counted; and

1896 (d) an insert containing written instructions on how a voter may sign up to receive ballot  
 1897 status notifications via the ballot tracking system described in Section 20A-3a-401.5.



1898 Section 17. Section **63G-2-301** is amended to read:

1899 **63G-2-301 . Public records.**

1900 (1) As used in this section:

1901 (a) "Business address" means a single address of a governmental agency designated for  
1902 the public to contact an employee or officer of the governmental agency.

1903 (b) "Business email address" means a single email address of a governmental agency  
1904 designated for the public to contact an employee or officer of the governmental  
1905 agency.

1906 (c) "Business telephone number" means a single telephone number of a governmental  
1907 agency designated for the public to contact an employee or officer of the  
1908 governmental agency.

1909 (d) "Correctional facility" means the same as that term is defined in Section 77-16b-102.

1910 (2) The following records are public except to the extent they contain information expressly  
1911 permitted to be treated confidentially under the provisions of Subsections

1912 63G-2-201(3)(b) and (6)(a):

1913 (a) laws;

1914 (b) the name, gender, gross compensation, job title, job description, business address,  
1915 business email address, business telephone number, number of hours worked per pay  
1916 period, dates of employment, and relevant education, previous employment, and  
1917 similar job qualifications of a current or former employee or officer of the  
1918 governmental entity, excluding:

1919 (i) undercover law enforcement personnel; and

1920 (ii) investigative personnel if disclosure could reasonably be expected to impair the  
1921 effectiveness of investigations or endanger any individual's safety;

1922 (c) final opinions, including concurring and dissenting opinions, and orders that are  
1923 made by a governmental entity in an administrative, adjudicative, or judicial  
1924 proceeding except that if the proceedings were properly closed to the public, the  
1925 opinion and order may be withheld to the extent that they contain information that is  
1926 private, controlled, or protected;

1927 (d) final interpretations of statutes or rules by a governmental entity unless classified as  
1928 protected as provided in Subsection 63G-2-305(17) or (18);

1929 (e) information contained in or compiled from a transcript, minutes, or report of the open  
1930 portions of a meeting of a governmental entity as provided by Title 52, Chapter 4,  
1931 Open and Public Meetings Act, including the records of all votes of each member of

- 1932 the governmental entity;
- 1933 (f) judicial records unless a court orders the records to be restricted under the rules of
- 1934 civil or criminal procedure or unless the records are private under this chapter;
- 1935 (g) unless otherwise classified as private under Section 63G-2-303, records or parts of
- 1936 records filed with or maintained by county recorders, clerks, treasurers, surveyors,
- 1937 zoning commissions, the Division of Forestry, Fire, and State Lands, the School and
- 1938 Institutional Trust Lands Administration, the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, the
- 1939 Division of Water Rights, or other governmental entities that give public notice of:
- 1940 (i) titles or encumbrances to real property;
- 1941 (ii) restrictions on the use of real property;
- 1942 (iii) the capacity of persons to take or convey title to real property; or
- 1943 (iv) tax status for real and personal property;
- 1944 (h) records of the Department of Commerce that evidence incorporations, mergers, name
- 1945 changes, and uniform commercial code filings;
- 1946 (i) data on individuals that would otherwise be private under this chapter if the
- 1947 individual who is the subject of the record has given the governmental entity written
- 1948 permission to make the records available to the public;
- 1949 (j) documentation of the compensation that a governmental entity pays to a contractor or
- 1950 private provider;
- 1951 (k) summary data;
- 1952 (l) standard voter data, as defined in Section 20A-2-601, in a voter registration [records]
- 1953 record, including an individual's voting history, except for:
- 1954 (i) ~~[-]a voter registration record or those parts of a voter registration record that are~~
- 1955 ~~classified as private under Subsections 63G-2-302(1)(j) through (m)[or withheld~~
- 1956 ~~under Subsection 20A-2-104(7)]; or~~
- 1957 (ii) a voter registration record of an at-risk voter, as defined in Section 20A-2-601;
- 1958 (m) for an elected official, as defined in Section 11-47-102, a telephone number, if
- 1959 available, and email address, if available, where that elected official may be reached
- 1960 as required in Title 11, Chapter 47, Access to Elected Officials;
- 1961 (n) for a school community council member, a telephone number, if available, and email
- 1962 address, if available, where that elected official may be reached directly as required
- 1963 in Section 53G-7-1203;
- 1964 (o) annual audited financial statements of the Utah Educational Savings Plan described
- 1965 in Section 53B-8a-111; and

- 1966 (p) an initiative packet, as defined in Section 20A-7-101, and a referendum packet, as  
1967 defined in Section 20A-7-101, after the packet is submitted to a county clerk.
- 1968 (3) The following records are normally public, but to the extent that a record is expressly  
1969 exempt from disclosure, access may be restricted under Subsection 63G-2-201(3)(b),  
1970 Section 63G-2-302, 63G-2-304, or 63G-2-305:
- 1971 (a) administrative staff manuals, instructions to staff, and statements of policy;
- 1972 (b) records documenting a contractor's or private provider's compliance with the terms  
1973 of a contract with a governmental entity;
- 1974 (c) records documenting the services provided by a contractor or a private provider to  
1975 the extent the records would be public if prepared by the governmental entity;
- 1976 (d) contracts entered into by a governmental entity;
- 1977 (e) any account, voucher, or contract that deals with the receipt or expenditure of funds  
1978 by a governmental entity;
- 1979 (f) records relating to government assistance or incentives publicly disclosed, contracted  
1980 for, or given by a governmental entity, encouraging a person to expand or relocate a  
1981 business in Utah, except as provided in Subsection 63G-2-305(35);
- 1982 (g) chronological logs and initial contact reports;
- 1983 (h) correspondence by and with a governmental entity in which the governmental entity  
1984 determines or states an opinion upon the rights of the state, a political subdivision,  
1985 the public, or any person;
- 1986 (i) empirical data contained in drafts if:
- 1987 (i) the empirical data is not reasonably available to the requester elsewhere in similar  
1988 form; and
- 1989 (ii) the governmental entity is given a reasonable opportunity to correct any errors or  
1990 make nonsubstantive changes before release;
- 1991 (j) drafts that are circulated to anyone other than:
- 1992 (i) a governmental entity;
- 1993 (ii) a political subdivision;
- 1994 (iii) a federal agency if the governmental entity and the federal agency are jointly  
1995 responsible for implementation of a program or project that has been legislatively  
1996 approved;
- 1997 (iv) a government-managed corporation; or
- 1998 (v) a contractor or private provider;
- 1999 (k) drafts that have never been finalized but were relied upon by the governmental entity

- 2000 in carrying out action or policy;
- 2001 (l) original data in a computer program if the governmental entity chooses not to
- 2002 disclose the program;
- 2003 (m) arrest warrants after issuance, except that, for good cause, a court may order
- 2004 restricted access to arrest warrants prior to service;
- 2005 (n) search warrants after execution and filing of the return, except that a court, for good
- 2006 cause, may order restricted access to search warrants prior to trial;
- 2007 (o) records that would disclose information relating to formal charges or disciplinary
- 2008 actions against a past or present governmental entity employee if:
- 2009 (i) the disciplinary action has been completed and all time periods for administrative
- 2010 appeal have expired; and
- 2011 (ii) the charges on which the disciplinary action was based were sustained;
- 2012 (p) records maintained by the Division of Forestry, Fire, and State Lands, the School and
- 2013 Institutional Trust Lands Administration, or the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining that
- 2014 evidence mineral production on government lands;
- 2015 (q) final audit reports;
- 2016 (r) occupational and professional licenses;
- 2017 (s) business licenses;
- 2018 (t) a notice of violation, a notice of agency action under Section 63G-4-201, or similar
- 2019 records used to initiate proceedings for discipline or sanctions against persons
- 2020 regulated by a governmental entity, but not including records that initiate employee
- 2021 discipline; and
- 2022 (u)(i) records that disclose a standard, regulation, policy, guideline, or rule regarding
- 2023 the operation of a correctional facility or the care and control of inmates
- 2024 committed to the custody of a correctional facility; and
- 2025 (ii) records that disclose the results of an audit or other inspection assessing a
- 2026 correctional facility's compliance with a standard, regulation, policy, guideline, or
- 2027 rule described in Subsection (3)(u)(i).
- 2028 (4) The list of public records in this section is not exhaustive and should not be used to limit
- 2029 access to records.
- 2030 Section 18. Section **63G-2-302** is amended to read:
- 2031 **63G-2-302 . Private records.**
- 2032 (1) The following records are private:
- 2033 (a) records concerning an individual's eligibility for unemployment insurance benefits,

- 2034 social services, welfare benefits, or the determination of benefit levels;
- 2035 (b) records containing data on individuals describing medical history, diagnosis,
- 2036 condition, treatment, evaluation, or similar medical data;
- 2037 (c) records of publicly funded libraries that when examined alone or with other records
- 2038 identify a patron;
- 2039 (d) records received by or generated by or for:
- 2040 (i) the Independent Legislative Ethics Commission, except for:
- 2041 (A) the commission's summary data report that is required under legislative rule;
- 2042 and
- 2043 (B) any other document that is classified as public under legislative rule; or
- 2044 (ii) a Senate or House Ethics Committee in relation to the review of ethics
- 2045 complaints, unless the record is classified as public under legislative rule;
- 2046 (e) records received by, or generated by or for, the Independent Executive Branch Ethics
- 2047 Commission, except as otherwise expressly provided in Title 63A, Chapter 14,
- 2048 Review of Executive Branch Ethics Complaints;
- 2049 (f) records received or generated for a Senate confirmation committee concerning
- 2050 character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual:
- 2051 (i) if, prior to the meeting, the chair of the committee determines release of the
- 2052 records:
- 2053 (A) reasonably could be expected to interfere with the investigation undertaken by
- 2054 the committee; or
- 2055 (B) would create a danger of depriving a person of a right to a fair proceeding or
- 2056 impartial hearing; and
- 2057 (ii) after the meeting, if the meeting was closed to the public;
- 2058 (g) employment records concerning a current or former employee of, or applicant for
- 2059 employment with, a governmental entity that would disclose that individual's home
- 2060 address, home telephone number, social security number, insurance coverage, marital
- 2061 status, or payroll deductions;
- 2062 (h) records or parts of records under Section 63G-2-303 that a current or former
- 2063 employee identifies as private according to the requirements of that section;
- 2064 (i) that part of a record indicating a person's social security number or federal employer
- 2065 identification number if provided under Section 31A-23a-104, 31A-25-202,
- 2066 31A-26-202, 58-1-301, 58-55-302, 61-1-4, or 61-2f-203;
- 2067 (j) that part of a voter registration record identifying a voter's:

- 2068 (i) driver license or identification card number;
- 2069 (ii) social security number, or last four digits of the social security number;
- 2070 (iii) email address;
- 2071 (iv) date of birth; or
- 2072 (v) phone number;
- 2073 (k) a voter registration record that is classified as a private record by the lieutenant
- 2074 governor or a county clerk under Subsection 20A-2-101.1(5)(a)[~~20A-2-104(4)(h);~~]
- 2075 or 20A-2-204(4)(b);
- 2076 (l) a voter registration record [~~that is withheld under Subsection 20A-2-104(7)~~] of an
- 2077 at-risk voter, as defined in Section 20A-2-606;
- 2078 (m) the following forms and supporting verification:
- 2079 (i) a withholding request form used, before May 7, 2026, to request that a voter's
- 2080 voter registration be withheld as a private record, and any verification submitted
- 2081 in support of the form; and
- 2082 (ii) an at-risk voter request form described in [~~Subsections 20A-2-104(7) and (8)~~]
- 2083 Subsection 20A-2-601(5) and any verification submitted in support of the form;
- 2084 (n) a record that:
- 2085 (i) contains information about an individual;
- 2086 (ii) is voluntarily provided by the individual; and
- 2087 (iii) goes into an electronic database that:
- 2088 (A) is designated by and administered under the authority of the Chief Information
- 2089 Officer; and
- 2090 (B) acts as a repository of information about the individual that can be
- 2091 electronically retrieved and used to facilitate the individual's online interaction
- 2092 with a state agency;
- 2093 (o) information provided to the Commissioner of Insurance under:
- 2094 (i) Subsection 31A-23a-115(3)(a);
- 2095 (ii) Subsection 31A-23a-302(4); or
- 2096 (iii) Subsection 31A-26-210(4);
- 2097 (p) information obtained through a criminal background check under Title 11, Chapter
- 2098 40, Criminal Background Checks by Political Subdivisions Operating Water Systems;
- 2099 (q) information provided by an offender that is:
- 2100 (i) required by the registration requirements of Title 77, Chapter 41, Sex, Kidnap, and
- 2101 Child Abuse Offender Registry; and

- 2102 (ii) not required to be made available to the public under Subsection 77-41-110(4);
- 2103 (r) a statement and any supporting documentation filed with the attorney general in
- 2104 accordance with Section 34-45-107, if the federal law or action supporting the filing
- 2105 involves homeland security;
- 2106 (s) electronic toll collection customer account information received or collected under
- 2107 Section 72-6-118 and customer information described in Section 17B-2a-815
- 2108 received or collected by a public transit district, including contact and payment
- 2109 information and customer travel data;
- 2110 (t) an email address provided by a military or overseas voter under Section 20A-16-501;
- 2111 (u) a completed military-overseas ballot that is electronically transmitted under Title
- 2112 20A, Chapter 16, Uniform Military and Overseas Voters Act;
- 2113 (v) records received by or generated by or for the Political Subdivisions Ethics Review
- 2114 Commission established in Section 63A-15-201, except for:
- 2115 (i) the commission's summary data report that is required in Section 63A-15-202; and
- 2116 (ii) any other document that is classified as public in accordance with Title 63A,
- 2117 Chapter 15, Political Subdivisions Ethics Review Commission;
- 2118 (w) a record described in Section 53G-9-604 that verifies that a parent was notified of an
- 2119 incident or threat;
- 2120 (x) a criminal background check or credit history report conducted in accordance with
- 2121 Section 63A-3-201;
- 2122 (y) a record described in Subsection 53-5a-104(7);
- 2123 (z) on a record maintained by a county for the purpose of administering property taxes,
- 2124 an individual's:
- 2125 (i) email address;
- 2126 (ii) phone number; or
- 2127 (iii) personal financial information related to a person's payment method;
- 2128 (aa) a record submitted by a taxpayer to establish the taxpayer's eligibility for an
- 2129 exemption, deferral, abatement, or relief under:
- 2130 (i) Title 59, Chapter 2, Part 11, Exemptions;
- 2131 (ii) Title 59, Chapter 2, Part 12, Property Tax Relief;
- 2132 (iii) Title 59, Chapter 2, Part 18, Tax Deferral and Tax Abatement; or
- 2133 (iv) Title 59, Chapter 2, Part 19, Armed Forces Exemptions;
- 2134 (bb) a record provided by the State Tax Commission in response to a request under
- 2135 Subsection 59-1-403(4)(y)(iii);

- 2136 (cc) a record of the Child Welfare Legislative Oversight Panel regarding an individual  
2137 child welfare case, as described in Subsection 36-33-103(3);~~and~~
- 2138 (dd) a record relating to drug or alcohol testing of a state employee under Section  
2139 63A-17-1004;
- 2140 (ee) a record relating to a request by a state elected official or state employee who has  
2141 been threatened to the Division of Technology Services to remove personal  
2142 identifying information from the open web under Section 63A-16-109; and
- 2143 (ff) a record including confidential information as that term is defined in Section  
2144 67-27-105.
- 2145 (2) The following records are private if properly classified by a governmental entity:
- 2146 (a) records concerning a current or former employee of, or applicant for employment  
2147 with a governmental entity, including performance evaluations and personal status  
2148 information such as race, religion, or disabilities, but not including records that are  
2149 public under Subsection 63G-2-301(2)(b) or 63G-2-301(3)(o) or private under  
2150 Subsection (1)(b);
- 2151 (b) records describing an individual's finances, except that the following are public:
- 2152 (i) records described in Subsection 63G-2-301(2);
- 2153 (ii) information provided to the governmental entity for the purpose of complying  
2154 with a financial assurance requirement; or
- 2155 (iii) records that must be disclosed in accordance with another statute;
- 2156 (c) records of independent state agencies if the disclosure of those records would  
2157 conflict with the fiduciary obligations of the agency;
- 2158 (d) other records containing data on individuals the disclosure of which constitutes a  
2159 clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- 2160 (e) records provided by the United States or by a government entity outside the state that  
2161 are given with the requirement that the records be managed as private records, if the  
2162 providing entity states in writing that the record would not be subject to public  
2163 disclosure if retained by it;
- 2164 (f) any portion of a record in the custody of the Division of Aging and Adult Services,  
2165 created in Section 26B-6-102, that may disclose, or lead to the discovery of, the  
2166 identity of a person who made a report of alleged abuse, neglect, or exploitation of a  
2167 vulnerable adult; and
- 2168 (g) audio and video recordings created by a body-worn camera, as defined in Section  
2169 77-7a-103, that record sound or images inside a home or residence except for



- 2170 recordings that:
- 2171 (i) depict the commission of an alleged crime;
- 2172 (ii) record any encounter between a law enforcement officer and a person that results
- 2173 in death or bodily injury, or includes an instance when an officer fires a weapon;
- 2174 (iii) record any encounter that is the subject of a complaint or a legal proceeding
- 2175 against a law enforcement officer or law enforcement agency;
- 2176 (iv) contain an officer involved critical incident as defined in Subsection 76-2-408
- 2177 (1)(f); or
- 2178 (v) have been requested for reclassification as a public record by a subject or
- 2179 authorized agent of a subject featured in the recording.
- 2180 (3)(a) As used in this Subsection (3), "medical records" means medical reports, records,
- 2181 statements, history, diagnosis, condition, treatment, and evaluation.
- 2182 (b) Medical records in the possession of the University of Utah Hospital, its clinics,
- 2183 doctors, or affiliated entities are not private records or controlled records under
- 2184 Section 63G-2-304 when the records are sought:
- 2185 (i) in connection with any legal or administrative proceeding in which the patient's
- 2186 physical, mental, or emotional condition is an element of any claim or defense; or
- 2187 (ii) after a patient's death, in any legal or administrative proceeding in which any
- 2188 party relies upon the condition as an element of the claim or defense.
- 2189 (c) Medical records are subject to production in a legal or administrative proceeding
- 2190 according to state or federal statutes or rules of procedure and evidence as if the
- 2191 medical records were in the possession of a nongovernmental medical care provider.
- 2192 Section 19. Section **63G-2-303** is amended to read:
- 2193 **63G-2-303 . Private information concerning certain government employees.**
- 2194 (1) As used in this section:
- 2195 (a) "At-risk government employee" means a current or former:
- 2196 (i) peace officer as specified in Section 53-13-102;
- 2197 (ii) state or federal judge of an appellate, district, justice, or juvenile court, or court
- 2198 commissioner;
- 2199 (iii) judge authorized by Title 39A, Chapter 5, Utah Code of Military Justice;
- 2200 (iv) judge authorized by Armed Forces, Title 10, United States Code;
- 2201 (v) federal prosecutor;
- 2202 (vi) prosecutor appointed pursuant to Armed Forces, Title 10, United States Code;
- 2203 (vii) law enforcement official as defined in Section 53-5-711;

- 2204 (viii) prosecutor authorized by Title 39A, Chapter 5, Utah Code of Military Justice; or  
2205 (ix) state or local government employee who, because of the unique nature of the  
2206 employee's regular work assignments or because of one or more recent credible  
2207 threats directed to or against the employee, would be at immediate and substantial  
2208 risk of physical harm if the employee's personal information is disclosed.
- 2209 (b) "Family member" means the spouse, child, sibling, parent, or grandparent of an  
2210 at-risk government employee who is living with the employee.
- 2211 (c) "Personal information" means the employee's or the employee's family member's  
2212 home address, home telephone number, personal mobile telephone number, personal  
2213 pager number, personal email address, social security number, insurance coverage,  
2214 marital status, or payroll deductions.
- 2215 (2)(a) Pursuant to Subsection 63G-2-302(1)(h), an at-risk government employee may  
2216 file a written application that:
- 2217 (i) gives notice of the employee's status as an at-risk government employee to each  
2218 agency of a government entity holding a record or a part of a record that would  
2219 disclose the employee's personal information; and
- 2220 (ii) requests that the government agency classify those records or parts of records as  
2221 private.
- 2222 (b) An at-risk government employee desiring to file an application under this section  
2223 may request assistance from the government agency to identify the individual records  
2224 containing personal information.
- 2225 (c) Each government agency shall develop a form that:
- 2226 (i) requires the at-risk government employee to designate each specific record or part  
2227 of a record containing the employee's personal information that the applicant  
2228 desires to be classified as private;
- 2229 (ii) affirmatively requests that the government entity holding those records classify  
2230 them as private;
- 2231 (iii) informs the employee that by submitting a completed form the employee may  
2232 not receive official announcements affecting the employee's property, including  
2233 notices about proposed municipal annexations, incorporations, or zoning  
2234 modifications; and
- 2235 (iv) contains a place for the signature required under Subsection (2)(d).
- 2236 (d) A form submitted by an employee under Subsection (2)(c) shall be signed by the  
2237 highest ranking elected or appointed official in the employee's chain of command

- 2238 certifying that the employee submitting the form is an at-risk government employee.
- 2239 (3) A county recorder, county treasurer, county auditor, or a county tax assessor may fully
- 2240 satisfy the requirements of this section by:
- 2241 (a) providing a method for the assessment roll and index and the tax roll and index that
- 2242 will block public access to the home address, home telephone number, situs address,
- 2243 and Social Security number; and
- 2244 (b) providing the at-risk government employee requesting the classification with a
- 2245 disclaimer informing the employee that the employee may not receive official
- 2246 announcements affecting the employee's property, including notices about proposed
- 2247 annexations, incorporations, or zoning modifications.
- 2248 (4) A government agency holding records of an at-risk government employee classified as
- 2249 private under this section may release the record or part of the record if:
- 2250 (a) the employee or former employee gives written consent;
- 2251 (b) a court orders release of the records; or
- 2252 (c) the government agency receives a certified death certificate for the employee or
- 2253 former employee[; ~~or~~] .
- 2254 [~~(d) as it relates to the employee's voter registration record:]~~
- 2255 [~~(i) the person to whom the record or part of the record is released is a qualified~~
- 2256 ~~person under Subsection 20A-2-104(4)(n); and]~~
- 2257 [~~(ii) the government agency's release of the record or part of the record complies with~~
- 2258 ~~the requirements of Subsection 20A-2-104(4)(o).]~~
- 2259 (5)(a) If the government agency holding the private record receives a subpoena for the
- 2260 records, the government agency shall attempt to notify the at-risk government
- 2261 employee or former employee by mailing a copy of the subpoena to the employee's
- 2262 last-known mailing address together with a request that the employee either:
- 2263 (i) authorize release of the record; or
- 2264 (ii) within 10 days of the date that the copy and request are mailed, deliver to the
- 2265 government agency holding the private record a copy of a motion to quash filed
- 2266 with the court who issued the subpoena.
- 2267 (b) The government agency shall comply with the subpoena if the government agency
- 2268 has:
- 2269 (i) received permission from the at-risk government employee or former employee to
- 2270 comply with the subpoena;
- 2271 (ii) not received a copy of a motion to quash within 10 days of the date that the copy

- 2272 of the subpoena was mailed; or  
2273 (iii) received a court order requiring release of the records.  
2274 (6)(a) Except as provided in Subsection (6)(b), a form submitted under this section  
2275 remains in effect until the earlier of:  
2276 (i) four years after the date the employee signs the form, whether or not the  
2277 employee's employment terminates before the end of the four-year period; and  
2278 (ii) one year after the government agency receives official notice of the death of the  
2279 employee.  
2280 (b) A form submitted under this section may be rescinded at any time by:  
2281 (i) the at-risk government employee who submitted the form; or  
2282 (ii) if the at-risk government employee is deceased, a member of the employee's  
2283 immediate family.

2284 **Section 20. Effective Date.**

2285 This bill takes effect on May 7, 2025.

2286 **Section 21. Coordinating H.B. 270 with S.B. 191.**

2287 If H.B. 270, Voter Registration Records Amendments, and S.B. 191, Protective Orders

2288 Amendments, both pass and become law, the Legislature intends that, on May 7, 2025,

2289 Subsection 20A-2-601(3), enacted in H.B. 270, be amended to read:

2290 "(3) "Dating violence" means the same as that term is defined in Section 78B-7-102 and the  
2291 federal Violence Against Women Act of 1994, as amended."