

S.B. 2001

Election Amendments

House Amendments

Amendment 1

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Representative **Karianne Lisonbee** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Line 26 through 31:*

26 signatures from any resident of the state who is permitted by the political party to
27 vote for the political party's candidates in a primary election, rather than only a
28 resident of the congressional district for which the individual intends to run;
29 →**addresses requirements for an election officer in relation to signatures submitted for a
candidate nomination petition;**
→grants rulemaking authority to regulate the circumstances under which an individual may
30 submit a candidate signature packet; and
31 →makes technical and conforming changes.

2. *Line 695 through 714:*

695 (ii) in accordance with Section 20A-9-408.3, submit the signatures to the election
696 officer before the applicable deadline described in Subsection (12).
697 (c) Upon timely receipt of the signatures described in Subsections (8) and (9)(b), and in
698 accordance with Section 20A-9-408.3, the election officer shall {~~5~~} :
(i) on each signature packet, stamp the time and date on which the election officer receives
the packet; and
(ii) no later than the
699 earlier of 14 calendar days after the day on which the election officer receives the
700 signatures, or one day before the day on which the qualified political party holds the
701 convention to select a nominee for the elective office to which the signature packets
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702 relate:
703 {~~(i)~~} (A) check the name of each individual who completes the verification for a signature
704 packet to determine whether each individual is at least 18 years old;
705 {~~(ii)~~} (B) submit the name of each individual described in Subsection {~~(9)(e)(i)~~} (9)(c)(ii)(A)
who is not at
706 least 18 years old to the attorney general and the county attorney;
707 {~~(iii)~~} (C) with the assistance of the county clerk as applicable, determine whether each
708 signer is a registered voter who is qualified to sign the petition, using the same
709 method, described in Section 20A-1-1002, used to verify a signature on a petition;

710 and

711 {~~(iv)~~} **(D)** certify whether each name is that of a registered voter who is qualified to sign the
712 signature packet.

713 (d) (i) A registered voter who physically signs a form under Subsections (8) and (9)(b)
714 may have the voter's signature removed from the form by, no later than 5 p.m.

3. *Line 801:*

801 collect 7,000 signatures of registered voters who are residents of the state and are
802 permitted by the qualified political party to vote for the qualified political party's
803 candidates in a primary election.

(14) (a) In relation to the manual candidate qualification process, if an individual signs a signature packet for more than one candidate nomination petition for the same office, and the signatures are valid, the election officer shall only verify the signature in the signature packet that the election officer receives earliest.

(b) In relation to the electronic candidate qualification process, if an individual signs more than one candidate nomination petition for the same office, and the signatures are valid, the election officer shall only verify the signature that the election officer receives earliest.