

1 **ELECTIONS MODIFICATIONS**

2 2019 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

4 **Chief Sponsor: Michael K. McKell**

5 Senate Sponsor: _____

7 **LONG TITLE**

8 **General Description:**

9 This bill amends provisions relating to signature-gathering for a candidate.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11 This bill:

12 ▶ permits an individual to sign more than one petition to nominate a candidate for the
13 same office.

14 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

15 None

16 **Other Special Clauses:**

17 None

18 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

19 AMENDS:

20 **20A-9-411**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2015, Chapter 296

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

23 Section 1. Section **20A-9-411** is amended to read:

24 **20A-9-411. Signing multiple nomination petitions.**

25 [(+) An individual who signs a petition, described in Section **20A-9-403** or
26 **20A-9-408**, to nominate a candidate may [~~not~~] sign a petition to nominate another candidate for
27 the same office.



28 ~~[(2) If an individual signs more than one petition in violation of Subsection (1), the~~
29 ~~election officer may only count the signature on the first petition that the election officer~~
30 ~~reviews for that office.]~~