

One Hundred First Legislature - First Session - 2009 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 325

Chairperson: Bill Avery

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 11, 2009

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 325 makes largely technical changes to the Election Act.

First, LB 325 changes the official notification to election workers of their appointment from 15 days to 7 days prior to a statewide primary or general election.

Second, in the event that the name of a voter does not appear on the precinct list due to error by the election commissioner or clerk, that voter shall be issued a provisional ballot.

Third, when an election commissioner or clerk receives information that a voter may have moved, the election commissioner or clerk shall indicate in the voter file that the voter may have moved.

Fourth, candidates for city or village offices shall file to run for office with the county election commissioner or clerk.

Fifth, LB 325 establishes that when a registered voter moves within a county but fails to update the voter registration, that registered voter shall be issued a provisional ballot.

Finally, LB 325 rewords language on the voter registration form.

Principal Introducer:		
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