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**"AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTION DAY REGISTRATION,
CHANGES TO THE CONDUCT OF ELECTIONS, AND CERTAIN
COMPENSATION OF REGISTRARS OF VOTERS."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007, and applicable to primaries and*
4 *elections held on and after July 1, 2007*) (a) As used in this section,
5 "primary day" means the day on which a presidential preference
6 primary is conducted pursuant to the provisions of chapter 154 of the
7 general statutes.

8 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, a person
9 who meets the eligibility requirements under subsection (a) of section
10 9-12 of the general statutes may apply for admission as an elector on
11 the day of the presidential preference primaries held in 2008.

12 (c) (1) An unaffiliated elector who is not enrolled on any enrollment

13 list and who otherwise meets the requirements of section 9-56 of the
14 general statutes may apply for enrollment on the list of the political
15 party of his or her preference on primary day.

16 (2) Any such application shall be made in accordance with the
17 provisions of section 9-20 of the general statutes, provided (A) in
18 municipalities with more than one voting district, the applicant shall
19 appear in person at the office of the registrars of voters on primary day
20 and shall complete an application for admission as an elector. In
21 municipalities with one voting district, the applicant shall appear in
22 person at a location determined by the registrars of voters which may
23 either be (i) the office of the registrars of voters, or (ii) the polling place,
24 if the registrars of voters have access to the state-wide computerized
25 registry list and all voter card files are located at such polling place on
26 primary day; (B) an applicant who is a student enrolled at an
27 institution of higher education may submit a current photo
28 identification card issued by said institution in lieu of the identification
29 required by section 9-20 of the general statutes; and (C) the applicant
30 shall declare under oath that the applicant meets the eligibility
31 requirements to be an elector and has not previously voted in the
32 primary. An applicant for admission as an elector shall also submit
33 proof of the applicant's residential address in the form of (i) a United
34 States passport or military identification card, (ii) a current and valid
35 photo identification, or (iii) a current utility bill, bank statement,
36 government check, paycheck or government document that shows the
37 name and address of the applicant, (iv) a current registration or fee
38 statement from an institution of higher education, or (v) another
39 document prescribed by the Secretary of the State that has the
40 applicant's name and current address.

41 (3) If the election official determines that an applicant is qualified
42 and admits the applicant as an elector, the registrars shall give the
43 applicant a notice of acceptance. The registrars shall check the state-
44 wide centralized voter registration system before admitting an
45 applicant as an elector, to determine whether the applicant is an elector
46 in another municipality in the state. If the applicant is an elector in

47 another municipality, the registrars shall notify such municipality
48 forthwith of the new registration. The registrars shall keep a list of all
49 individuals registered to vote on primary day. Such list shall include
50 the elector's name, address, party affiliation and voting district and
51 shall be signed by the registrars of voters.

52 (4) Once admitted, the elector shall be permitted to complete a ballot
53 that corresponds to the appropriate voting district in which the elector
54 resides. Once completed, the elector shall seal the elector's ballot in a
55 depository envelope that indicates the elector's name. The elector shall
56 deposit such envelope with the registrars of voters.

57 (5) At the times prescribed in section 9-140c of the general statutes,
58 the registrars of voters may transmit to each polling location, if
59 absentee ballots are counted at each polling location, such depository
60 envelopes along with a copy of the list described in subdivision (3) of
61 this subsection. If absentee ballots are counted at a central location, the
62 registrars of voters may transmit to such central location such
63 depository envelopes along with a copy of the list described in
64 subdivision (3) of this section.

65 (6) Once received at the appropriate polling location or central
66 counting location, as the case may be, the election officials shall
67 compare the names on the list provided by the registrars with the
68 names on the depository envelopes to ensure that all ballots
69 transferred for counting have been validly cast. Subsequently, the
70 election officials shall count all valid ballots, in accordance with
71 chapter 145 of the general statutes, at times prescribed by the registrars
72 of voters, but in no event shall counting begin later than eight o'clock
73 p.m. on primary night.

74 (7) The registrars of voters shall send a confirmation forthwith to the
75 residential address of each applicant who is admitted as an elector on
76 primary day under this section. Such confirmation shall be sent by
77 first-class mail with instructions on the envelope that it be returned if
78 not deliverable at the address shown on the envelope. If a confirmation

79 is returned undelivered, the registrars shall refer the matter to the State
80 Elections Enforcement Commission which shall immediately conduct
81 an investigation.

82 (d) After the presidential preference primaries held in 2008, the
83 Secretary of the State shall conduct a survey of the procedures of
84 registration on primary day. Such survey shall include information
85 regarding the cost of administering registration on primary day,
86 staffing, instances of fraud, voter turn-out, and statistics regarding
87 party registration. Not later than one month following such
88 presidential preference primaries, the Secretary of the State shall
89 submit a report of the secretary's findings regarding registration held
90 on such presidential primary day to the joint standing committee of
91 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
92 elections.

93 Sec. 2. Section 9-6 of the general statutes is repealed and the
94 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

95 Each registrar of voters or, in the absence of a registrar, his deputy,
96 and each town clerk or, in the absence of a town clerk, one of his
97 assistant town clerks shall be compensated by the municipality which
98 he represents, as herein provided, for attending two conferences a year
99 for town clerks and registrars of voters which may be called by the
100 Secretary of the State for the purpose of discussing the election laws,
101 procedures or matters related thereto. Each such official shall be
102 compensated by his or her municipality [at the rate of thirty-five
103 dollars] at his or her usual salary rate per day for attending each such
104 conference, plus conference fees, hotel accommodations and mileage to
105 and from such conference at a rate per mile determined by the
106 municipality, [but not less than twenty cents per mile,] computed from
107 the office of such official [or, if he has no office, from his home] to the
108 place where such conference is being held. [In towns divided into two
109 voting districts which elect registrars of voters for each voting district,
110 only two registrars of opposite political parties need be so
111 compensated for each such conference and, if the registrars are unable

112 to agree as to the two registrars to be so compensated, such
113 determination shall be made at least three days prior to such
114 conference by the chief executive officer of the municipality.]

115 Sec. 3. Section 9-168 of the general statutes is repealed and the
116 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

117 In any town not divided into voting districts, the place of holding
118 elections may be determined by the [legislative body] registrars of
119 voters of such town. In towns divided into voting districts the place of
120 holding elections shall be determined as provided in section 9-169, as
121 amended by this act, or any special act, whichever applies. Except as
122 provided in section 9-169a, state elections shall be held at the usual
123 place or places of holding elections in the town or the voting districts
124 thereof, as the case may be, unless the registrars of voters, in writing,
125 have designated to the clerk of such town, at least thirty-one days
126 before any such state election, a different place or places for holding
127 such election. Unless otherwise provided by special act, the place of
128 holding city or borough elections shall be determined by the registrars
129 of voters, with approval of the legislative body of such city or borough.
130 Any provision of any charter or special act to the contrary
131 notwithstanding, the place or places of holding an election shall be
132 determined at least thirty-one days prior to such election, and such
133 place or places shall not be changed within the period of thirty-one
134 days prior to such election except that, if the [municipal clerk and]
135 registrars of voters of a municipality unanimously find that any such
136 polling place within such municipality has been rendered unusable
137 within such period, they shall forthwith designate another polling
138 place to be used in place of the one so rendered unusable and shall
139 give adequate notice that such polling place has been so changed.

140 Sec. 4. Section 9-168a of the general statutes is repealed and the
141 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

142 (a) Any provision of the general statutes to the contrary
143 notwithstanding, in any municipality in which, at any election, or

144 primary, as a result of the assembly, senatorial or congressional district
145 lines in effect, there is a voting district or a part of a voting district
146 which differs geographically from the district lines as constituted in a
147 municipal election year, the registrars of voters may either provide a
148 suitable polling place therein or may, in lieu thereof, with the approval
149 of the legislative body of the municipality, provide separate voting
150 [machines] tabulators in the polling place of another voting district in
151 said municipality for use by such electors. The registrars of voters shall
152 determine which polling place officials are necessary for such separate
153 [machines] tabulators and shall provide the procedure to ensure that
154 the electors use the proper voting [machine] tabulator, which
155 procedure may include the registrars of voters prescribing and
156 providing receipts.

157 (b) Any provision of the general statutes to the contrary
158 notwithstanding, in any municipality in which, at any election or
159 primary, as a result of the assembly, senatorial or congressional district
160 lines in effect, there is a voting district with less than one thousand five
161 hundred electors who vote for a combination of officers that no other
162 electors of the town vote for, the registrars of voters may either
163 provide a suitable polling place therein or may, in lieu thereof, provide
164 separate voting [machines] tabulators in the polling place of another
165 voting district in said municipality for use by such electors. If the
166 registrars of voters provide separate voting [machines] tabulators in
167 the polling place of another voting district, they shall determine which
168 polling place officials are necessary for the district containing less than
169 one thousand five hundred electors and shall provide the procedure to
170 ensure that the electors use the proper voting [machines] tabulators,
171 which procedure may include the registrars of voters prescribing and
172 providing receipts.

173 (c) In any election or primary where electors in more than one
174 voting district vote in the same building and vote for all the same
175 officers, and the law does not require separate returns, the registrars of
176 voters may combine the voting districts and polling places into one
177 voting district and polling place, with or without integrating the

178 voting districts on the check lists used at the election or primary. The
179 registrars of voters shall file a statement of their action with the [town]
180 municipal clerk before the election or primary and the [town clerk]
181 registrars of voters shall label the polling place return form to show
182 which districts are combined on such return.

183 Sec. 5. Section 9-169 of the general statutes is repealed and the
184 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

185 The registrars of voters, with approval of the legislative body of any
186 town, consolidated town and city or consolidated town and borough,
187 may divide and, from time to time, redivide such municipality into
188 voting districts. The registrars of voters of any municipality taking
189 such action shall provide a suitable polling place in each district but, if
190 the registrars of voters fail to agree as to the location of any polling
191 place or places, the legislative body shall determine the location
192 thereof. Polling places to be used in an election shall be determined at
193 least thirty-one days before such election, and such polling places shall
194 not be changed within said period of thirty-one days except that, if the
195 [municipal clerk and] registrars of voters of a municipality
196 unanimously find that any such polling place within such municipality
197 has been rendered unusable within such period, they shall forthwith
198 designate another polling place to be used in place of the one so
199 rendered unusable and shall give adequate notice that such polling
200 place has been so changed. The registrars of voters shall keep separate
201 lists of the electors residing in each district and shall appoint for each
202 district a moderator in accordance with the provisions of section 9-229
203 and such other election officials as are required by law, and shall
204 designate one of the moderators so appointed or any other elector of
205 such town to be the head moderator for the purpose of declaring the
206 results of elections in the whole municipality. The registrars of voters
207 may also designate a deputy head moderator to assist the head
208 moderator in the performance of his or her duties, [provided the
209 deputy head moderator and the head moderator shall not be enrolled
210 in the same major party, as defined in subdivision (5) of section 9-372.]
211 The [selectmen, town clerk,] registrars of voters and all other officers of

212 the municipality shall perform the duties required of them by law with
213 respect to elections in each voting district established in accordance
214 with this section. Voting district lines shall not be drawn by a
215 municipality so as to conflict with the lines of congressional districts,
216 senate districts or assembly districts as established by law, except (1) as
217 provided in section 9-169d₂ and (2) that as to municipal elections, any
218 part of a split voting district containing less than two hundred electors
219 may be combined with another voting district adjacent thereto from
220 which all and the same officers are elected at such municipal election.
221 Any change in the boundaries of voting districts made within ninety
222 days prior to any election or primary shall not apply with respect to
223 such election or primary. The provisions of this section shall prevail
224 over any contrary provision of any charter or special act.

225 Sec. 6. Section 9-35 of the general statutes is repealed and the
226 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

227 (a) The registrars of voters, on the Tuesday of the fifth week before
228 each regular election, shall [be in session for the purpose of completing
229 a correct] complete a list of all electors who will be entitled to vote at
230 such election. Such registry list shall consist of an active registry list
231 and an inactive registry list. [Such session shall be held during such
232 hours between nine o'clock a.m. and five o'clock p.m. as the registrars
233 find necessary to complete the list. Notice of such session shall be
234 given at least five days before the session by publication in a
235 newspaper having a circulation in such municipality, if any, and by
236 posting on the signpost therein, if any, or at some other exterior place
237 near the office of the town clerk. Such publication shall not be required
238 to be in the form of a legal advertisement.]

239 (b) [At such session and on any day except on the day of an election
240 or primary, the registrars] On a routine basis throughout the year, the
241 registrars of voters shall remove from the list the name of each elector
242 who has died, who has been disfranchised or who has confirmed in
243 writing that the elector has moved out of the municipality, except
244 electors entitled to remain on such list under the provisions of this

245 chapter. An elector shall be deemed to have confirmed in writing that
246 the elector has moved out of the municipality if (1) the elector has
247 submitted a change of address form for purposes of a state motor
248 vehicle operator's license, unless the elector states on the form that the
249 change of address is not for voter registration purposes, (2) the elector
250 has submitted a change of address form to a voter registration agency,
251 as defined in section 9-23n, and such agency has provided such change
252 of address to the registrars of voters, or (3) the registrars of voters have
253 received a cancellation of previous registration from any other election
254 official indicating that such elector has registered as an elector outside
255 such municipality.

256 (c) Whenever the registrars of voters of a town remove from the
257 registry list the name of an elector who has submitted a change of
258 address to the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles or a voter registration
259 agency under subdivision (1) or (2) of subsection (b) of this section,
260 indicating that the elector has moved out of such town, the registrars
261 of voters shall send the elector, by forwardable mail to the elector's
262 former address from such list or current address in the new town, (1) a
263 notice of removal, (2) information explaining how to have the elector's
264 name restored to such list, which shall be in a form prescribed by the
265 Secretary of the State, and (3) a mail-in voter registration application
266 which can be used by the elector to apply for admission as an elector in
267 the new town. If such notice, information and application are sent to
268 the elector's former address and are returned undeliverable, the
269 registrars of voters shall mail such documents to the elector's address
270 in the new town.

271 (d) The registrars of voters shall enter the names on such list by
272 street and number of the house, when the houses are numbered, so
273 that there shall be entered on the list first, the street, avenue or road;
274 second, the number of the house or residence in numerical order or, if
275 the registrars of any town find it more convenient, by odd and even
276 numbers in numerical order; and third, the names of the electors in
277 such house in alphabetical order. The names of any electors who
278 cannot be so listed shall be listed alphabetically in the voting district

279 wherein any such elector is a bona fide resident. The registrars of
280 voters may consecutively number the names on the registry list, may
281 include voter identification numbers for the names on the registry list,
282 and may include a mark, as prescribed by the Secretary of the State,
283 next to the name of each first-time registrant on the system who
284 registers to vote on or after January 1, 2003, and does not provide
285 identification with his or her mail-in voter registration application as
286 provided in the Help America Vote Act, P.L. 107-252, as amended from
287 time to time, provided such list shall comply in all respects with the
288 requirements of law other than for the addition of such numbers and
289 marks. The registrars of voters shall not use Social Security numbers
290 for any such voter identification numbers.

291 (e) In any case in which the registrars of voters have obtained
292 reliable information of an elector's change of address within the
293 municipality, they shall enter the name of such elector on the registry
294 list at the place where the elector then resides, provided, if such
295 reliable information is the National Change of Address System of the
296 United States Postal Service, the [registrar] registrars of voters shall
297 change the registry list and send the elector a notice of the change by
298 forwardable mail and a postage prepaid preaddressed return form by
299 which the elector may verify or correct the address information. If
300 during the canvass the registrars of voters determine that an elector
301 has moved out of town and such elector has not confirmed in writing
302 that the elector has moved out of the town, the registrars of voters
303 shall, not later than May first, send to the elector, by forwardable mail,
304 a notice required by the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, P.L.
305 103-31, as amended from time to time, together with a postage prepaid
306 preaddressed return card on which the elector may state the elector's
307 current address. In the year of a presidential preference primary, the
308 registrars of voters shall send such notice not earlier than the date of
309 such primary. If the [registrar does] registrars of voters do not receive
310 the return card within thirty days after it is sent, the elector's name,
311 including the name of an elector who has not voted in two consecutive
312 federal elections, shall be placed on the inactive registry list for four

313 years. At the expiration of such period of time on the inactive registry
314 list, such name shall be removed from the registry list. If such elector
315 applies to restore the elector's name to the active registry list or votes
316 during such period, the elector's name shall be restored to the active
317 registry list. Such registrars of voters shall retain a duplicate copy or
318 data entry record of each such [notice] transaction in their office [or, if
319 they do not have a permanent office, in the office space provided
320 under section 9-5a,] and shall [note] record on such duplicate copy or
321 record the date on which such notice was mailed. In each municipality,
322 any elector, upon change of residence within the municipality, may
323 cause the elector's registration to be transferred to the elector's new
324 address by presenting to the registrars of voters a signed request
325 [therefore, stating] for such transfer, such as a voter registration card
326 with a change of address checked off, which states the elector's present
327 address [, the date the elector moved to such address] and the address
328 at which the elector was last registered. The registrars of voters shall
329 thereupon enter the elector's name on the list at the elector's new
330 residence; provided no transfer of registration shall be made on the
331 registry list on election day without the consent of both registrars. On
332 election day, the name of such elector shall be added to the
333 supplemental list after the appropriate paperwork is signed.

334 Sec. 7. Section 9-35a of the general statutes is repealed and the
335 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

336 [Immediately after the close of the session or immediately after the
337 sending of notice of intended removal provided for in section 9-35, the]
338 The registrars of voters shall post at the town hall or municipal
339 building in the municipality in which they serve, in a place readily
340 accessible to the public, a list of the names of the electors whose names
341 were removed from the registry list [at such session or will be removed
342 on the date specified] in accordance with section 9-35, as amended by
343 this act, together with the address of each such elector as it appeared
344 on the registry list at the time the name was so removed. Together with
345 such list, and as a part thereof, such registrars of voters shall also cause
346 to be posted a statement that complete information as to such removal

347 and as to the privileges and remedies of those whose names were
348 removed from the registry list is available from such registrars of
349 voters, specifying when and where such registrars of voters are
350 available for such purpose and [, in the case of registrars of voters
351 having office hours,] specifying such office hours for such registrars of
352 voters.

353 Sec. 8. Section 9-35b of the general statutes is repealed and the
354 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

355 [Except during the period between the last session for the admission
356 of electors prior to an election and the day following that election, any]
357 Any elector of any municipality who desires to relinquish his rights as
358 an elector and to have his name erased from the registry list shall make
359 a signed written request to the registrars of voters of such
360 municipality. Upon receipt of such application, the registrars of voters
361 shall remove the elector's name from the registry list and any
362 enrollment list. Any person whose name has been removed from the
363 registry list pursuant to this section may reapply for admission as an
364 elector at any time, without prejudice on account of such removal. In
365 the event such person is admitted as an elector, the registrar of the
366 municipality shall notify the registrars of voters of the municipality
367 where such person resided at the time of his relinquishment that his
368 electoral privileges have been restored.

369 Sec. 9. Section 9-35c of the general statutes is repealed and the
370 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

371 Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 9-238, 9-406 and 9-436
372 and other provisions of the general statutes, the names of electors on
373 the inactive registry list compiled under section 9-35, as amended by
374 this act, shall not be counted for purposes of computing the number of
375 voting [machines] tabulators required and the number of petition
376 signatures required. Each elector on such inactive registry list who, in
377 the determination of the registrars of voters, has signed a petition
378 pursuant to the general statutes, giving the same address as appears on

379 the inactive registry list, shall forthwith be placed on the active registry
380 list compiled under said section 9-35. Each such elector shall be
381 counted for purposes of future computations of the number of voting
382 [machines] tabulators required and the number of signatures required
383 on future petitions issued for other electoral events. The names of
384 electors on the inactive registry list compiled pursuant to section 9-35,
385 as amended by this act, shall not be counted for purposes of
386 computing the minimum percentage of the number of electors
387 required in any charter or special act, if such charter or special act
388 requires approval of a referendum by a minimum percentage of
389 electors qualified on the last-completed registry list or has a similar
390 requirement.

391 Sec. 10. Section 9-36 of the general statutes is repealed and the
392 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

393 The list for which provision is made in section 9-35, as amended by
394 this act, shall be termed the preliminary registry list and such list shall
395 be [completed, certified by such registrars and deposited in the town
396 clerk's office, at least thirty-one days before the regular election, and
397 shall be on file in such office] available in the office of the registrars of
398 voters for public inspection [until the next preliminary registry list has
399 been completed and filed. In each municipality having a population of
400 more than five thousand, a certified copy of such preliminary registry
401 list for each voting district therein shall be completed, reproduced,
402 certified by the registrars and posted in such municipality for public
403 inspection on or before the Saturday of the fifth week before each
404 regular election,] and copies shall be made available for distribution by
405 the registrars of voters. Whenever the registrars of voters are not in
406 their office, such list shall be placed outside of the office for public
407 inspection. The registrars of voters shall, upon request, give to [a] any
408 candidate for election [to the General Assembly] a copy of the
409 preliminary registry list for each voting district [included in the
410 General Assembly district] for which such person is a candidate.

411 Sec. 11. Section 9-37 of the general statutes is repealed and the

412 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

413 [Each registrar shall keep a copy of the preliminary registry list for
414 his use in revision. Such registrars shall give notice in such list of the
415 times and places at which they will hold one or more sessions during
416 the period between the Saturday of the fifth week before the regular
417 election and the Saturday of the fourth week before the regular
418 election, for the revision and correction of such list which, when
419 completed, shall be termed the "final registry list" for such election. In
420 each municipality having a population of more than five thousand,
421 they shall also give notice of such times and places by publication in a
422 newspaper circulating in such municipality and by posting the same
423 on the signpost therein, if any, and at the office of the town clerk at
424 least five days before the first of such sessions. The number of sessions
425 shall be fixed by the registrars of each municipality. The registrars
426 shall also hold sessions, of which no public notice need be given, for
427 the purpose of correcting such preliminary list, and for the purpose of
428 adding to such list the names of persons entitled to be registered
429 thereon, on each day they are in session for the admission of electors
430 pursuant to section 9-17, and they may also hold sessions for revision
431 and correction of the registry list on any other day, except during the
432 period of six days preceding any regular election. On the fourteenth
433 day before a primary, the registrars shall hold an additional session to
434 hear such requests for adding names to the registry list, in accordance
435 with the procedure provided in this section, and the registrars shall
436 publish notice of such sessions in a newspaper having general
437 circulation in such municipality at least five days before such sessions.
438 Nothing in this section shall require that such publication be in the
439 form of a legal advertisement.]

440 The registrars of voters shall be available before all elections for
441 revisions and corrections of the preliminary list which, when
442 completed, shall be termed "the final registry list" for such election. In
443 each municipality, availability of the registrars of voters shall be the
444 posted office hours in such municipality for the registrars of voters.

445 Sec. 12. Section 9-38 of the general statutes is repealed and the
446 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

447 The registrars of voters in all towns shall [, on the second Friday
448 preceding a regular election, deposit in the town clerk's office the final
449 registry list arranged as provided in section 9-35 and certified by them
450 to be correct, and shall retain a sufficient number of copies to be used
451 by them at such election for the purpose of checking the names of
452 those who vote. They shall place on such final list, in the order
453 provided in section 9-35, the names of all persons who have been
454 admitted as electors. In each municipality said registrars shall also
455 cause to be prepared and printed and deposited in the town clerk's
456 office a supplementary or updated list containing the names and
457 addresses of electors to be transferred, restored or added to such list
458 prior to the fourth day before such election, provided in municipalities
459 having a population of less than twenty-five thousand, such additional
460 names may be inserted in writing in such final list. Such final registry
461 list and supplementary or updated list deposited in the town clerk's
462 office shall be on file in such office for public inspection for a period of
463 two years, and any elector may make copies thereof] produce a final
464 registry list arranged in accordance with the provisions of section 9-35,
465 as amended by this act, and certified by the registrars of voters to be
466 correct. Such final registry list and supplementary or updated list shall
467 be on file in the municipal clerk's office not later than the day before
468 election day and shall be available in the registrars of voters' office for
469 public inspection. Whenever the registrars of voters are not in their
470 office, such list shall be placed outside of the office for public
471 inspection. Any elector may request copies of such list.

472 Sec. 13. Section 9-39 of the general statutes is repealed and the
473 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

474 The registrars of voters of each municipality shall upon request,
475 print copies of the final registry list for distribution in such
476 municipality and in all the voting districts located therein. [, provided
477 nothing in sections 9-12 to 9-45, inclusive, shall require the printing of

478 more than one final registry list for any voting district in any one year.
479 With each printing such registrars shall retain at least two copies of
480 such lists and such copies shall be available for public use in the office
481 of the registrars for a period of two years.] The registrars shall, upon
482 request, give to [a] any candidate for election [to the General
483 Assembly] a copy of the final registry list for each voting district
484 [included in the General Assembly district] for which such person is a
485 candidate and shall maintain such list, either on paper or in electronic
486 format, for a period of two years.

487 Sec. 14. Section 9-50a of the general statutes is repealed and the
488 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

489 The registrars of voters of each town shall [, on a monthly basis,]
490 compile a list of (1) all persons whose names were added, restored,
491 removed or erased from the active and inactive registry lists, [during
492 the preceding month,] (2) all electors who changed either their names
493 or addresses, [during such period] and (3) all persons sent notices
494 required under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, P.L. 103-
495 31, as amended from time to time, and all persons who have replied to
496 such notices. Such list shall include, but not be limited to, each such
497 person's or elector's (A) name, (B) former name, [if changed during
498 such period,] (C) address, [including zip code,] (D) former address,
499 [including zip code, if changed during such period,] (E) voting district,
500 and (F) party affiliation, if any. The registrars shall make each such list
501 available to the public [in accordance with the provisions of section 1-
502 210] upon such request.

503 Sec. 15. Section 9-55 of the general statutes is repealed and the
504 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

505 (a) The registrars of voters shall cause to be printed [at least once
506 during the calendar year a sufficient number of copies of complete,
507 corrected enrollment lists certified by them as correct, provided a
508 supplementary or updated list shall be printed within one week after a
509 session held on the fourteenth day before a primary] a complete

510 enrollment list and shall make such list available to the public upon
511 request.

512 (b) If a political party authorizes unaffiliated electors to vote in a
513 primary, under section 9-431, and a notice of primary is published, the
514 registrars shall cause a list of all unaffiliated electors eligible to vote in
515 the primary to be printed [within one week after the session held on
516 the fourteenth day] before such primary. If unaffiliated electors are
517 authorized to vote in only one party's primary and are authorized to
518 vote for all offices to be contested at the primary, the registrars may
519 print the list of unaffiliated electors in combination with such party's
520 enrollment list, indicating party affiliation where applicable.

521 (c) If the legislative body of the municipality votes to eliminate
522 separate enrollment lists under section 9-54 and:

523 (1) Notices of primaries are published for two parties to be held on
524 the same day, the registrars of voters shall print complete separate
525 enrollment lists [within one week after the enrollment session held on
526 the fourteenth day before the primary] and, if unaffiliated electors are
527 authorized to vote in the primary, the registrars of voters shall print a
528 separate list of unaffiliated electors as provided in subsection (b) of this
529 section; or

530 (2) A notice of primary is published for one party in which
531 unaffiliated electors are authorized to vote for some but not all offices
532 to be contested at the primary, the registrars of voters shall print a
533 complete separate enrollment list and a separate list of unaffiliated
534 electors as provided in subsection (b) of this section; or

535 (3) A notice of primary is published for only one party and (A)
536 unaffiliated electors are not authorized to vote, or (B) unaffiliated
537 electors are authorized to vote for all offices to be contested at the
538 primary, a registry list may be used as a checklist at the primary and
539 the registrars of voters shall [, within one week after the session held
540 on the fourteenth day before such primary,] print a supplementary or
541 updated list indicating those electors who have become eligible to vote

542 in the primary since the printing of the registry list.

543 (d) Whenever a list is required by this section to be printed, [within
544 one week after the session held on the fourteenth day before the
545 primary,] a supplement to such list shall be compiled by the registrars
546 of voters of persons who after such date and prior to twelve o'clock
547 noon of the last business day before the primary become eligible to
548 vote in such primary. The registrars of voters may combine such
549 separate compilation with the foregoing printed list [either by inserting
550 the names in writing or] by reprinting the list or incorporating the
551 supplementary [or updated list into a single printed] list.

552 (e) The registrars of voters shall [file one copy of each such list with
553 the town clerk which copy shall be] make available for public use such
554 list in the office of the [town clerk] registrars of voters until the
555 printing of the next completed [, corrected] enrollment list; and they
556 shall deliver to the chairman of the town committee of each political
557 party [five] copies of each such list for each voting district in the town.
558 Whenever the registrars of voters are not in their office, such list shall
559 be placed outside of the office for public inspection. Upon request the
560 registrars of voters shall give one complete set of such lists to each
561 candidate for nomination for any office or for election as a town
562 committee member. They shall deliver a sufficient number of copies
563 thereof to the moderator of each primary. [With each printing the
564 registrars shall retain at least six copies of each such list and such
565 copies shall be available for public use in the office of the registrars
566 until the printing of the next complete, corrected enrollment list.] No
567 petition brought under the provisions of section 9-63 shall operate to
568 delay the completion and printing of such lists. If the petition of any
569 elector is granted after any such list has been completed, the [registrar
570 or assistant registrar] registrars of voters or assistant registrars of
571 voters, as the case may be, shall issue to such elector a certificate
572 showing that the elector is entitled to the privileges accompanying
573 enrollment in the political party named in the elector's petition.

574 Sec. 16. Section 9-169g of the general statutes is repealed and the

575 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

576 (a) The [town clerk] registrars of voters of any municipality (1)
577 which is divided between two or more assembly districts, two or more
578 senatorial districts or two or more congressional districts, or (2) which
579 is not divided between any such districts but is divided into two or
580 more voting districts for General Assembly or congressional elections,
581 shall submit to the Secretary of the State a street map of the
582 municipality which indicates the boundary lines of the voting districts
583 established by the municipality in accordance with sections 9-169, as
584 amended by this act, 9-169a and 9-169d. The [town clerk] registrars of
585 voters shall submit such map to the [secretary] Secretary of the State
586 (A) not later than July 30, 1997, if any such division is in effect on July
587 1, 1997, or, if no such division is in effect on July 1, 1997, not later than
588 thirty days after any such division first takes effect, and (B) not later
589 than thirty days after any change in any such division takes effect.

590 (b) The Secretary of the State shall make such maps available to the
591 General Assembly, for use by the General Assembly in carrying out its
592 responsibilities under (1) Article XXVI of the Amendments to the
593 Constitution of Connecticut, or any subsequent corresponding state
594 constitutional provision, with regard to the redistricting of assembly,
595 senatorial and congressional districts, and (2) Public Law 94-171,
596 concerning the establishment of a plan identifying the geographic
597 areas for which specific tabulations of population are desired in the
598 decennial census of the United States.

599 Sec. 17. Section 9-172b of the general statutes is repealed and the
600 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

601 [(a)] In each municipality or political subdivision in which a special
602 election or referendum is to be held, the registrars of voters shall
603 prepare a supplementary or updated list of the names and addresses of
604 those persons who acquired voting privileges after the completion of
605 the revised registry list and prior to the day of such special election or
606 referendum. In each such municipality or political subdivision, not

607 later than the day before such special election or referendum, such
608 registrars of voters shall cause to be completed and printed [and
609 deposited in the town clerk's office] such list arranged as provided in
610 section 9-35, as amended by this act, and certified by them to be
611 correct, and shall retain a sufficient number of copies to be used by
612 them at such election or referendum for the purpose of checking the
613 names of those who vote, provided the names of any persons who
614 acquired such voting privileges [within thirty days before such special
615 election or referendum] may be inserted on [such printed list in
616 writing] the supplemental list.

617 [(b) In the case of a special election or referendum, no person
618 admitted as an elector on the day of the special election or referendum
619 shall be entitled to vote in that election.]

620 Sec. 18. Section 9-238a of the general statutes is repealed and the
621 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

622 During the first week of [February] January in each year, the [town
623 clerk] registrars of voters of each town shall notify the Secretary of the
624 State, on a form provided by said secretary, of the total number of
625 names on the active registry list and on each enrollment list and the
626 total number of unaffiliated electors, in such town, and of the total
627 number of voting [machines] tabulators therein and, in towns divided
628 into voting districts, in addition, the same information for each voting
629 district. If the number of [machines] tabulators listed in such
630 notification is less than the number required under section 9-238, the
631 [town clerk] registrars of voters shall include in such notification an
632 explanation of the discrepancy. [Each such clerk shall also file a
633 duplicate copy of such notification with the officials who are required
634 to provide voting machines in his municipality under section 9-238.]

635 Sec. 19. Section 9-31a of the general statutes is repealed and the
636 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

637 [(a) As used in this section and section 9-31b, "permanently
638 physically disabled person" means a person who, by reason of a major

639 defect or infirmity of body, whether congenital or acquired by
640 accident, injury or disease, is permanently physically incapacitated to a
641 degree that prevents him and will continue to prevent him from
642 appearing in person at the office of the town clerk or registrars of the
643 town where he temporarily or permanently resides.

644 (b) Any permanently physically disabled person may, in the manner
645 prescribed under this section and upon a form as prescribed under
646 section 9-31b, apply to the town clerk or either registrar of voters of
647 such town for examination and admission as an elector of any
648 Connecticut town. (1) In the case of a permanently physically disabled
649 person whose qualifications as to age, citizenship or residence in such
650 town are attained on or before the last session for admission of electors
651 prior to an election to be held in the town, the application shall be
652 submitted so that it will be received by such town clerk or either
653 registrar of voters not later than such last session. Upon receipt of the
654 application, the town clerk or either registrar of voters shall notify the
655 applicant of the day, and the hour, such day to be within ten days of
656 the receipt of the application, at which an admitting official shall meet
657 with the applicant at the temporary or permanent residence of the
658 applicant. (2) In the case of a permanently physically disabled person
659 whose qualifications as to age, citizenship or residence in such town
660 are attained after the last session for admission of electors prior to an
661 election to be held in the town, the application shall be submitted so
662 that it will be received by such town clerk or either registrar of voters
663 not later than the opening of the limited session for the admission of
664 electors held, under section 9-17, on the last weekday prior to the
665 election. Upon receipt of the application, the town clerk or either
666 registrar of voters shall notify the applicant of the day, and the hour,
667 such day and hour to be not later than 5:00 p.m. on the last weekday
668 before the election, at which an admitting official shall meet with the
669 applicant at the temporary or permanent residence of the applicant.

670 (c) Such admitting official shall meet at the appointed time with the
671 applicant for the purpose of examining his qualifications as an elector
672 and for the purpose of admitting him as an elector if the applicant is

673 found qualified. Such official shall make available to the applicant at
674 such time, upon request, a copy of the statement that specifies each
675 eligibility requirement and contains an attestation that the applicant
676 meets each such requirement (1) in video form in accordance with
677 procedures established by the registrars of voters and (2) in braille,
678 large print and audio form. Such official shall provide the applicant
679 with a written notice of approval or disapproval at that time, except as
680 otherwise provided in section 9-19e. Any person making application
681 for registration under this section shall be entitled to the privileges of
682 an elector and party enrollment, if applicable, from the time such
683 application for admission as an elector is approved by the town clerk
684 or registrars of voters of his voting residence.]

685 (a) Any disabled person who cannot register to vote by mail or in
686 person at the office of the registrars of voters may request of the
687 registrars of voters that an admitting official be sent to the person's
688 residence to assist the applicant with the application for admission as
689 an elector. The registrars of voters shall act promptly on any such
690 request. If election-related materials in alternative formats are
691 requested by such person, the registrars of voters shall provide such
692 materials in accordance with any applicable state or federal law.

693 (b) In the case of a disabled person whose qualifications as to age,
694 citizenship or residence in such town are attained after the last session
695 for admission of electors prior to an election to be held in the town, the
696 person shall be admitted by either registrar of voters not later than five
697 o'clock p.m. on the last weekday before the election. An admitting
698 official shall meet with the applicant at the temporary or permanent
699 residence of the applicant at such time of admission.

700 (c) Any person that makes application for admission as an elector
701 pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be entitled to the
702 privileges of an elector and party enrollment, if applicable, from the
703 time such application for admission as an elector is approved by the
704 registrars of voters.

705 Sec. 20. Subsection (a) of section 9-264 of the general statutes is
706 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
707 *October 1, 2007*):

708 (a) An elector who requires assistance to vote, by reason of
709 blindness, disability or inability to write or to read the ballot, may be
710 given assistance by a person of the elector's choice, other than (1) the
711 elector's employer, (2) an agent of such employer, [or] (3) an officer or
712 agent of the elector's union, or (4) a candidate on the ballot. The
713 registrars of voters or the assistant registrars of voters, as the case may
714 be, shall request the name of the person providing assistance. If the
715 elector refuses to provide the name of the person providing assistance,
716 such refusal shall be recorded but shall not deny the elector the right to
717 vote. The person assisting the elector may accompany the elector into
718 the voting [machine] booth. Such person shall register such elector's
719 vote upon the [machine] ballot as such elector directs. Any person
720 accompanying an elector into the voting [machine] booth who deceives
721 any elector in registering [his] the elector's vote under this section or
722 seeks to influence any elector while in the act of voting, or who
723 registers any vote for any elector or on any question other than as
724 requested by such elector, or who gives information to any person as
725 to what person or persons such elector voted for, or how [he] the
726 elector voted on any question, shall be fined not more than one
727 thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years, or both.

728 Sec. 21. Section 9-297 of the general statutes is repealed and the
729 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

730 No official or other person at any election shall, in the [enclosure
731 where the ballot box and stub box are placed, or in any room or booth
732 herein mentioned,] polling place, suggest to any elector the name of
733 any political party or candidate for any office. No person shall assist or
734 offer to assist any elector in the preparation of [his] the ballot, [to be
735 used in voting, unless appointed for that purpose by the moderator of
736 the election.] No elector shall receive [such] assistance unless [he is
737 physically incapable of preparing his ballot, and the moderator shall be

738 the sole judge of such physical disability] the elector requests
739 assistance. In such case, [of such physical disability, the moderator] the
740 elector shall [, upon the request of the elector, appoint two electors of
741 different parties, and such persons shall render such assistance as the
742 elector requires in the preparation of his ballot] choose whom the
743 elector would like to have assist him or her in casting the ballot.

744 Sec. 22. Section 9-17a of the general statutes is repealed and the
745 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):

746 As used in sections 9-17, 9-19b, 9-19c(a), 9-20, as amended by this
747 act, 9-23a, 9-24, 9-31a, as amended by this act, [9-31b] and 9-31l, unless
748 otherwise provided, the term "admitting official" means a town clerk,
749 assistant town clerk, registrar of voters, deputy registrar of voters,
750 assistant registrar of voters, special assistant registrar of voters or the
751 board for admission of electors.

752 Sec. 23. Subsection (b) of section 9-20 of the general statutes is
753 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
754 *October 1, 2007*):

755 (b) The applicant's statement shall be delivered to the registrars
756 immediately and shall be kept by the registrars as a public record in a
757 safe depository, except that no Social Security number obtained by the
758 registrars prior to January 1, 2000, may be disclosed to the public or to
759 any governmental agency. Any such statement of an elector whose
760 name has been removed from the registry list for a period of at least
761 five years may be placed on microfilm, destroyed or otherwise
762 disposed of by such registrars, in the manner provided in section 7-
763 109. Upon the request of any elector, or if the applicant does not
764 present a birth certificate, drivers' license or Social Security card as
765 required by subsection (a) of this section, at the time an application is
766 made in person to an admitting official or prior to the approval of such
767 an application, any admitting official shall require the applicant to
768 prove his identity, place of birth, age and bona fide residence by the
769 testimony under oath of at least one elector or by the presentation of

770 proof satisfactory to such admitting official. Each person found
771 qualified shall thereupon be admitted as an elector, except as provided
772 in sections 9-12, 9-19e, 9-19g and 9-30. The registrars may request an
773 elector whose date of birth is missing from their records to voluntarily
774 furnish his date of birth. Any admitting official may administer oaths
775 in any matter coming before him under section 9-12, 9-17, 9-19b,
776 subsection (a) of section 9-19c, section 9-19e, 9-19g, 9-23, 9-23a, 9-25, 9-
777 31a, as amended by this act, [9-31b,] 9-31l, 9-40a or this section. Said
778 admitting official shall prohibit any activity which interferes with the
779 orderly process of admission of electors.

780 Sec. 24. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Not later than February 1,
781 2008, the Secretary of the State shall adopt regulations, in accordance
782 with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes, that provide
783 for the automatic mailing of an absentee ballot prior to an election to
784 any person who is permanently disabled, provided such person files
785 an initial application for an absentee ballot along with a certification
786 from a physician indicating that such person is permanently disabled.
787 Such regulations shall include, but not be limited to, the form and
788 content of such certification, a schedule for the mailing of such
789 absentee ballots and procedures for the protection of the medical
790 privacy of any such applicant.

791 Sec. 25. Section 9-464 of the general statutes is repealed and the
792 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

793 On the first Tuesday in [~~March~~] February of each year in which the
794 President of the United States is to be elected, each party shall conduct
795 a primary in each town if the names of two or more candidates are to
796 be placed on such party's ballot in accordance with the provisions of
797 this chapter.

798 Sec. 26. Section 9-466 of the general statutes is repealed and the
799 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

800 The secretary shall, at ten o'clock a.m. on the [seventy-fourth]
801 seventy-eighth day preceding the day of the primary, publicly

802 announce a list of candidates whose names are to be placed on the
803 ballot of each party at such primary pursuant to subsection (a) of
804 section 9-465. Forthwith upon announcing such list, said secretary
805 shall notify each such candidate, by registered mail with return receipt
806 requested, that his name will be included on the ballot unless he files
807 with the secretary, not later than [four] twelve o'clock p.m. of the
808 [thirty-sixth] fortieth day before the primary, a written request, signed
809 by the candidate, to the following effect: "I request that my name be
810 omitted from the ballot at Connecticut's forthcoming (name of
811 party) presidential preference primary". The name of any candidate
812 who files a request as provided by this section, within the time
813 specified, shall be omitted from the ballot, but no such withdrawal
814 shall be honored if it is received later than the time specified by this
815 section.

816 Sec. 27. Section 9-467 of the general statutes is repealed and the
817 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

818 On or after twelve o'clock noon of the [seventy-fourth] seventy-
819 eighth day preceding the day of the primary, any person seeking the
820 nomination of a party for President, whose name is not included in the
821 list of candidates announced by the secretary pursuant to section 9-466,
822 as amended by this act, or any person advocating the nomination of
823 such person, by such party, may obtain petition pages from the
824 secretary in the manner provided by this section. Such pages shall be
825 in a form prescribed by the secretary and shall conform, as nearly as
826 may be, to the requirements for primary petition forms provided in
827 section 9-410. Any person requesting the petition pages shall give to
828 the secretary, in writing, his name and address, the name and address
829 of the candidate for whom the petition is to be circulated and the party
830 holding the primary, and shall also file, or cause to be filed, with said
831 secretary a written statement, signed by such candidate, to the effect
832 that he consents to the inclusion of his name on the primary ballot of
833 such party. Upon completion of these requirements, the secretary shall
834 give to the person so requesting such petition pages [a number of
835 pages sufficient to contain at least two times the number of signatures

836 required in accordance with the provisions of section 9-469] one
837 petition page, suitable for duplication. If the person is requesting the
838 form on behalf of an indigent candidate, the secretary shall give the
839 person the number of original pages that such person requests or the
840 number of original pages that the secretary deems to be sufficient. The
841 secretary shall also fill in on each petition page the name and address
842 of the candidate, the words "nomination for President of the United
843 States" as the designation of the office sought, and the name of the
844 party conducting the primary.

845 Sec. 28. Section 9-468 of the general statutes is repealed and the
846 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

847 Except as hereinafter provided, such petitions shall be circulated,
848 filed with the registrars of voters, and verified by said registrars, as
849 nearly as may be, in accordance with the provisions of sections 9-410
850 and 9-412. Each page of such a petition shall be filed with the registrar
851 of voters of the party holding the primary in the town of voting
852 residence of the signers thereof, not later than four o'clock p.m. of the
853 [~~forty-sixth~~] fiftieth day preceding the day of the primary; and such
854 registrar shall verify the signatures on each such page and forward it
855 to the secretary not later than four o'clock p.m. of the [~~forty-second~~]
856 forty-sixth day preceding the day of the primary. If, prior to such last
857 day for filing such pages with the registrar, such a petition was issued
858 under section 9-467, as amended by this act, the office or office
859 facilities of each registrar of such party in each town shall open not
860 later than one o'clock p.m. and remain open until at least four o'clock
861 p.m., and each such registrar or his deputy assistant registrar shall be
862 present therein.

863 Sec. 29. Section 9-472 of the general statutes is repealed and the
864 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

865 If, after determination of the order of candidates on the ballot, a
866 candidate dies, his name shall not appear on such ballot; provided that
867 the position of each remaining candidate on the ballot shall not be

868 altered by the deletion of such name. [The voting machine candidate
 869 pointer over any blank space on the ballot resulting from the deletion
 870 of such name shall be locked so that no vote shall be registered for
 871 such position.] The secretary may authorize the use of blank stickers
 872 on the ballot by town clerks in order to comply with the provisions of
 873 this section.

874 Sec. 30. Sections 9-31b, 9-31d, 9-58 and 9-195 of the general statutes
 875 are repealed. (*Effective October 1, 2007*)"

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2007, and applicable to primaries and elections held on and after July 1, 2007</i> | New section |
| Sec. 2 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-6 |
| Sec. 3 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-168 |
| Sec. 4 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-168a |
| Sec. 5 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-169 |
| Sec. 6 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-35 |
| Sec. 7 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-35a |
| Sec. 8 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-35b |
| Sec. 9 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-35c |
| Sec. 10 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-36 |
| Sec. 11 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-37 |
| Sec. 12 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-38 |
| Sec. 13 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-39 |
| Sec. 14 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-50a |
| Sec. 15 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-55 |
| Sec. 16 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-169g |
| Sec. 17 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-172b |
| Sec. 18 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-238a |
| Sec. 19 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-31a |
| Sec. 20 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-264(a) |
| Sec. 21 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-297 |
| Sec. 22 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-17a |
| Sec. 23 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | 9-20(b) |
| Sec. 24 | <i>from passage</i> | New section |

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| Sec. 25 | <i>from passage</i> | 9-464 |
| Sec. 26 | <i>from passage</i> | 9-466 |
| Sec. 27 | <i>from passage</i> | 9-467 |
| Sec. 28 | <i>from passage</i> | 9-468 |
| Sec. 29 | <i>from passage</i> | 9-472 |
| Sec. 30 | <i>October 1, 2007</i> | Repealer section |