



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5551

LCO No. 2499



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
(GAE)

***AN ACT REQUIRING A REVIEW OF THE COMPUTERIZED VOTER-
TALLY SYSTEM BY THE AUDITORS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Auditors of Public Accounts
2 shall conduct a review of the computerized vote-tally system
3 developed by the Secretary of the State and used by thirty-two
4 municipalities for the November 5, 2013, municipal elections. The
5 auditors shall examine the efficiency, effectiveness and general
6 performance of such system in expediting and accurately tallying
7 results of the elections and any other factors concerning the Secretary's
8 ability to reduce the amount of time in which election results are made
9 available to the public. Not later than January 1, 2015, the auditors
10 shall report their findings to the joint standing committee of the
11 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to elections,
12 in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general
13 statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Auditors of Public Accounts to examine the computerized vote-tally system employed in the November, 2013, municipal elections for efficiency and general performance.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]