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Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT
ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
(GAE)

AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTIONS.

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 9-19b of the 2016 supplement to
2 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
3 thereof (*Effective July 1, 2016*):

4 (b) Except during the period between the last session for the
5 admission of electors prior to an election and the day following that
6 election, either registrar of voters, or a deputy registrar or assistant
7 registrar appointed in accordance with the provisions of section 9-192
8 may examine the qualifications of any person applying to be admitted
9 as an elector in the town and, except for applications submitted
10 pursuant to subdivision (4) of this subsection, approve such
11 application submitted in person (1) at the office of such official; (2) at
12 any enrollment session of the registrars of voters; (3) at any public
13 place; (4) at any time and at any place in the town, other than a public
14 place; or (5) at any public office of the Department of Motor Vehicles,
15 Labor Department or Department of Social Services which is located in
16 the town in which the registrar, deputy registrar or assistant registrar

17 serves, if written notice of the date and time is given seven days in
18 advance thereof to the commissioner of such department. Upon receipt
19 of a written notice under subdivision (5) of this subsection, the
20 commissioner of the department may designate a portion of the public
21 office which shall be used for the admission of electors. The other
22 registrar, or any deputy or assistant registrar, shall be permitted to be
23 present during the admission of any person pursuant to subdivisions
24 (4) and (5) of this subsection. Applications accepted and examined
25 prior to the last session for admission of electors prior to an election
26 pursuant to subdivision (4) of this subsection may be approved after
27 such last session. The admission of any person pursuant to subdivision
28 (4) shall be effective on the date when both registrars approve such
29 application. The registrar who receives such application from the
30 applicant shall give written notice to the other registrar [within] not
31 later than one business day after such receipt and the registrars shall
32 forthwith act on such applications. No rejection of any application
33 under subdivision (4) of this subsection shall be effective until the
34 registrar has mailed to the other registrar and the applicant a notice
35 stating any reason for the rejection. Any applicant whose application is
36 rejected may appeal under the provisions of section 9-31l.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2016	9-19b(b)

GAE *Joint Favorable*