AN ACT CONCERNING RANKED-CHOICE VOTING IN PRIMARIES FOR NOMINATION.

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

That chapter 153 of the general statutes be amended to establish, in each primary for nomination by a political party to a single-member state, district or municipal office, a method of casting and tabulating votes in which (1) voters rank candidates in order of preference, (2) tabulation proceeds in sequential rounds in which last-place candidates are defeated and until one candidate receives over fifty per cent of the votes cast, and (3) the candidate receiving over fifty per cent of the votes cast is deemed to have been chosen as the nominee of such party to such office.

Statement of Purpose:
To establish ranked-choice voting in primaries for nomination to single-member state, district and municipal offices.