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**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2018 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to  
Original Senate Bill No. 270 by Senator Carter

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 18:49.1(A)" and insert "enact  
3 R.S. 18:501(C)"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, delete lines 3 and 4 and insert "with respect to the withdrawal and election of  
6 candidates; and to provide for"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, line 7, after "R.S. 18:" delete the remainder of the line and insert "501(C) is  
9 hereby enacted to read as follows:"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, delete lines 8 through 17 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the  
12 following:

13 "§501. Procedure for withdrawal

14 \* \* \*

15 **"C. Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsections A and B of this Section, if there are**  
16 **only two candidates remaining in a primary or general election for a public office, the**  
17 **secretary of state shall accept a notice of withdrawal that is filed prior to 4:30 p.m. on**  
18 **the second day prior to the election. The candidate remaining after the withdrawal is**  
19 **declared elected by the people."**