The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Tim Prather.

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Present law provides that if the early voting election ballot was prepared with a withdrawn or disqualified candidate's name on it, the registrar of voters of any parish where such ballot will be used will cause notice to be posted of the withdrawal or disqualification of such candidate at any location for early voting where the candidate's name appears on the ballot.

Present law provides that if the election ballot was printed with a withdrawn or disqualified candidate's name on it, the clerk of court of any parish where the ballot will be used will cause notice to be posted of the withdrawal or disqualification of such candidate at any polling place where the candidate's name appears on the ballot.

Present law provides that such notice will be posted or placed adjacent to the precinct register so that it is clearly visible and the notice will be capitalized and in bold typed print of not less than 14-point font.

Proposed law retains present law and further provides that such withdrawal or disqualification notice would be at the direction of the secretary of state.

Proposed law provides that if the early voting election ballot was prepared with a proposition that has been canceled, the registrar of voters of any parish where such ballot will be used will, upon direction of the secretary of state, cause notice to be posted of the cancellation of the proposition at any location for early voting where the proposition appears on the ballot.

Proposed law provides that if the election ballot was printed with a proposition that has been canceled, the clerk of court of any parish where such ballot will be used will, upon direction of the secretary of state, cause notice to be posted of the cancellation of the proposition at any polling place where the proposition appears on the ballot.

Proposed law provides that such notice will be posted or placed adjacent to the precinct register so that it is clearly visible and will be capitalized and in bold typed print of not less than 14-point font.

Effective August 1, 2020.

(Amends R.S. 18:503; adds R.S. 503.1)