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Abstract: Provides for names of persons on a petition submitted to a registrar of voters.

<u>Present law</u> provides that every petition submitted to a registrar of voters for certification shall contain the handwritten signature of the voter who is signing the petition; however, if a person is unable to write, the incapacitated person shall affix his mark to the petition and the person circulating the petition shall affix the name of the incapacitated person in the presence of two witnesses who shall also sign their names as witnesses to the mark.

<u>Proposed law</u> removes description of the person who is unable to write as incapacitated.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 18:3(A)(1))