Existing law provides that no redistricting plan will be implemented unless it is received by the secretary of state in a specific format required by existing law for local governing bodies no later than 4:30 p.m. four weeks prior to the date the qualifying period opens. Existing law defines "local governing body" to include each parish governing authority, municipal governing authority, and school board.

New law permits the submission of technical corrections to a timely submitted and properly formatted redistricting plan of a local governing body until 10 days prior to date the qualifying period opens.

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(Amends R.S. 18:1945(C))