
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2015 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to
Original House Bill No. 348 by Representative HunterAMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact R.S." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 through 8 and insert the following:

"18:1302(4) and 1309(A)(1), (B)(1), (C), and (M), relative to early voting; to provide for the period for conducting early voting; to repeal provisions allowing the registrar to determine the time during which early voting takes place at certain locations; and to provide for related"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 11, after "1. R.S." delete the remainder of the line and insert "18:1302 and 1309(A)(1), (B)(1), (C), and (M) are hereby amended"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 20 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 and insert the following:

"§1302. Definitions

As used in this Chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the following terms shall have the meanings hereafter ascribed to each:

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(4) "Early voting" means the period of time ~~from fourteen days to seven days~~ prior to any scheduled election when any person who is qualified to vote may vote in person at a place designated by the registrar as provided in R.S. 18:1309.

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§1309. Early voting; verification

A.(1)(a) The period for conducting early voting shall be from fourteen days to seven days prior to any scheduled election.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph, one day shall be included in the early voting period for each holiday observed during the early voting period pursuant to Paragraph (4) of this Subsection beginning on the first day following the period described in Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph that is not a Sunday or a holiday required to be observed pursuant to Paragraph (4) of this Subsection."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, delete lines 13 through 23