

AMENDMENT

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TO: CSHB 66(STA), Draft Version "N"

1 Page 19, following line 22:

2 Insert a new bill section to read:

3 **"* Sec. 41.** AS 15.20.430 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

4 (c) In a precinct that is not a hand-count precinct, an interested party may,
5 within five days after the completion of the state review, file an application with the
6 director requesting a hand recount of ballots that were counted by a voting machine or
7 precinct tabulator. However, the application may be filed only within three days after
8 the completion of the state review after the general election for a recount of votes cast
9 for the offices of governor and lieutenant governor. The interested party shall include
10 a \$1,000 deposit for each precinct in which the party requests a hand count and may
11 observe the hand count. If the hand count results in a difference in vote totals that is
12 more than one percent of total votes cast or is enough to change the outcome of the
13 election in the precinct, the division shall refund the deposit. If the entire deposit is not
14 refunded, the director shall refund any money remaining after the cost of the recount
15 has been paid from the deposit. In this subsection, "interested party" includes a
16 candidate on a ballot, candidate's political party, or political group designated on the
17 ballot."

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19 Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

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21 Page 26, line 22:

22 Delete "sec. 45"

23 Insert "sec. 46"

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2 Page 26, line 23:
3 Delete "sec. 46"
4 Insert "sec. 47"
5 Delete "sec. 48"
6 Insert "sec. 49"
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8 Page 26, line 24:
9 Delete "sec. 49"
10 Insert "sec. 50"
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12 Page 26, line 25:
13 Delete "sec. 50"
14 Insert "sec. 51"
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16 Page 26, lines 25 - 26:
17 Delete "secs. 45, 46, and 48 - 50"
18 Insert "secs. 46, 47, and 49 - 51"
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20 Page 27, line 2:
21 Delete "Sections 43 and 44"
22 Insert "Sections 44 and 45"
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24 Page 27, line 3:
25 Delete "Section 58"
26 Insert "Section 59"
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28 Page 27, line 4:
29 Delete "secs. 59 and 60"
30 Insert "secs. 60 and 61"