

AMENDMENT

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

Page 8, following line 16:

Insert a new subsection to read:

"(c) The division may not allow a municipality to use the division's data or equipment for a municipal election unless the municipality enforces a chain-of-custody system that satisfies the standards of the division's chain-of-custody system established under this section."

Page 25, following line 4:

Insert a new bill section to read:

"* Sec. 51. AS 15.56.080(a) is amended to read:

(a) A person commits the crime of election official misconduct in the second degree if while an election official, and while the polls are open, the person

(1) opens a ballot received from a voter at an election, unless permitted by ordinance in a local election;

(2) marks a ballot by folding or otherwise so as to be able to recognize it;

(3) otherwise attempts to learn how a voter marked a ballot; [OR]

(4) **intentionally fails to sign a ballot chain-of-custody document upon receiving or releasing a ballot or group of ballots; or**

(5) allows a person to do one of the acts prescribed by **(1) - (4)** [(1), (2), OR (3)] of this subsection."

Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

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2 Page 26, line 24:

3 Delete "and"

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5 Page 26, line 25, following "Act,":

6 Insert "and AS 15.56.080(a), as amended by sec. 51 of this Act,"

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8 Page 26, line 26:

9 Delete "secs. 48 - 50"

10 Insert "secs. 48 - 51"

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12 Page 27, line 3:

13 Delete "Section 58"

14 Insert "Section 59"

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16 Page 27, line 4:

17 Delete "secs. 59 and 60"

18 Insert "secs. 60 and 61"