

SB188_L.003

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on State, Civic, Military, & Veterans Affairs.

SB21-188 be amended as follows:

1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 2, line 3, after "(1.5)" insert "and (2)(d)".

2 Page 2, line 4, strike "**disability.**" and substitute "**disability - definition.**".

3 Page 2, strike line 12 and substitute "ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION IF THE
4 VOTER AFFIRMS THE VOTER IS AN ELIGIBLE PERSON IN ACCORDANCE WITH
5 SUBSECTION (2)(d) OF THIS SECTION. TO".

6 Page 2, after line 17 insert:

7 "(d) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ELIGIBLE PERSON" MEANS AN
8 INDIVIDUAL WHO, REGARDLESS OF ANY OTHER DISABILITY:

9 (I) IS BLIND;

10 (II) HAS A VISUAL IMPAIRMENT OR PERCEPTUAL OR READING
11 DISABILITY THAT CANNOT BE IMPROVED TO GIVE VISUAL FUNCTION
12 SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO THAT OF A PERSON WHO HAS NO SUCH
13 IMPAIRMENT OR DISABILITY AND SO IS UNABLE TO READ OR MARK A
14 BALLOT TO SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME DEGREE AS A PERSON WITHOUT AN
15 IMPAIRMENT OR DISABILITY; OR

16 (III) IS OTHERWISE UNABLE, THROUGH PHYSICAL DISABILITY, TO
17 HOLD, MARK, OR MANIPULATE A BALLOT OR TO FOCUS OR MOVE THE EYES
18 TO THE EXTENT THAT WOULD BE NORMALLY ACCEPTABLE FOR READING OR
19 MARKING A BALLOT."

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