STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

March 7, 2018

Introduced by M. of A. GALEF -- read once and referred to the Committee on Election Law

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to authorizing the provision of notice of a change of address ten days before an election and authorizing the change of party affiliation within twenty-five days of an election

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 5-208 of the election law, as added by chapter 659 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:

3. If such a notice is received at least [~~twenty~~] **ten** days before a primary, special or general election, such change of address must be completed before such election.

§ 2. Subdivision 3 of section 5-304 of the election law, as amended by chapter 90 of the laws of 1991, is amended to read as follows:

3. A change of enrollment received by the board of elections not later than the twenty-fifth day before [~~the~~] **a primary, special or** general election shall be [~~deposited in a sealed enrollment box, which shall not be opened until the first Tuesday following such general election. Such change of enrollment shall be then removed and~~] entered **before such election** as provided in this article.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ***italics*** (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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