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IN ASSEMBLY

January 19, 2022

Introduced by M. of A. CARROLL, ENGLEBRIGHT, DICKENS, GOTTFRIED, ZEBROW-SKI, HEVESI, SIMON, PAULIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Election Law -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to voter registration

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 3 of section 5-210 of the election law, as 2 amended by chapter 255 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as 3 follows:

3 3. Completed application forms, when received by any board of 4 5 elections and, with respect to application forms promulgated by the federal election commission, when received by the state board of 7 elections, or showing a dated cancellation mark of the United States 8 Postal Service or contained in an envelope showing such a dated cancellation mark which is not later than the [twenty-fifth] fifteenth day 10 before the next ensuing primary, general or special election, and 11 received no later than the [twentieth] tenth day before such election, 12 or delivered in person to such board of elections not later than the 13 tenth day before [a special] such election, shall entitle the applicant to vote in such election, if he or she is otherwise qualified, provided, 15 however, such applicant shall not vote on a voting machine until his or 16 her identity is verified. Any board of elections receiving an application form from a person who does not reside in its jurisdiction but who 18 does reside elsewhere in the state of New York, shall forthwith forward such application form to the proper board of elections. Each board of 19 20 elections shall make an entry on each such form of the date it is 21 received by such board.

22 § 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2023.

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

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