## STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

## IN SENATE

January 20, 2023

Introduced by Sens. MYRIE, LIU -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Elections

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to the providing that a voter may register to vote at any residence to which the voter maintains a continuous connection with an intent to return

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

1 Section 1. Section 5-104 of the election law is amended by adding a 2 new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

- 3 3. Nothing in this section shall prevent a voter from registering to
  4 vote from any residence to which the voter maintains a continuous
  5 connection with an intent to return, including a second or vacation
  6 home.
  - $\S$  2. The opening paragraph of subdivision 1 of section 8-400 of the election law, as amended by chapter 63 of the laws of 2010, is amended to read as follows:
- A qualified voter may vote as an absentee voter under this chapter from a residence at which the voter is registered to vote, including any residence to which the voter maintains a continuous connection with an intent to return such as a second or vacation home, if, on the occurrence of any village election conducted by the board of elections, primary election, special election, general election or New York city
- 16 community school board district or city of Buffalo school district
- 17 election, he or she expects to be:

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18 § 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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