BILL ANALYSIS

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DIGEST AND PURPOSE

Current law allows voters of an area annexed for limited purposes by a municipality to vote on the mayor and city council but not on any other elective municipal office. C.S.S.B. 1612 adds to current law the right of such voters to vote on the elective office of city controller.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 43.130(a), Local Government Code, to include the election or recall of the controller, if the office of controller is an elective position of the municipality, relating to voting for the elective municipal office of controller in areas annexed for limited purposes by certain municipalities.

SECTION 2. Effective date: September 1, 2003.