

Amend HB 1270 by adding the following appropriately numbered sections to the bill and renumbering the remaining sections of the bill appropriately:

SECTION _____. Section 13.033(b), Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If a person is to be appointed, the registrar shall prepare a certificate of appointment in duplicate containing:

- (1) the date of appointment;
- (2) the statement: "I, _____, Voter Registrar for _____ County, do hereby appoint _____ as a volunteer deputy registrar for _____ County.";
- (3) the person's residence address;
- (4) the person's voter registration number, if any;
- (5) a statement that the term of the appointment expires December 31 of an even-numbered year; and
- (6) a statement that the appointment terminates on the person's final conviction for an offense for failure to deliver a registration application and may terminate on the registrar's determination that the person violated Section 13.038(b) or failed to adequately review a registration application.

SECTION _____. Section 13.036(b), Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The registrar may terminate the appointment of a volunteer deputy registrar on a determination by the registrar that the volunteer deputy violated Section 13.038(b) or failed to adequately review a registration application as required by Section 13.039.

SECTION _____. Section 13.038, Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 13.038. POWERS GENERALLY. (a) A volunteer deputy registrar may distribute voter registration application forms throughout the county and receive registration applications submitted to the deputy in person.

(b) In conducting the duties prescribed by this subchapter, a volunteer deputy registrar may not:

- (1) harass, intimidate, or coerce any person; or
- (2) refuse to:

- (A) distribute voter registration applications;
- (B) receive a completed voter registration application submitted to the deputy; or
- (C) provide assistance to any person who is eligible for registration as a voter in this state.