By: Madden, et al. H.B. No. 2059

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 2059:

By: Hughes C.S.H.B. No. 2059

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to the period of voter registration of a person registered
- 3 by a federal postcard application.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 101.006(a), Election Code, is amended to
- 6 read as follows:
- 7 (a) The submission of a federal postcard application that
- 8 complies with the applicable requirements by an unregistered
- 9 applicant constitutes registration by the applicant only for the
- 10 purpose of voting in the election for which a ballot is requested
- 11 and each election [for a federal office] that occurs on or before
- 12 the date of the second general election for state and county
- 13 officers that occurs after the date the application is submitted.
- 14 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only
- 15 to an applicant who submits a federal postcard application on or
- 16 after the effective date of this Act.
- 17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.