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H.B. No. 804

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the offense of illegal voting by a person who is not a  
3 United States citizen.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter A, Chapter 64, Election Code, is  
6 amended by adding Section 64.013 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 64.013. ILLEGAL VOTING BY PERSON WHO IS NOT UNITED  
8 STATES CITIZEN. (a) A person commits an offense if the person is  
9 not a citizen of the United States and the person votes in an  
10 election in this state.

11 (b) An offense under this section is a felony of the second  
12 degree.

13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.