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H.B. No. 2753

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to eligibility for certain political party offices.

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

4 SECTION 1. Section 161.005(a), Election Code, is amended to
5 read as follows:

6 (a) To be eligible to be a candidate for or to serve as a
7 county or precinct chair of a political party, a person must [~~+~~

8 [~~(1)~~] be a qualified voter of the county [~~+~~ and

9 [~~(2)~~ not be a candidate for nomination or election to,

10 or be the holder of, an elective office of the federal, state, or

11 county government].

12 SECTION 2. Section 161.005(b), Election Code, is repealed.

13 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.