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H.B. No. 2925

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT  
2 relating to the delivery of certain voter registration  
3 certificates.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 13.144, Election Code, is amended by  
6 amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (d) to read as  
7 follows:

8 (a) Except as provided by Subsection (d), not ~~[Not]~~ later  
9 than the 30th day after the date the registrar receives the  
10 application, the registrar shall deliver the original of an initial  
11 certificate:

12 (1) in person to the applicant or the applicant's agent  
13 appointed under Section 13.003; or

14 (2) by mail to the applicant.

15 (d) The registrar may not deliver an initial certificate  
16 during the 30 days immediately preceding an election in which the  
17 applicant's registration will not be effective.

18 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only  
19 to a voter registration certificate for which an application is  
20 received by the voter registrar on or after September 1, 2015.

21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.