By:  Springer (Senate Sponsor - Perry) H.B. No. 2888

(In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019; April 17, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Administration; May 3, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 4, Nays 0; May 3, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Hughes          X

Fallon          X

Huffman                   X

Johnson         X

Menéndez                  X

Nichols                   X

Zaffirini       X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to a petition filed for a place on the ballot as a candidate for the board of directors of the Wilbarger County Hospital District.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 1113.053, Special District Local Laws Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1113.053.  BALLOT PETITION. A person who wants to have the person's name printed on the ballot as a candidate for director must file with the board secretary a petition requesting that action. The petition must be[~~:~~

[~~(1)  signed by at least 100 registered voters; and~~

[~~(2)~~]  filed by the deadline imposed by Section 144.005, Election Code.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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