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H.B. No. 431

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to ineligibility to serve as a poll watcher.

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

SECTION 1. Section 33.035, Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33.035. INELIGIBILITY OF PERSON CONVICTED OF ELECTION OFFENSE. A person is ineligible to serve as a watcher in an election if the person has been finally convicted of:

(1) a felony; or

(2) an offense in connection with conduct directly attributable to an election.

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