

Amend **CSSB 7** (senate committee printing) in SECTION 3.22 of the bill, in added Section 129.003, Election Code (page 10, between lines 50 and 51), by inserting the following:

(f) Before opening the polls for voting, the presiding election judge shall confirm that each voting machine has any public counter reset to zero and shall print the tape that shows the counter was set to zero. After closing the polls for voting, the presiding election judge shall print the tape that shows the number of votes cast. Each election judge present shall sign a tape printed under this subsection. Any watcher present may sign a tape printed under this subsection.