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By:  Guillen H.B. No. 1300

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the reading and marking of a ballot by a person occupying a voting station or by the person's child.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 64.002(b), Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b)  A child under 18 years of age may accompany the child's parent to a voting station and may read or mark the ballot at the direction of the parent. Reading or marking a ballot under this subsection does not constitute assisting a voter for purposes of Subchapter B.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.