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By:  Paul, Anderson, et al. H.B. No. 1725

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1725:

By:  Jetton C.S.H.B. No. 1725

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to delivery of ballots by mail.

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

SECTION 1.  Section 86.006, Election Code, is amended by adding Subsections (j) and (k) to read as follows:

(j)  A ballot voted under this chapter may not be counted if delivered by any means other than as provided under Subsection (a).

(k)  A ballot voted under this chapter may not be deposited in an unattended receptacle except for a mailbox or common carrier receptacle.

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