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H.B. No. 1005

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the process of canvassing elections.

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

SECTION 1. Section 67.004(d), Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d) The canvassing authority shall ~~may~~ compare the precinct returns with the corresponding tally list. If a discrepancy is discovered between the vote totals shown on the returns and those shown on the tally list for a precinct, the presiding judge of the precinct shall examine the returns and tally list and make the necessary corrections on the returns.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.