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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT 2 relating to requiring the ballots of certain counties to be 3 scannable. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 4 5 SECTION 1. Subchapter C, Chapter 52, Election Code, is amended by adding Section 52.076 to read as follows: 6 7 Sec. 52.076. SCANNABLE BALLOTS REQUIRED IN CERTAIN COUNTIES. For an election in a county that conducts a hand count of 8 voted paper ballots, the ballot must be capable of being scanned and 9 processed by an optical scanner. 10 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025. 11

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