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S.B. No. 2819

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

2 relating to the restrictions on political activities of a county
3 elections administrator.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 31.035(a), Election Code, is amended to
6 read as follows:

11 At the time an administrator becomes a candidate or accepts an
12 office or position in violation of this subsection, the
13 administrator vacates the position of administrator.

14 SECTION 2. Section 31.035(a), Election Code, as amended by
15 this Act, applies only to the appointment of a county elections
16 administrator that occurs on or after the effective date of this
17 Act. A person who is serving as county elections administrator
18 immediately before the effective date of this Act is governed by the
19 law as it existed immediately before the effective date of this Act,
20 and that law is continued in effect for that purpose.

21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.