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A bill to be entitled
An act relating to election boards; amending s.
102.012, F.S.; authorizing any person who is
preregistered and otherwise qualified to be
appointed and serve as a member of an election
board; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 102.012, Florida
Statutes, is amended to read:

102.012 Inspectors and clerks to conduct elections.--

(2) Each member of the election board shall be able to
read and write the English language and shall be a registered
qualified elector of the county in which the member is
appointed or a person who has preregistered to vote, pursuant
to s. 97.041(1)(b), in the county in which the member is
appointed. No election board shall be composed solely of
members of one political party; however, in any primary in
which only one party has candidates appearing on the ballot,
all clerks and inspectors may be of that party. Any person
whose name appears as an opposed candidate for any office
shall not be eligible to serve on an election board.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1 of the
year in which enacted.

HOUSE SUMMARY

Authorizes any person who is preregistered and otherwise
qualified to be appointed and serve as a member of an
election board.