

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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1 Representative(s) Gottlieb offered the following:

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3 **Amendment to Amendment (426201) (with title amendment)**

4 Between line(s) 2131 and 2132, insert:

5 Section 48. Section 101.5606, Florida Statutes, is amended
6 to read:

7 101.5606 Requirements for approval of systems.--No
8 electronic or electromechanical voting system shall be approved
9 by the Department of State unless it is so constructed that:

10 (1) It permits and requires voting in secrecy.

11 (2) It permits each elector to vote at any election for
12 all persons and offices for whom and for which the elector is
13 lawfully entitled to vote, and no others; to vote for as many
14 persons for an office as the elector is entitled to vote for;

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15 and to vote for or against any question upon which the elector
16 is entitled to vote.

17 (3) It immediately rejects a ballot where the number of
18 votes for an office or measure exceeds the number which the
19 voter is entitled to cast or where the tabulating equipment
20 reads the ballot as a ballot with no votes cast.

21 (4) For systems using paper ballots, it accepts a rejected
22 ballot pursuant to subsection (3) if a voter chooses to cast the
23 ballot, but records no vote for any office that has been
24 overvoted or undervoted.

25 (5) It is capable of correctly counting votes.

26 (6) It permits each voter at a primary election to vote
27 only for the candidates seeking nomination by the political
28 party in which such voter is registered, for any candidate for
29 nonpartisan office, and for any question upon which the voter is
30 entitled to vote.

31 (7) At presidential elections it permits each elector, by
32 one operation, to vote for all presidential electors of a party
33 or for all presidential electors of candidates for President and
34 Vice President with no party affiliation.

35 (8) It provides a method for write-in voting.

36 (9) It is capable of accumulating a count of the specific
37 number of ballots tallied for a precinct, accumulating total
38 votes by candidate for each office, and accumulating total votes
39 for and against each question and issue of the ballots tallied
40 for a precinct.

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41 (10) It is capable of tallying votes from ballots of
42 different political parties from the same precinct, in the case
43 of a primary election.

44 (11) It is capable of automatically producing precinct
45 totals in printed, marked, or punched form, or a combination
46 thereof.

47 (12) If it is of a type which registers votes
48 electronically, it will permit each voter to change his or her
49 vote for any candidate or upon any question appearing on the
50 official ballot up to the time that the voter takes the final
51 step to register his or her vote and to have the vote computed.

52 (13) It is capable of producing a voter-verified paper
53 record suitable for a manual audit as specified in subsection

54 (14).

55 ~~(14)(13)~~ It is capable of providing paper records from
56 which the operation of the voting system may be audited.

57 ~~(15)(14)~~ It uses a precinct-count tabulation system.

58 ~~(16)(15)~~ It does not use an apparatus or device for the
59 piercing of ballots by the voter.

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61 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

62 Remove line(s) 2304 and insert:
63 amending s. 101.5606, F.S.; requiring that an electronic
64 or electromechanical voting system be capable of producing
65 a voter-verified paper record that is suitable for a
66 manual audit; providing effective dates.

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