

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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Representative Pafford offered the following:

**Amendment (with title amendment)**

Remove lines 592-615 and insert:

(5) In any civil action brought by the Attorney General or the state attorney for enforcement, if the court finds that no violation occurred, the Attorney General or the state attorney shall be liable for attorney's fees and costs to the person or organization against whom the complaint was brought.

~~(6)(4)(a)~~ The division shall adopt by rule a form to elicit specific information concerning the facts and circumstances from a person who claims to have been registered to vote by a third-party voter registration organization but who does not appear as an active voter on the voter registration rolls. The division shall also adopt rules to ensure the integrity of the registration process, including rules requiring

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17 third-party voter registration organizations to account for all  
18 state and federal registration forms used by their registration  
19 agents.

20 (b) The division may investigate any violation of this  
21 section. Civil fines shall be assessed by the division and  
22 enforced through any appropriate legal proceedings.

23 ~~(7)(5)~~ The date on which an applicant signs a voter  
24 registration application is presumed to be the date on which the  
25 third-party voter registration organization received or  
26 collected the voter registration application.

27 ~~(8)(6)~~ The civil fines provided in this section are in  
28 addition to any applicable criminal penalties.

29 ~~(9)(7)~~ Fines collected pursuant to this section shall be  
30 annually appropriated by the Legislature to the department for  
31 enforcement of this section and for voter education.

32 ~~(10)(8)~~ The division may adopt rules to administer this  
33 section.

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39 Remove line 31 and insert:  
40 any other appropriate order; providing circumstances under which  
41 the Attorney General or state attorney shall be liable for  
42 certain fees and costs; requiring that the division