

HB 7021

2013

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to late voter registration; amending
3 s. 97.0555, F.S.; revising the persons authorized to
4 register late to vote; providing an effective date.

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

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8 Section 1. Section 97.0555, Florida Statutes, is amended
9 to read:

10 97.0555 Late registration.—An individual or accompanying
11 family member who has been discharged or separated from the
12 uniformed services or the United States Merchant Marine, has
13 returned from a military deployment or activation, or has
14 separated from employment outside the territorial limits of the
15 United States, after the book-closing date for an election
16 pursuant to s. 97.055 and who is otherwise qualified may
17 register to vote in such election until 5 p.m. on the Friday
18 before that election in the office of the supervisor of
19 elections. Such persons must produce sufficient documentation
20 showing evidence of qualifying for late registration pursuant to
21 this section.

22 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.