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Kuesel, Jeffery

To: Ragland, Enis
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Enis,
I will take care of it.
Jeff

From: Ragland, Enis
Sent: Tuesday, May 17, 2011 11:51 AM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Hi Jeff,
One more rush amendment. Appropriate \$300,000 to the GAB for public education of AB 7 changes.
Thanks,
Enis

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From: Kuesel, Jeffery
Sent: Tuesday, May 17, 2011 10:07 AM
To: Ragland, Enis
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Enis,
I will take care of this request. You should have it shortly.
Jeff

From: Ragland, Enis
Sent: Tuesday, May 17, 2011 9:48 AM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Good morning Jeff,
Senator Coggs would like an amendment that will require a map of the wards to be, posted on Election Day, in every precinct of the City of the 1st Class.
Thanks,
Enis

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From: Kuesel, Jeffery

Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 11:22 AM

To: Ragland, Enis

Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Enis,
I am working on your four amendments to AB-7. I am also not available at 2:30. I have an appointment outside the building at 3:00 and do not expect to return until 4:30. I will be in my office after that drafting any amendments to AB-7 that are needed for tomorrow.

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From: Ragland, Enis
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 10:26 AM
To: Gary, Aaron
Cc: de Felice, David Patrick; Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Hi Aaron can you meet with Senator Coggs this after noon at 2:30 regarding questions he has and amendments to AB 7?
Thanks,
Enis

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From: Gary, Aaron
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 10:11 AM
To: Ragland, Enis
Cc: de Felice, David Patrick; Kuesel, Jeffery
Subject: RE: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Good morning Enis,
On the DOT item below, for counties that meet the 500 sq. mile requirement, is it the intent that at least 2 DMV offices be open five days per week?
If so, I will prepare this as one amendment.

Thanks. Aaron

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From: de Felice, David Patrick
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2011 10:01 AM
To: Kuesel, Jeffery; Gary, Aaron
Cc: Ragland, Enis
Subject: Request for amendments to Voter ID Bill - LRBs0100/1 to Substitute Amendment 1 to Assembly Bill 7

Jeff and Aaron,

I am out sick today so please communicate with Enis Ragland in our office if you have any questions or concerns regarding these amendment requests.

Sen. Coggs would like some amendments drafted as soon as possible for the Voter ID bill, which, we have been led to believe is coming to the floor of the Senate tomorrow in the form of AB 7.

At the suggestion of Jeff Kuesel, I have grouped these into non-DOT related amendments (Jeff) and DOT-related amendments (Aaron). You'll see references below to a document. Sen. Coggs is working off the May 9th memo from Leg. Council to Bob Lang and the Fiscal Bureau.

Some of the requests for amendments may include or be based on the answer to questions relating to the latest version of the bill. And some questions Sen. Coggs needs answer to for information's sake. The questions are included below.

Thanks,

Dave de Felice
Office of Sen. Spencer Coggs
608-266-2500

Non-DOT related amendments:

1. On page 1, #1a. of the memo regarding student IDs under LRBs0100/1, the language indicates that "...the (student) ID card expire no later than two years after the date of issuance..." Sen. Coggs assumes that other accepted forms of ID in the legislation are allowed to expire for a longer period, i.e. no later than four years. If so, he would like an amendment allowing student IDs to expire no later than four years as is the case with the other accepted forms of identification under the bill.
2. On page 2, #3 of the memo, the language indicates that under the bill falsification of information on the voter registration form is punishable as a Class I Felony. Sen. Coggs would like an amendment drafted that would change it to a Class A Misdemeanor. **Question:** If the current penalty for falsification on voter registration is different than a Class I Felony or a Class A misdemeanor, Sen. Coggs would like to be notified (Enis take note) before proceeding.
3. On page 3, #8 if the memo, the LRB requires a signature and a 28-day residency to elections occurring on or after the effective date of the bill. **Question:** For information's sake, Sen. Coggs assumes that if an elector has been a resident of one ward and has moved to another ward and has not been a resident of the new ward for 28 days that that elector would be able to vote in his/her old ward. Is that correct? In any case, Sen. Coggs would like an amendment drafted eliminating the 28-day residency requirement.
4. This amendment request does not come from the Leg. Council memo. Sen. Coggs would like an amendment drafted that would require hiring 3 Statewide Voter Registration System (SVRS) trainers instead of the 1 trainer provided for in the legislation. The Fiscal Bureau estimates the cost for one trainer is \$91,100 over a two-year period for compensation and supplies and services. In that regard, Sen. Coggs would like an amendment that requires hiring a total of three SVRS trainers; in other words, adding two more trainers. The amendment should include funding of \$182,200 for the two additional trainers.

DOT-related amendment

1. Sen. Coggs would like an amendment drafted that would require each county to have at least one DMV office that is open five days a week. In addition, the amendment (or a separate amendment) would require that counties 500 square miles in size or greater have two DMV offices.

Thank you. Please communicate with Enis Ragland in our office, who I have cc'd on this email and who can be reached at:

266-2500

Enis, two things: #1) Check with Miller's and or Jauch's office to see who is gathering/coordinating amendments for Voter ID. Then, with SC's agreement, send Miller or Jauch these amendment requests.

#2) Please reply to this email so that I know you got this.

Dave de Felice
Office of Sen. Spencer Coggs
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~~PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION~~

SENATE AMENDMENT,
TO 2011 ASSEMBLY BILL 7

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill, as shown by assembly substitute
2 amendment 2, as follows:

3 1. Page 77, line 10: after that line insert:

4 "SECTION 144m. Fiscal changes.

5 (1) PUBLIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the
6 statutes for the appropriation to the Government Accountability Board under
7 section 20.511 (1) (a) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2011, the dollar amount
8 is increased by \$200,000 for the 2011-13 fiscal biennium to finance the cost of the
9 public information campaign under SECTION 144 (1)."

10 (END)