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CHAPTER 618

AN ACT to amend 5.17 (1) of the statutes, relating to determination of nominations made at primaries.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

5.17 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.17 (1) If all candidates for nomination for any one office voted for on any party ballot shall receive in the aggregate 5 per cent or more of the average of the vote cast for the nominee of such party for governor at the 2 last general elections, the person receiving the greatest number of votes at such primary election as the candidate of such party for such office, shall be the candidate of that party for such office, and his name shall be placed on the official ballot at the following election. Provided, if such person receiving the greatest number of votes has not filed nomination papers as provided in s. 5.05 he shall not be the candidate of such party for such office or have his name placed on the official ballot as such unless he shall personally receive * * * 10 per cent or more of the average of the votes cast for the nominee of such party for governor at the 2 last general elections.

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