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SENATE AMENDMENT 2,

TO 2005 SENATE BILL 612

March 1, 2006 – Offered by Senator Coggs.

At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 17, line 5: after that line insert:

"**SECTION 2e.** 5.15 (4) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

5.15 **(4)** (a) The division ordinance or resolution shall number all wards in the municipality in whole numbers in consecutive order, beginning with the number one, shall designate the polling place for each ward <u>or, in cities where wards are subdivided for voting purposes under sub. (6) (c), the polling places for each ward</u>, and shall describe the boundaries of each ward consistent with the conventions set forth in s. 4.003. The ordinance or resolution shall be accompanied by a list of the block numbers used by the U.S. bureau of the census that are wholly or partly contained within each ward, with any block numbers partly contained within a ward identified, and a map of the municipality which illustrates the revised ward boundaries.

1 **SECTION 2m.** 5.15 (6) (c) of the statutes is created to read:

2 5.15 **(6)** (c) The governing body of a city having a population of more than
3 500,000 may by ordinance enacted within the period prescribed in s. 5.25 (3) for the
4 election to which the ordinance first applies provide that the electors of a ward within
5 that city shall vote at more than one polling place established by the board of election
6 commissioners for the territory in which the electors reside. The ordinance shall
7 contain a specific description of the territory within the ward into which electors are
8 subdivided for voting purposes. In such case, the original ward number shall
9 continue to be utilized for all official purposes. If the governing body of a city enacts
10 an ordinance under this paragraph, the governing body may by similar action within
11 the same period preceding an election rescind the body's previous action effective
12 with that election. The board of election commissioners shall transmit a copy of any
13 ordinance enacted under this paragraph to the board and to the county clerk or board
14 of election commissioners of each county in which the municipality is contained.

15 **SECTION 2s.** 5.25 (5) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

16 5.25 **(5)** (a) Except as authorized in par. (b) <u>and s. 5.15 (6) (c)</u>, all electors within
17 a ward shall vote at the same polling place.".

18 **2.** Page 18, line 14: after that line insert:

19 "**SECTION 5g.** 5.85 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

20 5.85 **(4)** The original ballots shall be preserved with the duplicate ballots and
21 delivered by the inspectors to the municipal clerk. The officials shall then make out
22 a slip indicating the number of electors voting in person, number of absentee ballots
23 deposited in the ballot box, and the total number of electors of each ward served by
24 the polling place who voted at the election~~, which~~ <u>or, in cities where wards are</u>

1 subdivided for voting purposes under s. 5.15 (6) (c), of each portion of a ward served
2 by the polling place, and the slip shall be signed by all the inspectors.

3 **SECTION 5r.** 5.86 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

4 5.86 **(2)** At each central counting location, a team of election officials
5 designated by the clerk or other election official having charge of the location under
6 sub. (1) shall check the container returned containing the ballots to determine that
7 all seals are intact, and thereupon shall open the container, shall check the
8 inspectors' slip and shall compare the number of ballots so delivered against the total
9 number of electors of each ward served by the polling place who voted~~,~~ or, in cities
10 where wards are subdivided for voting purposes under s. 5.15 (6) (c), of each portion
11 of a ward served by the polling place. The election officials shall then remove the
12 ballots or record of the votes cast and deliver them to the technicians operating the
13 automatic tabulating equipment. Any discrepancies between the number of ballots
14 and total number of electors shall be noted on a sheet furnished for that purpose and
15 signed by the election officials.".

16 **3.** Page 39, line 19: after that line insert:

17 "**SECTION 41m.** 6.36 (1) (b) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:

18 6.36 **(1)** (b) 2. The list shall be electronically accessible by name and shall also
19 be accessible in alphabetical order of the electors' names for the entire state and for
20 each county, municipality, ward, ~~and~~ combination of wards authorized under s. 5.15
21 (6) (b), and ward subdivision authorized under s. 5.15 (6) (c).".

22 **4.** Page 73, line 6: after "established" insert "or, in cities where wards are
23 subdivided for voting purposes under s. 5.15 (6) (c), of the portion of the ward for
24 which the polling place is established".

1 **5.** Page 73, line 9: after "wards" insert "or portion of a ward".

2 **6.** Page 80, line 4: after "(b)" insert ", and except that whenever a ward is
3 subdivided for voting purposes or a ward subdivision is rescinded under s. 5.15 (6)
4 (c), the board of election commissioners shall appoint an inspector to serve at each
5 polling place designated under s. 5.15 (6) (c)".

6 **7.** Page 88, line 8: delete "(b)" and substitute "(b),".

7 **8.** Page 88, line 9: after "wards" insert ", or unless a ward is subdivided for
8 voting purposes under s. 5.15 (6) (c), in which case the tally sheet shall record the
9 returns for the portion of the ward served by the polling place".

10 **9.** Page 98, line 5: after "wards" insert ", or unless a ward is subdivided for
11 voting purposes under s. 5.15 (6) (c), in which case the tally sheet shall record the
12 returns for the portion of the ward served by the polling place".

13 **10.** Page 100, line 20: after "void." insert "In cities having a population of
14 500,000 or more, the board of election commissioners shall combine the returns for
15 any ward that has more than one polling place to enter on the returns the total
16 results for each ward.".

17 **(END)**