

S.F. No. 1515 – Postsecondary student voter registration

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S.F. 1515 amends provisions related to postsecondary student voter registration.

Section 1 [Redistricting housing list] requires all postsecondary institutions that enroll students accepting state financial aid to prepare a list of students that reside in the institution’s housing or within 10 miles of campus. Postsecondary institutions that enroll students accepting federal aid may prepare the same type of list. The lists must include the student’s address unless the student is enrolled in the Safe at Home address confidentiality program.

Section 2 [Additional proofs of residence permitted for students] allows an eligible voter to prove residency by presenting a current photo ID issued by a postsecondary educational institution if the voter’s name, ID number (if available), and address also appear on the residential housing list described in **section 1**. The institution must agree to certify the lists to the county auditor and to certify the lists in the time specified. If the institution fails to do so, students are not permitted to use this method to prove residency.