



House Bill 2004 Fact Sheet

Ranked Choice Voting for Statewide & Federal Elections

May 16, 2023

Summary of Amendments

Changes implementation date to the 2028 elections

- Section 19

Makes the Act a referral

- Section 20

Removes judges from RCV elections

- (deletes Section 2(2)(e) of -1 working draft)

Keeps BOLI election in May, using RCV

- Section 2(3) + Section 7(1)

Provides authority and flexibility for local jurisdictions to run RCV elections

- Section 3(4)(b) + Section 9(1)(b)(A)(ii)

Eliminates 5 ranking limit, for ease of administration

- Section 4(2)(a) + Section 4(5)(a)(A)

Provides explicit authority for SoS to tabulate RCV ballots

- Section 8(2)(c) + Section 11(1) + Section 11(7)

Specifies contents and timing of SoS legislative reports

- Section 16(2) + Section 16(3)

Technical Changes

Provides more specificity about the scope and content of rules for the implementation of RCV elections

- Section 4(5)(a)

Specifies the authority for SoS to make rules governing recounts in RCV elections

- Section 15(1)(b)

Provides more specificity for rulemaking for the potential use of proportional ranked choice voting

- Section 4(3)

Questions?

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