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Opposition to Proposed Amendment -4 to Senate Bill 1576 with Concerns of election Interference

As a concerned voter, I stand firmly opposed to the proposed amendment -4 to Senate Bill 1576, as I have serious concerns regarding the intentions behind these changes and their potential to interfere with electoral processes. While the amendment is purportedly aimed at addressing probate jurisdiction issues, I believe it is being pushed forward by the current county court with the clandestine intent of manipulating elections. Here's why:

- 1. Lack of Transparency: The proposed amendment lacks transparency and public scrutiny in their formulation and intent. There has been little to no explanation provided to voters about the true motives behind these changes. The lack of transparency only deepens suspicions and erodes trust in the electoral process.
- 2. Potential for Abuse: These amendments create opportunities for potential abuse and exploitation for electoral gains. By transferring powers between courts and altering jurisdiction without clear oversight mechanisms in place, there's a significant risk of these changes being exploited to manipulate electoral outcomes, thereby undermining the integrity of our democratic system.
- 3. Rushed Implementation: The inclusion of a declaration of emergency to justify the immediate implementation of these amendments is deeply concerning. The rushed manner in which they are being pushed forward contradicts the lack of substantive justification provided. This rushed implementation further reinforces the belief that these amendments are being used to advance hidden agendas related to election interference.
- 4. Undermining Voter Rights: As a voter, I am deeply troubled by the potential implications of these amendments on my rights and the integrity of the electoral process. The covert manipulation of the legal framework to advance political interests undermines the fundamental principles of democracy and erodes trust in the electoral process.

In conclusion, as a concerned voter, I strongly oppose the proposed amendment -4 to Senate Bill 1576 due to the belief that they are intended to create election interference. It is essential that these amendments are subjected to thorough scrutiny, transparent deliberation, and comprehensive evaluation to safeguard the

integrity of our electoral processes and uphold the principles of democracy. As voters, we must remain vigilant and hold our elected officials accountable to ensure that our democratic rights are protected and that legislative efforts serve the public interest rather than being used as tools for manipulation and subversion.

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