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To: Sos Rulemaking

Subject: Comments regarding proposed election amendments

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To whom it may concern,

Regarding the proposed amendments to the elections rules, please consider the following comments:

Amended Rule 2.13.2: Please REJECT THIS AMENDMENT, which would eliminate the requirement of election judges to maintain a log of new registered voters or of any changes made by register electors. Requiring a log of newly registered voters and changes made by electors is critical to maintaining the integrity of fair and honest elections.

Amended Rule 8: Please REJECT THIS AMENDMENT, which would not allow poll watchers to have any electronic device or mobile phone in their possession in the vicinity of the polling place. This is problematic because, without these, watchers would be unable to report voting irregularities in real time.

Thank you.

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