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**From:** Lou S [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, May 11, 2015 2:22 PM  
**To:** SoS Rulemaking  
**Subject:** Internet Voting For Municipal Elections, Draft Proposed Rule 16.2.1 (c)

Dear Mr. Secretary of State:

This is my response to draft proposed Rule 16.2.1 (c):

I strongly object to any possibly unclear or confusing wording in the rule that would permit a voter to use email voting except in truly hardship circumstances where postal mail ballot return or telephone facsimile return is not available.

Those hardship cases should be limited specifically only to circumstances when the voter cannot expect the paper ballot to be received by the clerk within 8 days after election day if the voter returns his ballot by postal mail on the day he receives it, AND there is no telephone facsimile return available.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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