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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF EPINEPHRINE BY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO ELECTIONS."

- Strike subsection (b) of section 7 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu thereof:
- 3 "(b) An election monitor appointed under subsection (a) of this 4 section shall: (1) Conduct inspections, inquiries and investigations 5 relating to any duty or responsibility under title 9 of the general statutes 6 to be carried out by any official of the municipality or appointee of such 7 official; (2) have access to all records, data and material maintained by 8 or available to any such official or appointee; (3) immediately report to the Secretary of the State any irregularity or impropriety in the performance of any duty or responsibility described in subdivision (1) 10 11 of this subsection; and (4) not later than December 31, 2024, submit to

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standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to elections such election monitor's detailed findings on the management of election administration procedures and the conduct of the municipal election in 2023 and the state election in 2024 in such municipality. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit said commission from taking any action authorized under section 9-7b of the general statutes."

- After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:
- "Sec. 501. Subsection (c) of section 9-140b of the general statutes, as amended by section 1 of public act 23-158, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
 - (c) (1) For purposes of this section, "mailed" means (A) sent by the United States Postal Service or any commercial carrier, courier or messenger service recognized and approved by the Secretary of the State, or (B) deposited in a secure drop box designated by the municipal clerk for such purpose, in accordance with instructions prescribed by the Secretary.
 - (2) In the case of absentee ballots mailed under subparagraph (B) of subdivision (1) of this subsection, beginning on the first day of issuance of absentee voting sets, as provided in subsection (f) of section 9-140, and on each weekday thereafter until the close of the polls at the election, primary or referendum, the municipal clerk shall retrieve from the secure drop box described in said subparagraph each such ballot deposited in such drop box.
- 38 (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, no drop box 39 may be made available for the mailing of absentee ballots under 40 subparagraph (B) of subdivision (1) of this subsection until the election 41 monitor appointed under subsection (a) of section 7 of this act submits 42 the report required under subdivision (4) of subsection (b) of section 7 43 of this act."

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Sec. 501 *from passage* 9-140b(c)