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SENATE BILL 645

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, relative to voting.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-9-110, is amended by adding the following new subsection (d):

(d) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, voting equipment and machines must not transmit or receive a ballot, or otherwise be used to cast a ballot, using the internet, except as authorized for members of the military and overseas citizens in accordance with chapter 6, part 5 of this title.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 2, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, a county election commission shall

not accept a post office box (P.O. Box) as a valid residential address for purposes of registering to vote or voting in this state.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-7-115(a), is amended by deleting the second sentence and substituting:

If a registered voter has changed residence to another place inside Tennessee but outside of the county where the voter is registered, the voter must vote in a polling place in accordance with the voter's current residence.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.