

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Original House Bill No. 846 by Representative Marcelle

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "18:101(B)" insert a comma "," and delete the remainder of the line  
 3 and delete line 3 and insert "102(A)(1), 104(C)(1)(b), and 1303(G) and to enact R.S.  
 4 18:171.2, relative to"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 On page 1, line 4, between "voting; to" and "provisions" delete "repeal" and insert, "provide  
 7 for the effectiveness and applicability of certain"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, line 10, after "18:101(B)" insert a comma "," and delete the remainder of the line  
 10 and insert "102(A)(1), 104(C)(1)(b), and 1303(G) are hereby amended and reenacted and  
 11 R.S. 18:171.2 is hereby enacted to read"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 4

13 On page 2, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

14 "§102. Ineligible persons

15 A. No person shall be permitted to register or vote who is:

16 (1)(a)(i) Under an order of imprisonment, as defined in R.S. 18:2, for  
 17 conviction of a felony, except as provided in Item (ii) of this Subparagraph ~~(b) of this~~  
 18 ~~Paragraph.~~

19 ~~(b)~~ (ii) Except as provided in Subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph, a person  
 20 who is under an order of imprisonment for conviction of a felony and who has not  
 21 been incarcerated pursuant to the order within the last five years shall not be  
 22 ineligible to register or vote based on the order.

23 (b) ~~The provisions of Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph are not applicable~~  
 24 ~~or effective if persons who are incarcerated were counted for redistricting purposes~~  
 25 ~~in the preparation of the state legislative districts that are in effect.~~

26 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no person shall be permitted  
 27 to register or vote ~~pursuant to this Section~~ if he is convicted of a felony offense of  
 28 election fraud or any other election offense pursuant to R.S. 18:1461.2 and he is  
 29 under an order of imprisonment.

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31 §104. Application for registration; form

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33 C.(1) The form shall inform the applicant of the penalty for violation of  
 34 applicable laws relating to registration of voters and shall contain an affidavit to be  
 35 subscribed, through a handwritten signature, attesting to each of the following:

36 \* \* \*

37 (b)(i) That the applicant is not currently under an order of imprisonment ~~for~~  
 38 ~~conviction of a felony or, if the applicant is under such an order, that the applicant~~  
 39 ~~has not been incarcerated pursuant to the order within the last five years and he is not~~  
 40 ~~under an order of imprisonment~~ related to a felony conviction pursuant to election  
 41 fraud or any other election offense pursuant to R.S. 18:1461.2.

42 (ii) If the provisions of R.S. 18:102(A)(1)(a) are applicable and effective,  
 43 that the applicant is not currently under an order of imprisonment for conviction of

1 a felony or, if the applicant is under such an order, that the applicant has not been  
2 incarcerated pursuant to the order within the last five years.

3 \* \* \*

4 §171.2. Effectiveness of certain provisions regarding persons under an order of  
5 imprisonment

6 During any period of time that the provisions of R.S. 18:102(A)(1)(a) are not  
7 applicable or effective, for purposes of R.S. 18:171 and 171.1, "felony" refers only  
8 to a felony offense of election fraud or any other election offense pursuant to R.S.  
9 18:1461.2."

10 AMENDMENT NO. 5

11 On page 2, delete lines 23 and 24