April 10, 2001

H 1041. BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS IN SPANISH. *TO REQUIRE THAT BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS BE PRINTED IN SPANISH AS WELL AS ENGLISH.* Amends GS 163-140.2 as title indicates. Requires the State Board of Education to prepare a Spanish translation of ballot instructions for county boards of elections. Effective Jan. 1, 2002.

Intro. by Lucas.

Ref. to Election Law GS 163

April 23, 2001

H 1041. BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS IN SPANISH. Intro. 4/10/01. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Limits bill's requirement (that ballot instructions be printed in Spanish) to counties in which Hispanic population exceeds 6% under the most recent federal decennial census.

June 26, 2001

H 1041. BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS IN SPANISH. Intro. 4/10/01. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Provides that if S 17 of 2001 Session of General Assembly is enacted, then GS 163-140.2 is recodified as GS 163-165.5A. Act effective with respect to all primaries, elections, and referenda held on or after Aug. 1, 2001, and sunsets bill on Jan. 1, 2012.

July 18, 2001

SL 2001-288 (H 1041). BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS IN SPANISH. AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT BALLOT INSTRUCTIONS BE PRINTED IN SPANISH AS WELL AS ENGLISH.

Summarized in Daily Bulletin 4/10/01, 4/23/01, and 6/26/01. Enacted July 18, 2001. Effective with respect to all primaries, elections, and referenda held on or after Aug. 1, 2001. Expires Jan. 1, 2012, unless extended by legislation enacted before that date.