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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
House Bill 908

AMENDMENT NO. 2
(to be filled in by
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Senator Crofford

1 moves to amend the bill on page 8, lines 35-36, by inserting between those lines the following:

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3 "SECTION 16.1(a) G.S. 163-85(c) reads as rewritten:

4 "(c) Grounds for Challenge. – Such challenge may be made only for one or more of the
5 following reasons:

- 6 (1) That a person is not a resident of the State of North Carolina, or
- 7 (2) That a person is not a resident of the county in which the person is
8 registered, provided that no such challenge may be made if the person
9 removed his residency and the period of removal has been less than 30 days,
10 or
- 11 (3) That a person is not a resident of the precinct in which the person is
12 registered, provided that no such challenge may be made if the person
13 removed his residency and the period of removal has been less than 30 days,
14 or
- 15 (4) That a person is not 18 years of age, or if the challenge is made within 60
16 days before a primary, that the person will not be 18 years of age by the next
17 general election, or
- 18 (5) That a person has been adjudged guilty of a felony and is ineligible to vote
19 under G.S. 163-55(2), or
- 20 (6), (7) Repealed by Session Laws 1985, c. 563, ss. 11.1, 11.2.
- 21 (7a) That a person is dead,
- 22 (8) That a person is not a citizen of the United States, or
- 23 (9) With respect to municipal registration only, that a person is not a resident of
24 the municipality in which the person is registered.
- 25 (10) That the person presenting himself to vote is not who he represents himself
26 to be."

27 SECTION 16.1.(b) G.S. 163-87 reads as rewritten:

28 "§ 163-87. Challenges allowed on day of primary or election.

29 On the day of a primary or election, at the time a registered voter offers to vote, any other
30 registered voter of the precinct may exercise the right of challenge, and when he does so may
31 enter the voting enclosure to make the challenge, but he shall retire therefrom as soon as the
32 challenge is heard.



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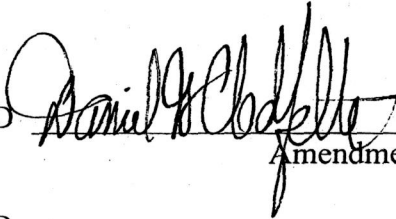
1 On the day of a primary or election, any other registered voter of the precinct may
2 challenge a person for one or more of the following reasons:

- 3 (1) One or more of the reasons listed in G.S. 163-85(c).
4 (2) That the person has already voted in that primary or election.
5 ~~(3) That the person presenting himself to vote is not who he represents himself~~
6 ~~to be.~~
7 (4) If the challenge is made with respect to voting in a partisan primary, that the
8 person is a registered voter of another political party.

9 The chief judge, judge, or assistant appointed under G.S. 163-41 or 163-42 may enter
10 challenges under this section against voters in the precinct for which appointed regardless of
11 the place of residence of the chief judge, judge, or assistant.

12 If a person is challenged under this subsection, and the challenge is sustained under
13 G.S. 163-85(c)(3), the voter may still transfer his registration under G.S. 163-82.15(e) if
14 eligible under that section, and the registration shall not be cancelled under G.S. 163-90.2(a) if
15 the transfer is made. A person who has transferred his registration under G.S. 163-82.15(e) may
16 be challenged at the precinct to which the registration is being transferred."''

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Amendment Sponsor

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