

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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**HOUSE BILL DRH10093-LU-47**

Short Title: Extend Deadline/Certain ID Approval/Voting. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Hawkins and Russell (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE BY WHICH THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
3 IS REQUIRED TO APPROVE THE USE OF CERTAIN FORMS OF IDENTIFICATION  
4 FOR VOTING.  
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
6 **SECTION 1.** Section 1.2(f) of S.L. 2018-144 reads as rewritten:  
7 "**SECTION 1.2.(f)** Notwithstanding G.S. 163A-1145.1, 163A-1145.2, and 163A-1145.3,  
8 the State Board shall approve (i) tribal enrollment cards issued by a tribe recognized by this State  
9 under Chapter 71A of the General Statutes; (ii) student identification cards issued by a constituent  
10 institution of The University of North Carolina, a community college, as defined in  
11 G.S. 115D-2(2), or eligible private postsecondary institution as defined in G.S. 116-280(3); and  
12 (iii) employee identification cards issued by a state or local government entity, including a charter  
13 school, for use as voting identification under G.S. 163A-1145.1 no later than ~~March 15, 2019,~~  
14 September 15, 2019, for use in primaries and elections held in 2019 and 2020, and again no later  
15 than May 15, 2021, for elections held on or after that date. The State Board shall adopt temporary  
16 rules on reasonable security measures for use of student or employee identification cards for  
17 voting identification in G.S. 163A-1145.2 and G.S. 163A-1145.3 no later than February 1, 2019.  
18 The State Board shall adopt permanent rules on reasonable security measures for use of student  
19 or employee identification cards for voting identification in G.S. 163A-1145.2 and  
20 G.S. 163A-1145.3 no later than May 15, 2021. The State Board shall produce the initial list of  
21 participating institutions and employing entities no later than April 1, 2019."  
22 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

