

BY: Commerce and Government Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 293

(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, in line 3, after "sought" insert ", EXCEPT THAT FOR ANY OFFICE FOR WHICH ELECTION IS SOUGHT UNDER THIS SECTION, THE PETITIONS SHALL BE SIGNED BY AT LEAST 250 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE FOR THE OFFICE FOR WHICH ELECTION AT THE GENERAL ELECTION IS SOUGHT".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 26, after "(2)" insert "(I)"; and in the same line strike "In" and substitute "SUBJECT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, IN".

On page 2, after line 29, insert:

"(II) IF 1% OF THE REGISTERED VOTERS WHO ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE FOR THE OFFICE FOR WHICH THE NOMINATION BY PETITION IS SOUGHT IS LESS THAN 250 INDIVIDUALS, THE NAME OF A PROPOSED CANDIDATE MAY NOT BE PLACED ON THE BALLOT UNDER THIS SECTION UNLESS THE PROPOSED CANDIDATE FILES PETITIONS SIGNED BY AT LEAST 250 REGISTERED VOTERS WHO ARE REGISTERED TO VOTE FOR THE OFFICE FOR WHICH NOMINATION BY PETITION IS SOUGHT."