

HB 0067 - 1/24/25 – Testimony in SUPPORT of Absentee Ballots - Signature Requirements and Verification

As an Observer of the Kent County Canvasses of Mail in Ballots in both the 2024 Primary and General Elections, I witnessed the Election Board's procedure in counting Mail In Ballots.

Ballots are checked for a signature, however there is no signature verification done on the ballot.

There is also no signature verification done on the application for a mail ballot.

At a minimum the signature on both documents should be verified to each other or to an appropriate data base of signatures.

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