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SB0132 Election Law - Affiliating With a Party and Voting - Unaffiliated Voters

UNFAVORABLE

We have a two-party system. If voters want to support a particular candidate they need to join that party before the stated deadline prior to each election. Allowing unaffiliated voters to decide the day of early voting creates an atmosphere where a person can be bullied or forced into voting one way. Either voters espouse the platform of the Republican or Democrat Party and register accordingly or they wait until the election in November to express their choice. unaffiliated means unaffiliated to a party and not involved in either party's choice of a candidate in a primary.

I request an UNFAVORABLE vote.