

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 444

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 12, by inserting after "for" where
2 it occurs the first time
3 manner of signing nomination petitions and time of circulating,
4 for

5 Amend Bill, page 1, line 13, by inserting after "primaries"
6 and for nominations by political bodies

7 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 16 through 18, by striking out all
8 of said lines and inserting

9 Section 1. Sections 908, 912.1 and 951(c) of the act of June
10 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election
11 Code, are amended to read:

12 Section 908. Manner of Signing Nomination Petitions; Time of
13 Circulating.--Each signer of a nomination petition shall sign
14 but one such petition for each office to be filled, and shall
15 declare therein that he is a registered and enrolled member of
16 the party designated in such petition: Provided, however, That
17 where there are to be elected two or more persons to the same
18 office, each signer may sign petitions for as many candidates
19 for such office as, and no more than, he could vote for at the
20 succeeding election. He shall also declare therein that he is a
21 qualified elector of the county therein named, and in case the
22 nomination is not to be made or candidates are not to be elected
23 by the electors of the State at large, of the political district
24 therein named, in which the nomination is to be made or the
25 election is to be held. He shall add his [residence] address
26 where he is duly registered and enrolled, giving city, borough
27 or township, with street and number, if any, and shall legibly
28 print his name and add the date of signing, expressed in words
29 or numbers: Provided, however, That if the said political
30 district named in the petition lies wholly within any city,
31 borough or township, or is coextensive with same, it shall not
32 be necessary for any signer of a nomination petition to state
33 therein the city, borough or township of his residence. No
34 nomination petition shall be circulated prior to the thirteenth
35 Tuesday before the primary, and no signature shall be counted

1 unless it bears a date affixed not earlier than the thirteenth
2 Tuesday nor later than the tenth Tuesday prior to the primary.

3 Amend Bill, page 4, by inserting between lines 11 and 12

4 Section 951. Nominations by Political Bodies.--* * *

5 (c) Each person signing a nomination paper shall declare
6 therein that he is a qualified elector of the State or district,
7 as the case may be, and shall add to his signature his legibly
8 printed name and [residence] address where he is duly registered
9 and enrolled, giving city, borough or township, with street and
10 number, if any, and shall also add the date of signing,
11 expressed in words or numbers: Provided, however, That if said
12 political district named in the papers lies wholly within any
13 city, borough or township, or is coextensive with same, it shall
14 not be necessary for any signer of a paper to state therein the
15 city, borough or township of his residence. No elector shall
16 sign more than one nomination paper for each office to be
17 filled, unless there are two or more persons to be elected to
18 the same office, in which case he may sign nomination papers for
19 as many candidates for such office as, and no more than, he
20 could vote for at the succeeding election. More than one
21 candidate may be nominated by one nomination paper and
22 candidates for more than one office may be nominated by one
23 nomination paper: Provided, That each political body nominating
24 does not nominate more candidates than there are offices to be
25 voted for at the ensuing election: And provided, That all the
26 signers on each nomination paper are qualified to vote for all
27 the candidates nominated therein.

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