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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 1883 Session of  
2023

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INTRODUCED BY R. MACKENZIE, GROVE, HAMM, JAMES, KAUFFMAN,  
KEEFER, M. MACKENZIE, OWLETT, ROWE AND ZIMMERMAN,  
DECEMBER 6, 2023

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, DECEMBER 6, 2023

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), entitled  
2 "An act concerning elections, including general, municipal,  
3 special and primary elections, the nomination of candidates,  
4 primary and election expenses and election contests; creating  
5 and defining membership of county boards of elections;  
6 imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth,  
7 courts, county boards of elections, county commissioners;  
8 imposing penalties for violation of the act, and codifying,  
9 revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto; and  
10 repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating to  
11 elections," in county boards of elections, further providing  
12 for powers and duties of county boards.

13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
14 hereby enacts as follows:

15 Section 1. Section 302 of the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333,  
16 No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, is amended by  
17 adding a subsection to read:

18 Section 302. Powers and Duties of County Boards.--The county  
19 boards of elections, within their respective counties, shall  
20 exercise, in the manner provided by this act, all powers granted  
21 to them by this act, and shall perform all the duties imposed  
22 upon them by this act, which shall include the following:

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2 (g) To enter into an agreement with the Unified Judicial  
3 System of Pennsylvania to receive a record of any county  
4 resident who claims ineligibility for service as a juror under  
5 42 Pa.C.S. § 4502 (relating to qualifications of jurors) and to  
6 investigate the registration status of any registered elector  
7 who claimed ineligibility to serve as a juror on the basis of a  
8 lack of citizenship.

9 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.