

E AND R AMENDMENTS TO LB 271

Introduced by Murante, 49, Chairman Enrollment and Review

1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments
2 thereto and insert the following new sections:

3 Section 1. Section 32-808, Revised Statutes Cumulative
4 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:

5 32-808 (1) Except as otherwise provided in section
6 32-939.02, ballots for early voting and ~~applications to be~~
7 mailed pursuant to section 32-941 shall be ready for delivery
8 to registered voters at least thirty-five days prior to each
9 statewide primary or general election and at least fifteen days
10 prior to all other elections.

11 (2) The election commissioner or county clerk shall not
12 ~~forward mail or issue~~ any ballot for early voting if the election
13 to which such ballot pertains has already been held.

14 ~~(2)~~ (3) The election commissioner or county clerk shall
15 publish in a newspaper of general circulation in the county an
16 application form to be used by registered voters in making an
17 application for a ballot for early voting after the ballots become
18 available. The publication of the application shall not be required
19 if the election is held by mail pursuant to sections 32-952 to
20 32-959.

21 Sec. 2. Section 32-933, Reissue Revised Statutes of
22 Nebraska, is amended to read:

23 32-933 (1) Any person listed in this subsection shall be

1 eligible as a new resident to vote for President and Vice President
2 of the United States at the statewide general election but for no
3 other offices:

4 (a) Any citizen of the United States who is at least
5 the constitutionally prescribed age of a voter and who comes into
6 Nebraska after the voter registration period is closed pursuant to
7 section 32-302 for the purpose of making Nebraska his or her place
8 of residence; and

9 (b) Any registered voter who moves from one county
10 to another county within Nebraska after the close of the voter
11 registration period.

12 (2) Any registered voter who moves from Nebraska to
13 another state or to the District of Columbia for the purpose of
14 making such new location his or her place of residence after the
15 close of the voter registration period for such location shall
16 be eligible as a former resident to vote for President and Vice
17 President of the United States at the statewide general election
18 but for no other offices.

19 (3) Any person described in subsection (1) of this
20 section shall cast his or her ballot in the office of the election
21 commissioner or county clerk at any time between the close of the
22 voter registration period and the close of the polls on election
23 day. Such ballots shall be available after the close of the voter
24 registration period. Ballots for former residents under subsection
25 (2) of this section shall be available ~~thirty-five~~ thirty days
26 prior to the election. The ballots may be voted in the office
27 of the election commissioner or county clerk at any time between

1 ~~thirty-five~~ thirty days prior to the election and the close of
2 the polls on election day, or the ballots may be mailed to the
3 office and counted if they arrive before the close of the polls on
4 election day.

5 Sec. 3. Section 32-942, Revised Statutes Cumulative
6 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:

7 32-942 Any registered voter of this state who anticipates
8 being absent from the county of his or her residence on the day
9 of any election ~~but who is present in the county after ballots are~~
10 ~~available~~ may appear in person before the election commissioner or
11 county clerk not more than thirty days prior to the day of election
12 and obtain his or her ballot. The registered voter shall vote in
13 the office of the election commissioner or county clerk or shall
14 return the ballot to the office not later than the closing of the
15 polls on the day of the election. A registered voter who is present
16 in the county on the day of the election and who chooses to vote
17 on the day of the election shall vote at the polling place assigned
18 to the precinct in which he or she resides unless he or she is
19 returning a ballot for early voting or voting pursuant to section
20 32-943.

21 Sec. 4. Original section 32-933, Reissue Revised Statutes
22 of Nebraska, and sections 32-808 and 32-942, Revised Statutes
23 Cumulative Supplement, 2012, are repealed.