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## **HOUSE BILL No. 4779**

July 14, 2015, Introduced by Reps. Moss, Sarah Roberts, Durhal, Hoadley, Pagan, Chang, Geiss, Zemke, Guerra, Wittenberg, Yanez, Greig, Singh, Irwin and Kivela and referred to the Committee on Elections.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law,"

by amending section 509t (MCL 168.509t), as amended by 2004 PA 92.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 509t. (1) Notwithstanding another provision of law to the contrary, a person who is a qualified elector in this state and who registers to vote in a manner consistent with the national voter registration act of 1993 is considered a registered voter under this act.
  - (2) A person who registers to vote in a jurisdiction in this state by mail shall vote in person and shall provide identification as required under section 303(b) of the help America vote act of 2002, 42 USC 15483, if that person has not previously voted in person in this state. This subsection does not apply to any of the following registered voters:

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- 1 (a) A person entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the
- 2 uniformed and overseas citizens absentee voting act.
- 3 (b) A person who has WITH a disability as defined in section
- 4 103 of the persons with disabilities civil rights act, 1976 PA 220,
- 5 MCL 37.1103. , or, for purposes of voting in person only, a person
- 6 who is 60 years of age or older.
- 7 (c) A person who is entitled to vote other than in person
- 8 under any other federal law.
- 9 (D) AS TO THE REQUIREMENT TO VOTE IN PERSON ONLY, ANY OTHER
- 10 PERSON WHO IS ENTITLED TO VOTE AS AN ABSENT VOTER AS DEFINED UNDER
- 11 SECTION 758.
- 12 (3) This section does not preclude this state from prosecuting
- 13 a violation of this act that is also a violation of a federal
- 14 election or voting rights law.
- 15 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 16 after the date it is enacted into law.