LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 787

Introduced by Morfeld, 46; Murante, 49. Read first time January 07, 2016 Committee:

- A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend section 32-1527,
 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to allow a voter to photograph
 and reveal a marked ballot as prescribed; and to repeal the original
 section.
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Section 1. Section 32-1527, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
 amended to read:

3 32-1527 (1) No voter shall receive an official ballot from any
4 person other than a judge of election, and no person other than a judge
5 of election shall deliver an official ballot to a voter.

6 (2) No voter shall vote or offer to vote any ballot except an 7 official ballot received from a judge of election.

8 (3) No voter shall place any mark upon an official ballot by which 9 it may afterwards be identified as the one voted by him or her.

10 (4) No person shall solicit a voter to show his or her ballot after it is marked to any person in such a way as to reveal the contents 11 12 thereof or the name of the candidate or candidates for whom he or she has marked his or her vote. This subsection does not prohibit a voter from 13 voluntarily photographing his or her ballot after it is marked and 14 revealing such photograph in a manner that allows the photograph to be 15 viewed by another person , and no person shall solicit a voter to show 16 17 the same.

18 (5) No person other than a judge of election shall receive from a
 19 voter an official ballot prepared for voting.

20 (6) Any person violating this section shall be guilty of a Class V21 misdemeanor.

22 Sec. 2. Original section 32-1527, Reissue Revised Statutes of 23 Nebraska, is repealed.

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