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HOUSE BILL 965

By Love

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 2, relative to first time voters.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-2-115(b)(7)(B), is amended by adding the following as a new subdivision:

A person requesting an absentee ballot who provides satisfactory proof of identity in accordance with rules promulgated by the coordinator of elections, which must include, but not be limited to, a color photograph of the voter holding the voter's acceptable photo identification.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.