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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 2446

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 2446 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing
5 Section 3-6 as follows:

6 (10 ILCS 5/3-6)

7 Sec. 3-6. Voting and registration age.

8 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person
9 who is 17 years old on the date of a caucus, general primary
10 election, or consolidated primary election and who is
11 otherwise qualified to vote is qualified to vote at that
12 caucus, general primary, or consolidated primary, including
13 voting a vote by mail, grace period, or early voting ballot
14 with respect to that general primary or consolidated primary,
15 if that person will be 18 years old on the date of the
16 immediately following general election or consolidated

1 election for which candidates are nominated at that primary.

2 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person
3 who is otherwise qualified to vote may preregister to vote on
4 or after that person's 16th birthday, with the registration
5 held in abeyance by the State Board of Elections until that
6 individual attains the required age to vote. Preregistration
7 under this subsection (b) shall be completed using the online
8 voter registration system, as provided in Section 1A-16.5, or
9 an electronic voter registration portal with an automatic
10 voter registration agency, as provided in Section 1A-16.7.

11 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an
12 individual who is 17 years of age, will be 18 years of age on
13 the date of the immediately following general or consolidated
14 election, and is otherwise qualified to vote shall be deemed
15 eligible to circulate a nominating petition or a petition
16 proposing a public question.

17 (d) For the purposes of this Code, a person who is 16 years
18 of age or older shall be deemed competent to execute and attest
19 to any voter registration forms.

20 (e) References in this Code and elsewhere to the
21 requirement that a person must be 18 years old to vote shall be
22 interpreted in accordance with this Section.

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24 ~~years of age and who will be 18 years of age on the date of the~~
25 ~~general or consolidated election shall be deemed competent to~~
26 ~~execute and attest to any voter registration forms. An~~

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5 ~~proposing a public question.~~

6 (Source: P.A. 99-722, eff. 8-5-16; 100-201, eff. 8-18-17.)".