



**94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**State of Illinois**  
**2005 and 2006**  
**SB0227**

Introduced 2/2/2005, by Sen. Edward D. Maloney

**SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:**

10 ILCS 5/4-105 new  
10 ILCS 5/5-105 new  
10 ILCS 5/6-105 new

Amends the Election Code. Requires election authorities to accept the pre-registration of 16 and 17-year-old residents of the election jurisdiction who, but for age, are otherwise qualified to vote.

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1 AN ACT concerning elections.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Election Code is amended by adding Sections  
5 4-105, 5-105, and 6-105 as follows:

6 (10 ILCS 5/4-105 new)

7 Sec. 4-105. Voter pre-registration. Notwithstanding any  
8 other provisions of this Code to the contrary, each election  
9 authority shall accept the pre-registration of any 16-year-old  
10 or 17-year-old resident of the election jurisdiction who is,  
11 but for age, otherwise qualified to vote. Each election  
12 authority shall by rule provide for the implementation of this  
13 Section.

14 (10 ILCS 5/5-105 new)

15 Sec. 5-105. Voter pre-registration. Notwithstanding any  
16 other provisions of this Code to the contrary, each election  
17 authority shall accept the pre-registration of any 16-year-old  
18 or 17-year-old resident of the election jurisdiction who is,  
19 but for age, otherwise qualified to vote. Each election  
20 authority shall by rule provide for the implementation of this  
21 Section.

22 (10 ILCS 5/6-105 new)

23 Sec. 6-105. Voter pre-registration. Notwithstanding any  
24 other provisions of this Code to the contrary, each election  
25 authority shall accept the pre-registration of any 16-year-old  
26 or 17-year-old resident of the election jurisdiction who is,  
27 but for age, otherwise qualified to vote. Each election  
28 authority shall by rule provide for the implementation of this  
29 Section.