

HOUSE _____ **AMENDMENT NO.** _____

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1 House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1869, Page 2 , Section 116.090, Line 2, by
2 inserting after the word “petition” the following: “with the intent to alter the outcome”; and

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4 Further amend said Section, Page 2, Line 9, by inserting after the phrase: “both.” on said line the
5 following:

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7 “Nothing in this section shall prohibit a person from signing his or her name to a petition that he
8 or she had previously signed as a sponsoring signatory under section 116.333.”; and

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10 Further amend said bill, Section 116.115, Page 3, Line 1 by deleting from said line the phrase
11 “petition to” and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase “sample sheet to or files an initiative petition
12 with”; and

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14 Further amend said Section, Page 3, Lines 3-5 by deleting said lines and inserting in lieu thereof
15 the following:

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17 “secretary of state, the proposed petition shall no longer be circulated by any person, committee,
18 or other entity. The secretary of state shall vacate the certification of the official ballot title within
19 three days of receiving notice of withdrawl.”; and

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21 Further amend said bill, Section 116.153, Page 4, Line 3 by deleting from said line the phrase: “an
22 informational public hearing in Jefferson City to take the public testimony of those in support and
23 in opposition to the contents of the petition” and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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25 “a public hearing in Jefferson City to take public comment concerning the proposed measure”;
26 and

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28 Further amend said bill, Section 116.332, Page 4, Lines 13-18, by deleting all of said lines and

1 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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3 “2. Within two days of receipt of any such sample sheet, the secretary of state shall conspicuously
4 post the text of the proposed measure on its website, a disclaimer stating that such text may not
5 constitute the full and correct text as required under section 116.050, and the name of the person
6 or organization submitting the sample sheet. The posting shall be removed within three days of
7 either the withdraw of a petition under section 116.115 or when a petition is rejected for any
8 reason. The secretary of state’s failure to comply with this section shall be considered a violation
9 under subsection 3 of section 610.027.”; and

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11 Further amend said bill, Section 116.333, Page 5, Line 8 by deleting the phrase “section 116.332”
12 on said line and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase: “sections 116.040 and 116.332”; and

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14 Further amend said section, Page 5, Line 9 by deleting the word “also” on said line; and

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16 Further amend said Bill, Section 116.334, Page 6, Line 4 by inserting after the phrase “sample
17 petition” on said line the following:

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19 “and make such initial certification and the date of such initial certification”; and

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21 Further amend said Section, Page 6, Lines 6 and 7 by deleting from said lines the phrase “sample
22 petition is made available on the secretary of state’s website” and inserting in lieu thereof the
23 phrase: “petition is initially certified”; and

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25 Further amend said Section, Page 6, Line 9 by enclosing in brackets the word “ten” on said line
26 and inserting immediately thereafter the following: “twenty-three”; and

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28 Further amend said Section, Page 6, Line 9 by inserting after the word “such” on said line the
29 word: “initial”; and

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31 Further amend said Section, Page 6, Line 19 by inserting after all of said line the following:

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33 “Section B. The provisions of this act are severable. If any provision of this act is found by a
34 court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional, the remaining provisions are valid except to
35 the extent that the court finds the valid provisions, standing alone, are incomplete and are
36 incapable of being executed in accordance with the will of the people.”; and

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Further amend said bill by re-designating the lettered sections in accordance with this amendment;
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Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
accordingly.