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**FORM 1 -- NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING OR COMMENT PERIOD ON A PROPOSED RULE
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RULE TYPE	Legislative	AMENDMENT TO EXISTING RULE	Yes
RULE NAME	Elimination of Precinct Registration Books		TITLE-SERIES 153-09

CITE AUTHORITY 3-2-21

COMMENTS LIMITED TO
Written

DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING

LOCATION OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD ENDS
Tuesday, June 30, 2015 12:00 PM

WRITTEN COMMENTS MAY BE MAILED TO
Dave Nichols
1900 Kanawha Blvd E
Bldg 1 Ste 157-K
Charleston, WV 25313

BY CHOOSING 'YES', I ATTEST THAT THE PREVIOUS STATEMENTS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT.

Yes
Natalie E Tennant -- By my signature, I certify that I am the person authorized to file legislative rules, in accordance with West Virginia Code §29A-3-11 and §39A-3-2.



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PROVIDE A BRIEF SUMMARY OF YOUR PROPOSAL

Because all counties have now fulfilled the provisions of this rule, it is obsolete. The rule is proposed for repeal.

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Yes

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PRIMARY CONTACT

Dave Nichols
ADDRESS LINE 1
ADDRESS LINE 2
CITY, STATE ZIP

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SUMMARIZE IN A CLEAR AND CONCISE MANNER WHAT IMPACT THIS MEASURE WILL HAVE ON COSTS AND REVENUES OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

The proposed repeal will have no impact on the costs or revenues of state government.

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FISCAL NOTE DETAIL -- SHOW OVER-ALL EFFECT IN ITEM 1 AND 2 AND, IN ITEM 3, GIVE AN EXPLANATION OF BREAKDOWN BY FISCAL YEAR, INCLUDING LONG-RANGE EFFECT.

Effect Of Proposal	Current Increase/Decrease (use ' - ')	Next Increase/Decrease (use ' - ')	Fiscal Year (Upon Full Implementation)
ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	0	0	0
PERSONAL SERVICES	0	0	0
CURRENT EXPENSES	0	0	0
REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS	0	0	0
ASSETS	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0
ESTIMATED TOTAL REVENUES	0	0	0

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3. EXPLANATION OF ABOVE ESTIMATES (INCLUDING LONG-RANGE EFFECT). PLEASE INCLUDE ANY INCREASE OR DECREASE IN FEES IN YOUR ESTIMATED TOTAL REVENUES.

Because all counties have complied with the provisions of the rule, there will be no impact on costs or revenues caused by the rule's repeal.

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PLEASE IDENTIFY ANY AREAS OF VAGUENESS, TECHNICAL DEFECTS, REASONS THE PROPOSED RULE WOULD NOT HAVE A FISCAL IMPACT, AND OR ANY SPECIAL ISSUES NOT CAPTURED ELSEWHERE ON THIS FORM.

Because all counties have complied with the provisions of the rule, there will be no impact on costs or revenues caused by the rule's repeal.

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FORM 12 -- BRIEF SUMMARY AND STATEMENT OF CIRCUMSTANCES (Page 1)

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SUMMARIZE IN A CLEAR AND CONCISE MANNER CONTENTS OF CHANGES IN RULE AND STATEMENT OF CIRCUMSTANCES REQUIRING THE RULE.

Because all counties have complied with the provisions of the rule, it has become obsolete. The rule is proposed for repeal.

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Yes
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TITLE 153
LEGISLATIVE RULE
SECRETARY OF STATE

SERIES 9
ELIMINATION OF PRECINCT REGISTRATION BOOKS

~~§153-9-1. General.~~

~~1.1. Scope. — This rule provides for implementation of state law relating to the maintenance of state voter registration records.~~

~~1.2. Authority. — W. Va. Code §3-2-21.~~

~~1.3. Filing Date. — April 25, 2000.~~

~~1.4. Effective Date. — June 12, 2000.~~

~~§153-9-2. Definitions.~~

~~2.1. "State Uniform Data System" means a uniform software program and system of digitized electronic storage of voter registration records.~~

~~2.2. "Precinct Registration Books" means the hard cover books which contain the voter registration records.~~

~~§153-9-3. Elimination of Separate Precinct Registration Books.~~

~~A county may eliminate precinct registrations books after it has officially adopted the State Uniform Data System.~~

~~3.2. The State Uniform Data System shall contain the following information for each voter:~~

~~3.2.1. first, middle and last name; and,~~

~~3.2.2. residence address including city, county, number and street or RFD and Zip number;~~

~~3.2.3. mailing address, if any;~~

~~3.2.4. date of birth;~~

~~3.2.5. gender;~~

~~3.2.6. last four numbers of social security number;~~

~~3.2.7. party affiliation;~~

~~3.2.8. registration number;~~

~~3.2.9. precinct number;~~

~~3.2.10. date of registration;~~

~~3.2.11. record of name, address and party changes;~~

~~3.2.12. voting record; and~~

~~3.2.13. voter's signature.~~

~~3.3. The county may use State Uniform Voter Data System voter records as precinct registration records after they have been approved by the secretary of state.~~

~~3.4. When the State Uniform Voter Data System is adopted and is in successful use, the county clerk may apply to eliminate the use of precinct registration books by applying in writing to the secretary of state. The written request shall include:~~

~~3.4.1. the vendor and the name of the State Uniform Voter Data used by the county; and,~~

~~3.4.2. a certified copy of an actual voter record which includes the information required under subsection 3.2. of this section.~~