

ADOPTED SENATE

The Senate offered the following amendment:

Amend HB 997 by inserting after "Annotated;" on line 7 on page 1 "to change the forms of identification authorized to identify electors at the polls;" and by redesignating Sections 2 and 3 as Sections 3 and 4, respectively, and by inserting after line 3 on page 2 the following:

"SECTION 2.

Said title is further amended by striking Code Section 21-2-417, relating to presentation of identification to poll workers, and inserting in lieu thereof a new Code Section 21-2-417 to read as follows:

'21-2-417.

(a) Each elector shall present proper identification to a poll worker at or prior to completion of a voter's certificate at any polling place and prior to such person's admission to the enclosed space at such polling place. Proper identification shall consist of any one of the following:

(1) A valid Georgia driver's license;

(2) A valid identification card containing a photograph of the elector and issued by a branch, department, agency, or entity of the State of Georgia, any other state, or the United States authorized by law to issue personal identification;

(3) A valid United States passport;

(4) A valid employee identification card containing a photograph of the elector and issued by any branch, department, agency, or entity of the United States government, this state, or any county, municipality, board, authority, or other entity of this state;

(5) A valid employee identification card containing a photograph of the elector and issued by any employer of the elector in the ordinary course of such employer's business;

(6) A valid student identification card containing a photograph of the elector from any public or private college, university, or postgraduate technical or professional school located within the State of Georgia; or

~~(7) A valid Georgia license to carry a pistol or revolver;~~

~~(8) A valid pilot's license issued by the Federal Aviation Administration or other authorized agency of the United States;~~

~~(9)~~(7) A valid United States military identification card containing a photograph of the elector;

~~(10) A certified copy of the elector's birth certificate;~~

~~(11) A valid social security card;~~

1 ~~(12) Certified naturalization documentation; or~~

2 ~~(13) A certified copy of court records showing adoption, name, or sex change.~~

3 ~~(b) If an elector is unable to produce any of the items of identification listed in~~
4 ~~subsection (a) of this Code section, he or she shall sign a statement under oath in a form~~
5 ~~approved by the Secretary of State, separate and distinct from the elector's voter certificate,~~
6 ~~swearing or affirming that he or she is the person identified on the elector's voter~~
7 ~~certificate. Such person shall be allowed to vote without undue delay. Falsely swearing~~
8 ~~or affirming such statement under oath shall be punishable as a felony, and the penalty~~
9 ~~shall be distinctly set forth on the face of the statement."~~