



Sen. Terry Link

**Filed: 5/18/2016**

09900HB6167sam003

LRB099 20613 MLM 48881 a

1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 6167

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 6167 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing  
5 Sections 3-1.2 and 3-6 and by adding Sections 4-8.5, 5-8.5, and  
6 6-35.5 as follows:

7 (10 ILCS 5/3-6)

8 Sec. 3-6. Voting age. Notwithstanding any other provision  
9 of law, a person who is 17 years old on the date of a caucus,  
10 general primary election, or consolidated primary election and  
11 who is 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       References in this Code and elsewhere to the requirement  
3 that a person must be 18 years old to vote shall be interpreted  
4 in accordance with this Section.

5       For the purposes of this Act, an individual who is 17 years  
6 of age and who will be 18 years of age on the date of the  
7 general or consolidated election shall be deemed competent to  
8 execute and attest to any voter registration forms. An  
9 individual who is 17 years of age, will be 18 years of age on  
10 the date of the immediately following general or consolidated  
11 election, and is otherwise qualified to vote shall be deemed  
12 eligible to circulate a nominating petition or a petition  
13 proposing a public question

14 (Source: P.A. 98-51, eff. 1-1-14; 98-1171, eff. 6-1-15.)

15       (10 ILCS 5/4-8.5 new)

16       Sec. 4-8.5. Deputy registrar eligibility. Unless otherwise  
17 provided by law, an individual that is 17 years old or older  
18 who is registered to vote in this State shall be eligible to  
19 serve as a deputy registrar.

20       (10 ILCS 5/5-8.5 new)

21       Sec. 5-8.5. Deputy registrar eligibility. Unless otherwise  
22 provided by law, an individual that is 17 years old or older  
23 who is registered to vote in this State shall be eligible to  
24 serve as a deputy registrar.

1 (10 ILCS 5/6-35.5 new)

2 Sec. 6-35.5. Deputy registrar eligibility. Unless  
3 otherwise provided by law, an individual that is 17 years old  
4 or older who is registered to vote in this State shall be  
5 eligible to serve as a deputy registrar."

6 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
7 becoming law."