

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**

A Bill

ACT 561 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1070

4 **By: Representatives Dietz, Mahony, Flanagin, Stewart, Willems, Beatty, Parkerson, Pryor,**
5 ***Argue and Bisbee***

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 9 OF AMENDMENT 51 TO THE ARKANSAS
10 CONSTITUTION IS AMENDED TO REQUIRE A PERSON REGISTERING TO
11 VOTE TO IDENTIFY HIMSELF BY PRESENTING A DRIVER'S LICENSE,
12 BIRTH CERTIFICATE OR SOCIAL SECURITY CARD TO THE COUNTY
13 CLERK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

16 "TO REQUIRE A PERSON REGISTERING TO VOTE TO PROVE HIS
17 IDENTITY."

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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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21 SECTION 1. Section 9 of Amendment 51 to the Arkansas Constitution is
22 amended by adding subsection (g) to the end thereof as follows:

23 "(g) No person may register to vote unless he identifies himself to the
24 county clerk by presenting a driver's license, identification card issued
25 under Arkansas Code 27-16-805, certified birth certificate or social security
26 card. A person who does not have a driver_s license, certified birth
27 certificate or social security card may identify himself to the county clerk
28 by presenting two witnesses who have the required identification to attest to
29 his identity."

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31 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
32 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
33 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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35 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
36 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect

1 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
2 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
3 act are declared to be severable.

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5 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
6 hereby repealed.

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/s/James G. Dietz, et al

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