

Rules Status Report

Act 980 -- This Act protects domestic violence victims' voter registration information, amends the duties of the Secretary of State, and amends Arkansas election procedure. The Act requires the Secretary of State to implement the process by which a registered voter, who is the victim of domestic violence, may request secure voter status from the county clerks. This shall include the administrative process a county clerk shall use to verify eligibility for secure voter status; the documentation required for domestic violence victims to be approved for secure voter status; the format in which the county clerk shall maintain any address of all registered voters listed on the voter registration roll when the registered voter has a secure voter status; and the process for complying with a post-election challenge involving a secure voter.

The promulgation will consist of new rules. As of the date of this report, the rules are currently pending review. It is anticipated that a public hearing will be held within the next 30-60 days.

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