

**Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.**

1 State of Arkansas  
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3 Regular Session, 2001  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2010

5 By: Representative King  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 7-5-317 CONCERNING THE  
10 PROCESSING AND DELIVERY OF ELECTION MATERIALS; AND  
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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15 OF ELECTION MATERIALS.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 7-5-317 is amended to read as follows:

22 7-5-317. Processing and delivery of election materials.

23 (a) After the count of the ballots is completed, all of the election  
24 returns shall be processed and delivered in the following manner:

25 (1) The list-of-voters form, precinct voter registration list,  
26 voter registration application forms, and other recordkeeping supplies shall  
27 be delivered to the county clerk;

28 (2) Certificates of election results and tally sheets:

29 (A) One (1) copy of the certificate of election results  
30 shall be posted in a conspicuous place outside the polling site immediately  
31 after the ballots are counted;

32 (B) One (1) copy of the certificate of election results  
33 with one (1) copy of the tally sheets shall be delivered to the county clerk;  
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35 (C) One (1) copy of the certificate of election results  
36 shall be returned with one (1) copy of the tally sheets and reports of

1 challenges of voters, if any, to the county board of election commissioners;

2 (3) Ballots:

3 (A) The election officials shall securely envelope the  
4 voted ballots separately from the unused ballots and place the ballots in a  
5 container with a numbered seal and then deliver the ballots with the tally  
6 sheets and other election materials to the county board; and

7 (B) All cancelled ballots shall be preserved separately  
8 from the other ballots and returned to the county board;

9 (4) Stub boxes: Sealed stub boxes shall be delivered to the  
10 county treasurer for storage.

11 (b) All of the election materials and returns shall be delivered to  
12 the county board by the election officials ~~within twenty-four (24) hours~~  
13 immediately after the polls close.

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