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HOUSE BILL No. 4434

March 12, 2013, Introduced by Reps. Brinks, Ananich, LaVoy, Faris, Smiley, Knezek, Brunner, Brown, Segal, Barnett, Hovey-Wright, Roberts, Banks, McCann, Townsend, Dillon, Switalski, Yanez, Kosowski, Hobbs, Driskell, Tlaib, Lamonte, Cavanagh, Kandrevas, Schor, Slavens, Lipton and Abed and referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law,"

by amending section 161 (MCL 168.161), as amended by 1999 PA 218.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 161. (1) A person shall—IS not be—eligible to—FOR the office of state senator or representative unless the person is a citizen of the United States and a registered and qualified elector of the district he or she represents by—FOR AT LEAST 60 DAYS PRIOR TO the filing deadline, as provided in section 7 of article 4—IV of the state constitution of 1963.

(2) A person who has been convicted of a violation of section 12a(1) of 1941 PA 370, MCL 38.412a, shall—IS not be—eligible to—FOR the office of state senator or representative for a period of 20 years after conviction.

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- 1 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 2 unless Senate Joint Resolution ____ or House Joint Resolution P
- 3 (request no. 01804'13 a) of the 97th Legislature becomes a part of
- 4 the state constitution of 1963 as provided in section 1 of article
- 5 XII of the state constitution of 1963.

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