HOUSE BILL NO. 4678

May 24, 2019, Introduced by Rep. Yaroch and referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

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

by amending section 683 (MCL 168.683), as amended by 2018 PA 120.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 683. Each county clerk before each primary and electionshall, by some reliable means, notify the clerk of each township
- 3 and city in the county of a training school for election inspectors
- 4 to be held at a place designated by the county clerk within 20 days
- 5 before each primary, general, and special election. The township





- 1 and city clerks shall notify each election inspector appointed to
- 2 serve at that election of the time and place of the training
- 3 school. At the meeting, the county clerk shall instruct and
- 4 demonstrate the manner in which the duties of election inspectors
- 5 are required by law to be performed. It is the duty of the **election**
- 6 inspectors, so notified, to attend the meeting unless excused by
- 7 the county clerk for good cause. Compensation may be paid to them
- 8 by their respective municipalities at a rate as determined by the
- 9 governing bodies. An election inspector shall not serve in any
- 10 election unless he or she has within the last preceding 2 years
- 11 either attended an election school or has passed satisfactorily an
- 12 examination given by the election commission of the city or
- 13 township in which appointed. The examination is subject to the
- 14 approval of the secretary of state. This section does not prevent
- 15 the appointment of an election inspector to fill a vacancy. This
- 16 section does not prohibit any city or any township having a
- 17 population of 10,000-1,000 or more from conducting its own training
- 18 school for election inspectors of that city or township. If a city
- 19 or township conducts its own training school, election inspectors
- 20 who attend a city or township training school are not required to
- 21 attend the county training school.

