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County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #24134

TO: All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters

FROM: /s/ Robbie Anderson
Elections Counsel

RE: Regulations: Voter Registration

The Secretary of State has submitted proposed regulations to the Office of Administrative Law which provide updates to existing regulations pertaining to postal registration of voters and overseas citizens registration and voting.

Written Comment Period: June 28, 2024 – August 12, 2024

Any interested person, or their authorized representative, may submit written comments pertaining to the text of the proposed regulations. The Secretary of State will accept written comments on the proposed regulations from June 28, 2024, to August 12, 2024. The Secretary of State will consider only comments received at the Secretary of State's office by that date. No hearing date has been scheduled; however, any interested person, or their authorized representative, can submit a written request for a public hearing no later than July 28, 2024.

Following the close of the written comment period, the Secretary of State, upon its own motion or at the instance of any interested party, may thereafter adopt the proposals provided by the public or may modify such proposals if such modifications are sufficiently related to the original text. With the exception of technical or grammatical changes, the full text of any modified proposal will be available from our office for 15 days prior to its adoption and will be sent to those persons who submit written comments related to this proposal or who have requested notification of any changes to the proposal.

Copies of the notice and text of the proposed regulations, and the initial statement of reasons can be accessed through the Secretary of State's website at:

<https://www.sos.ca.gov/administration/regulations/proposed-regulations/>

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