

HOUSE BILL 314

Introduced by Davis

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1/21	Referred to State Administration
2/18	Hearing
2/18	Tabled in Committee

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 314  
2 INTRODUCED BY [Signature]

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO CHANGE THE CLOSE OF  
5 VOTER REGISTRATION FROM 30 DAYS BEFORE ANY ELECTION TO 10  
6 DAYS BEFORE ANY ELECTION; AND AMENDING SECTION 13-2-301,  
7 MCA."

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9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

10 **Section 1.** Section 13-2-301, MCA, is amended to read:

11 "13-2-301. Close of registration -- procedure. (1) The  
12 election administrator shall:

13 (a) close registrations for ~~30~~ 10 days before any  
14 election; and

15 (b) publish a notice specifying the day registrations  
16 will close on radio or television as provided in 2-3-105  
17 through 2-3-107 or in a newspaper of general circulation in  
18 the county at least once a week for 3 weeks before the close  
19 of registration.

20 (2) Information to be included in the notice shall be  
21 prescribed by the secretary of state.

22 ~~{3}--An--individual--who--submits--a--completed--registration~~  
23 ~~form--to--the--election--administrator--before--the--deadline~~  
24 ~~provided--in--subsection--(1)(a)--is--allowed--to--correct--a~~  
25 ~~mistake--on--the--completed--registration--form--until--5--p.m.--on~~

1 the--10th--day--following--the--close--of--registration--and  
2 thereafter--the--qualified--elector--is--eligible--to--vote--in--the  
3 next--election--"

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