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Sections 63.001(b), 63.0101, and 65.054 Texas Election Code

9/2023

Name of Form:

Request for Temporary Exemption to Photo Identification Requirement (Temporary).

Section Reference:

Sections 63.001(b), 63.0101, and 65.054 Texas Election Code.

Purpose:

To request a temporary exemption in a county from the requirement to present an acceptable form of photo identification at the time of voting. This form is used to cure a provisional ballot cast by a voter who does not have an acceptable form of identification due to religious objections or certain natural disasters.

Number of Copies Required:

One each time the person casts a provisional ballot in the county in which the person is registered to vote.

Completed by:

Voter that cast a provisional ballot in an election and seeking a temporary exemption from showing an acceptable form of photo identification.

Filing Date:

During the cure period (within 6 days from date of election).

Filed with:

Voter Registrar.

Comments:

A temporary exemption may only be requested by individuals not having an acceptable form of identification because the voter has a religious objections to being photographed for governmental purposes or is not in possession of a form of acceptable identification due to its destruction or inability to access them as a result of a natural disaster declared by the U.S. President or Texas Governor. The natural disaster cannot have occurred earlier than 45 days before the day on which the individual voted.

Printing Notes:

None.

Version:

Current form is dated 9/2023*.

Previous version dated 01/2018 may still be used.