

CHAPTER 493

H.B. No. 1956

AN ACT

relating to the requirements for a petition filed in connection with a candidate's application for a place on the ballot.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Section 141.061, Election Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 141.061. APPLICABILITY OF SUBCHAPTER. This subchapter applies to *each* [a] petition filed [~~under this code~~] in connection with a candidate's application for a place on the ballot.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 1987.

SECTION 3. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended.

Passed by the House on May 15, 1987, by a non-record vote. Passed by the Senate on May 29, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

Approved June 17, 1987.

Effective Sept. 1, 1987.