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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
Senate Bill 469

AMENDMENT NO. A4
(to be filled in by
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Amends Title [NO]
Fifth Edition

Date _____, 2018

Representative Cunningham

1 moves to amend the bill on page 21, lines 43-44, by inserting the following between those lines:

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5 "SECTION 22.15.(a) G.S. 163A-869 reads as rewritten:

6 "**§ 163A-869. Voter registration cards.**

7 (a) Authority to Issue Card. – ~~With the approval of the board of county commissioners,~~
8 ~~the~~The county board of elections ~~may~~shall issue to each voter in the county a voter registration
9 ~~card, or may issue cards to all voters registered after January 1, 1995.~~card upon initial registration
10 and change of registration, and shall reissue registration cards to all registered voters no later
11 than January 1, 2020, and every four years thereafter.

12 (b) Content and Format of Card. – At a minimum, the voter registration card shall:

- 13 (1) List the voter's name, address, and voting place;
14 (2) Contain the address and telephone number of the county board of elections,
15 along with blanks to report a change of address within the county, change of
16 name, and change of party affiliation; and
17 (3) Be wallet size.

18 No voter registration card may be issued by a county board of elections unless the State Board
19 has approved the format of the card.

20 (c) Ways County Board and Registrant May Use Card. – ~~If the county board of elections~~
21 ~~issues voter registration cards, the~~The county board may use ~~that~~the voter registration card as a
22 notice of tentative approval of the voter's application pursuant to G.S. 163A-867(c), provided
23 that the mailing contains the statements and information required in that subsection. The county
24 board may also satisfy the requirements of G.S. 163A-878(b), 163A-880(b), or 163A-881(b) by
25 sending the registrant a replacement of the voter registration card to verify change of address,
26 change of name, or change of party affiliation. A registrant may use the card to report a change
27 of address, change of name, or change of party affiliation, satisfying G.S. 163A-878, 163A-880,
28 or 163A-881.

29 (d) Card as Evidence of Registration. – A voter registration card shall be evidence of
30 registration but shall not preclude a challenge as permitted by law.

31 (e) Display of Card May Not Be Required to Vote. – No county board of elections may
32 require that a voter registration card be displayed in order to vote. A county board of elections



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- 1 may notify a voter that the voter's registration card may be used for the required identification in
2 conjunction with a reasonable impediment declaration in accordance with G.S. 163A-1147."
3 **SECTION 22.15.(b)** This section is effective July 1, 2019.".

SIGNED _____
Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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