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HOUSE BILL **362**

AN ACT relative to domicile of students for voting purposes.

SPONSORS: Rep. Silber, Belk. 2

COMMITTEE: Election Law

ANALYSIS

This bill repeals the consideration of a student's educational institution as his or her place of domicile for voting purposes.

Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.
 Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struckthrough]~~
 Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty One

Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

4 III. RSA 654:12, I(c)(1)(B)(i), relative to student domicile for voting purposes.

13 Verifiable Action of Domicile

27 ____ obtained a New Hampshire resident motor vehicle registration, driver's license, or identification
28 card issued under RSA 260:21, RSA 260:21-a, or RSA 260:21-b listing the address on the voter
29 registration form

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1 ___ enrolled a dependent minor child in a publicly funded elementary or secondary school which
2 serves the town or ward of the address where the registrant resides, as listed on the voter
3 registration form

4 Identified the address on the voter registration form as your physical residence address on:

5 ___ state or federal tax forms

6 ___ other government-issued forms or identification. Describe form of identification: _____

7 ___ provided the address on the voter registration form to the United States Post Office as your
8 permanent address, provided it is not a postal service or commercial post office box, where mail is
9 delivered to your home. This can be by listing the address on the voter registration form as your new
10 address on a Postal Service permanent change of address form and providing a copy of the receipt, or
11 an online emailed receipt

12 ___ obtained public utility services (electricity, cable, gas, water, etc.) for an indefinite period at the
13 address on the voter registration form. List services obtained: _____

14 ___ arranged for a homeless shelter or similar service provider to receive United States mail on your
15 behalf. Enter name of the shelter or provider: _____

16 ___ describe what other verifiable action or actions you have taken to make the address listed on
17 your voter registration form your one voting domicile: _____

18 If you have no other proof of a verifiable act establishing domicile, and your domicile is at an abode
19 rented, leased, or purchased by another and your name is not listed on the rental agreement, lease,
20 or deed, you are required to provide a written statement, signed under penalty of voting fraud if false
21 information is provided, from a person who is listed on such document, or other reasonable proof of
22 ownership or control of the property, attesting that you reside at that address, signed by that person
23 or his or her agent who manages the property.

24 This verifiable action of domicile form, along with your written statement or other documentation
25 proving a verifiable act, shall be delivered to the town or city clerk, by mail or in person, with 10
26 days, or within 30 days if the clerk's office is open fewer than 20 hours weekly.

27 Name

28 Last (suffix) First Full Middle Name

29 Domicile Address

30 Street Ward Number

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32 Town or City Zip Code

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34 Date Signature of Applicant

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1 This document was received by the clerk, who examined and returned it to the applicant after
2 making a copy of the evidence of verifiable action, said copy to be attached to the verifiable action of
3 domicile form.

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5 Date Signature of Clerk

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9 The clerk shall forward the completed form and attachment or attachments to the supervisors of the
10 checklist as soon as possible, but not later than their next meeting. The supervisors of the checklist
11 shall attach the form and attachments to the voter registration form.

12 3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 60 days after its passage.