

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT FORM
2017 REGULAR SESSION
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Amend printed copy of **SB 145/GA**

Beginning on page 1, by deleting lines 23 through 27 and continuing on page 2, lines 1 through 5 and by inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"(1) All requests for an application for an absentee ballot and applications for an absentee ballot may be transmitted to and returned by the voter by ~~telephone,~~ facsimile machine, by mail, by electronic mail, or in person, at the option of the voter. ~~Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this subsection, all applications for an absentee ballot shall be transmitted only by mail to the voter or in person at the option of the voter, except that the county clerk shall hand an application for an absentee ballot to a voter permitted to vote by absentee ballot who appears in person to request the application, or shall mail the application to a voter permitted to vote by absentee ballot who requests the application by telephone, facsimile machine, or mail.~~ The mail-in absentee ballot"; and

On page 23, after line 16, insert the following:

"➔Section 11. KRS 116.0452 is amended to read as follows:

(1) For the purpose of determining whether a voter registration application is received during the period in which registration books are open under KRS 116.045(2), an application shall be deemed timely received:

(a) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle driver's license application, if the valid voter registration form of the applicant is accepted by the circuit clerk before the

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- registration books are closed;
- (b) In the case of registration by mail, if the valid voter registration form of the applicant is legibly postmarked before the registration books are closed;
 - (c) In the case of registration with a voter registration agency, if the valid voter registration form of the applicant is accepted at the voter registration agency before the registration books are closed; ~~and~~
 - (d) **In the case of registration made in accordance with KRS 117A.050 or any other eligible electronic transmission of registration, if the electronic registration form is received online by the county clerk's office by 11:59 p.m. local time; and**
 - (e) In any other case, if the valid voter registration form of the applicant is received by the appropriate county clerk, no later than 4 p.m. local time, before the registration books are closed.
- (2) The county clerk shall send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application.
 - (3) The name of a registered voter shall not be removed from the registration books except:
 - (a) Upon request of the voter;
 - (b) As provided by KRS 116.113, upon notice of death, declaration of incompetency, or conviction of a felony; or
 - (c) Upon failure to respond to a confirmation mailing sent pursuant to KRS 116.112(3) and failure to vote or appear to vote and, if necessary, correct the registration record of the voter's address in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second **regular**~~general~~ election for Federal office that occurs after the date of the notice.
 - (4) The identity of the voter registration agency or circuit clerk's office through which any particular voter is registered shall not be disclosed to the public."