

REFERENCE TITLE: precinct committeemen; proxy voting

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Introduced by
Representatives Griffin: Diaz, Taylor; Senator Gowan

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 16-828, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO POLITICAL PARTIES.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 16-828, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 16-828. Proxies

5 A. A political party may choose, through its bylaws, to allow the
6 use of proxies at its meetings, in which event the following shall be
7 minimum regulations:

8 1. No proxy shall be given by a member of the state committee for
9 use at a meeting of the committee except to a qualified elector of the
10 county where the member resides.

11 2. No proxy shall be given by a member of the county committee for
12 use at a meeting of the committee except to a qualified elector of the
13 precinct where the member resides.

14 3. IN A PRECINCT WITH TWO OR FEWER PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN, A
15 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN MAY APPOINT A QUALIFIED ELECTOR FROM A
16 GEOGRAPHICALLY ADJOINING PRECINCT TO VOTE BY PROXY ON BEHALF OF THE
17 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN IN A COUNTY COMMITTEE MEETING.

18 B. The duration of any proxy so given shall extend only for the
19 length of the meeting for which it is given.

20 C. Every proxy shall be attested by a notary public or two
21 witnesses.