

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5712



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: REP. MCCARTHY VAHEY, 133rd Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY RANKED-CHOICE VOTING IN CERTAIN ELECTIONS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That a task force be established to study the implementation, in 2 certain elections, of a method of casting and tabulating votes for a 3 certain office whereby (1) electors rank candidates for such office in 4 order of preference, (2) tabulation proceeds in sequential rounds in 5 which last-place candidates are defeated and until one candidate receives over fifty per cent of the votes cast, and (3) the candidate 6 7 receiving over fifty per cent of the votes cast is deemed to have been 8 elected to such office.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a task force to study the implementation of ranked-choice voting in certain elections.