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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010

AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS

Introduced By: Representatives Slater, Diaz, DeSimone, and Almeida

Date Introduced: February 25, 2010

Referred To: House Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1	SECTION 1. The title of chapter 17-15 of the General Laws entitled "Elections" is hereby
2	amended to read as follows:
3	CHAPTER 17-15
4	Primary Elections
5	<u>CHAPTER 17-15</u>
6	PRIMARY ELECTIONS AND GENERAL ELECTIONS
7	SECTION 2. Section 17-15-12 of the General Laws in Chapter 17-15 entitled "Primary
8	Elections" is hereby amended to read as follows:
9	17-15-12. Ballot when contest exists Whenever there is a contest within any voting
10	district, a primary election shall be held in the voting district and the names of all candidates for
11	state office and the names of only those candidates for local office that are contesting a particular
12	local office or offices shall appear on the ballots.
13	SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage.
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EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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