

An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 2001, Section 1-109, which relates to political parties; modifying circumstances for which a political party ceases to be recognized; amending 26 O.S. 2001, Section 5-113, as amended by Section 9, Chapter 447, O.S.L. 2002 (26 O.S. Supp. 2002, Section 5-113), which relates to filing fees of candidates; eliminating filing fee refunds; amending 26 O.S. 2001, Section 14-108, as amended by Section 15, Chapter 447, O.S.L. 2002 (26 O.S. Supp. 2002, Section 14-108), which relates to return of absentee ballots; prohibiting certain persons from notarizing absentee ballots; prohibiting certain acts; amending 26 O.S. 2001, Section 16-102, which relates to penalties for illegal voting; adding prohibited act; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.