

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 1357 removes the deadline to be a registered voter of the political party in order to file as a candidate for nomination by a political party for the offices of State Senator, State Representative, or County Commissioner in 2022. The measure also removes the deadline to be a registered independent in order to file as an independent for the same offices.

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