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Bill Analysis

SB 955 creates the Election Integrity Act of 2021. The measure directs the Secretary of the State Election Board to take an inventory of all current vendors contracted or utilized by the state for the administration of elections. All computer programs and software are required to be open source and held by private, non-public companies. Additionally, the measure prohibits any elected official have any interest, financial or otherwise, in any company, entity, or product used for the administration of elections. The measure also requires owners of such companies to be a United State citizen and to hold at least a 51% controlling stake in the company. The measure also prohibits any software from transmitting the vote count out of state.

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