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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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RELATING TO ELECTIONS - VOTER REGISTRATION

Introduced By: Senator Stephen R. Archambault

Date Introduced: February 15, 2018

Referred To: Senate Judiciary

(Secretary of State)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 17-9.1 of the General Laws entitled "Registration of Voters" is  
2 hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **17-9.1-17.1. Registration - Notice to jurisdiction of previous out-of-state address.**  
4 The secretary of state shall, upon receiving a voter's new registration, notify the appropriate  
5 election official of the newly registered voter's last place of residence, only if it is located outside  
6 the state of Rhode Island.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
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1           This act would require the secretary of state to notify the appropriate elected official of a  
2 newly registered voter's most recent former place of residence, only if it is located outside of  
3 Rhode Island.

4           This act would take effect upon passage.

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