## AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4563

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Insert after section 139 the following:

1	SEC. 139A. PROTECTIONS FOR VOTERS ON ELECTION DAY.
2	(a) Requirements.—Subtitle A of title III of the
3	Help America Vote Act of 2002 (52 U.S.C. 21081 et seq.),
4	as amended by section 125(a) and section 126(c), is
5	amended—
6	(1) by redesignating sections 306 and 307 as
7	sections 307 and 308; and
8	(2) by inserting after section 305 the following
9	new section:
10	"SEC. 306. VOTER PROTECTION REQUIREMENTS.
11	"(a) Requirements for Challenges by Persons
12	OTHER THAN ELECTION OFFICIALS.—
13	"(1) Requirements for challenges.—No
14	person, other than a State or local election official,
15	shall submit a formal challenge to an individual's eli-
16	gibility to register to vote in an election for Federal
17	office or to vote in an election for Federal office un-
18	less that challenge is supported by personal knowl-
19	edge with respect to each individual challenged re-
20	garding the grounds for ineligibility which is—

1	"(A) documented in writing; and
2	"(B) subject to an oath or attestation
3	under penalty of perjury that the challenger has
4	a good faith factual basis to believe that the in-
5	dividual who is the subject of the challenge is
6	ineligible to register to vote or vote in that elec-
7	tion, except a challenge which is based on the
8	race, ethnicity, or national origin of the indi-
9	vidual who is the subject of the challenge may
10	not be considered to have a good faith factual
11	basis for purposes of this paragraph.
12	"(2) Prohibition on challenges on or
13	NEAR DATE OF ELECTION.—No person, other than
14	a State or local election official, shall be permitted—
15	"(A) to challenge an individual's eligibility
16	to vote in an election for Federal office on the
17	date of the election on grounds that could have
18	been made in advance of such date, or
19	"(B) to challenge an individual's eligibility
20	to register to vote in an election for Federal of-
21	fice or to vote in an election for Federal office
22	less than 10 days before the election unless the
23	individual registered to vote less than 20 days
24	before the election.

1	"(b) Effective Date.—This section shall apply
2	with respect to elections for Federal office occurring on
3	and after January 1, 2023.".
4	(b) Conforming Amendment Relating to Vol-
5	UNTARY GUIDANCE.—Section 321(b) of such Act (52
6	U.S.C. 21101(b)) is amended—
7	(1) by striking "and" at the end of paragraph
8	(2);
9	(2) by striking the period at the end of para-
10	graph (3) and inserting "; and; and
11	(3) by adding at the end the following new
12	paragraph:
13	"(4) in the case of the recommendations with
14	respect to section 306, January 1, 2024.".
15	(e) Conforming Amendment Relating to En-
16	FORCEMENT.—Section 401 of such Act (52 U.S.C. 21111)
17	is amended by striking "and 305" and inserting "305, and
18	306".
19	(d) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents
20	of such Act, as amended by section 125(d) and section
21	126(e), is amended—
22	(1) by redesignating the items relating to sec-
23	tions 306 and 307 as relating to sections 307 and
24	308; and

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- 1 (2) by inserting after the item relating to sec-
- tion 305 the following:

"Sec. 306. Voter protection requirements.".

