

AN ACT

Bill 20-918

**Emergency
Declaration
Res. 20-596
20 DCStat 4499**

**Codification
District of
Columbia
Official Code
2001 Edition**

**Board of
Elections
Nominating
Petition
Circulator
Affidavit
Second
Congressional
Review
Emergency
Amendment
Act of 2014**

**Note,
§ 1-1001.08**

To amend, on an emergency basis, due to congressional review, the District of Columbia Election Code of 1955 to establish that each nominating petition circulator must make and sign an affidavit that states that he or she is a qualified petition circulator as that term is defined in the Election Code.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Board of Elections Nominating Petition Circulator Affidavit Second Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2014”.

Sec. 2. Section 8(b)(3) of the District of Columbia Election Code of 1955, approved August 12, 1955 (69 Stat. 701; D.C. Official Code § 1-1001.08(b)(3)), is amended by striking the phrase “circulator is a registered voter” and inserting the phrase “circulator is a qualified petition circulator” in its place.

Sec. 3. Applicability.

This act shall apply as of October 3, 2014.

Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report for the Board of Elections Nominating Petition Circulator Affidavit Amendment Act of 2014, enacted on July 29, 2014 (D.C. Act 20-386; 61 DCR 8057), as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 5. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).