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From: Sara V <saravieira803@hotmail.com>
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To: House State Government and Elections Committee
Subject: Oppose H7303

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Sara Vieira and I am from Coventry. I strongly oppose H7303.

By eliminating the 30-day residency requirement for voting registration, RI lawmakers continue to diminish the confidence RI has in its voting system.

By election integrity standards, the 30-day requirement as stated in the RI State Constitution needs to be highlighted and championed as an excellent measure to make sure only RI citizens are registered to vote in our elections. This also gives our clerks in towns and cities the time to make sure only RI citizens are registered to vote (by eliminating the 30-day requirement the burden lies on local clerks).

Why would the RI legislature want to take away the only standard that makes RI stand out head and shoulders above the rest of the states with same day voter registration?

Sincerely,
Mrs. Sara Vieira