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Assembly Member Donald P. Wagner, Author
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Dear Assembly Member Wagner:

The California Association of Clerks and Election Officials Elections Legislative Committee has reviewed **AB 301** (as amended March 11, 2013), your proposal to require the clerk of the superior court to provide information to the county elections official relating to those who have declared to the superior court that they are not a citizen of the United States and would require the elections official to cancel each person on the list.

The Committee has taken the position **Support if Amended**, for the following:

- ★ Uniformity of Data. Include a provision that requires data provided by the courts to be in a uniform format statewide. Each county should receive the same type of information.
- ★ Include Additional Identifiers. County election officials are seeking more data on the individual voter in question in order to better identify the single voter amongst hundreds of thousands of names. Requiring the superior courts to include the drivers' license or social security number of the individual will help to identify the correct voter in the database when one or more have similar names, addresses and dates of birth.
- ★ Include Dates. Providing information on date of conviction and/or date of declaration of non-citizenship will assist in segregation of an unprocessed affidavit that might be in the county election officials' possession.
- ★ Keep Data Separate. Lists from the superior court should not be combined. While it may appear that all voters on each list may be canceled, it is important to keep the data separate in order to accurately reflect cancellation reasons during processing.

We would like to thank you for consideration of the amendment above. If you or your staff has any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Monterey County Elections Department at (831) 796-1499.

Very truly yours,

Linda Tulett
Correspondence Secretary
California Association of Clerks and Election Officials

- c: Honorable Bob Wieckowski, Chair, Assembly Judiciary Committee
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