

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 217

## 96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES DUGGER (Sponsor) AND ENTLICHER (Co-sponsor).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 115, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to electronic voter identification verification systems.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 115, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be  
2 known as section 115.230, to read as follows:

**115.230. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, any election  
2 authority may use an electronic voter identification system or an electronic signature pad  
3 to verify a voter's address, registration status, and signature information at any polling  
4 place. Any such system or pad shall be able to read identifying information from an  
5 official Missouri driver's license or nondriver's license issued by the department of  
6 revenue, and shall be capable of allowing an election authority to manually enter the  
7 voter's information from a valid form of personal identification containing the voter's  
8 signature.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.