

HB 1263 -- Voter Registrations

Sponsor: Fallert

This bill requires anyone requesting 10 or more voter registration applications to be at least 18 years of age and provide to the Office of the Secretary of State his or her name; address; phone number; an indication whether the request is on the individual's behalf or on behalf of another individual, organization, or group; the name of the individual, organization, or group if applicable; a statement swearing or affirming that the information is correct; and the individual's signature before receiving the applications. Upon conviction, any person who knowingly swears or affirms falsely to any required information will be subject to a fine of up to \$2,500, imprisonment for up to one year, or both. If an individual submits false information to the Secretary of State in violation of this provision, any requested application that is submitted to the election authority must be accepted by the election authority if the application is otherwise valid.

Any person who knowingly signs another person's name on a voter registration application; provides false identification to an election official in order to cast a ballot as specified in Section 115.427, RSMo; or falsifies a certificate, affidavit, statement, or ballot of another individual as specified in Section 115.283 or 115.284 will be guilty of a class B felony.