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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2020

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RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- MAIL BALLOTS

Introduced By: Representatives Serodio, and Noret

Date Introduced: February 26, 2020

Referred To: House Judiciary

(Board of Elections)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 17-20-19 of the General Laws in Chapter 17-20 entitled "Mail
2 Ballots" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **17-20-19. Envelopes for return of ballots.**

4 Envelopes for the enclosure and return of mail ballots and their enclosing certified envelope
5 shall have the printed or written address: "Board of Elections, ~~50 Branch Ave.~~ [2000 Plainfield Pike,](#)
6 ~~Providence~~ [Cranston](#), Rhode Island ~~02904-2790~~ [02921](#)" [or a post office box established and](#)
7 [maintained by the board](#); and shall be forwarded by the secretary of state to each mail voter whose
8 application for the mail ballot has been received and accepted.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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- 1 This act would change the mailing address of the board of elections to 2000 Plainfield Pike,
- 2 Cranston, RI 02921 for the return of mail ballots.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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