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This periodic notice of activity regarding voting changes submitted under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act is issued pursuant to the Attorney General's Procedures for the Administration of Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act (Part 51 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations). The Attorney General has 60 days from the date of receipt to respond to each submission of voting changes. We invite persons interested in pending submissions to submit comments and information, in writing or by telephone, to the Voting Section of the Civil Rights Division at the earliest possible date to assure that they may be considered during the 60-day review period. Telephone 1-800-253-3931 or (202) 307-3718, or write to: Voting Section, Civil Rights Division, Room 7254 - NWB, Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Ave, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530 (the envelope and first page should be marked "Comment under Section 5"). You may also send a comment to section5.comments@usdoj.gov.

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The following is a list of submissions of voting changes, additional information regarding pending submissions, and withdrawals of submitted voting changes received by the Attorney General with the date of receipt of each. The submissions are grouped by state with statewide submissions listed first, followed by submissions made by counties, and then submissions by sub-county jurisdictions. The list also identifies objections, requests for the Attorney General to reconsider objections, and filings of declaratory judgment actions, with their respective dates.

ALABAMA

County:

Subjurisdiction:

Submission Number: 2012-5755

Action Date: 12/06/2012

Special election procedures (General election)

Special election procedures (Primary)

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ALABAMA **County:**
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5757
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Special election procedures (Runoff)
Special election procedures (General election)
Special election procedures (Primary)
Submission received
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ALABAMA **County:** Baldwin
Subjurisdiction: Fairhope
Submission Number: 2012-5766
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Election administration
Submission received

ALABAMA **County:** Jackson
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5764
Action Date: 12/07/2012
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
Submission received

ALABAMA **County:** Lee, Russell
Subjurisdiction: Phenix City
Submission Number: 2012-5769
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Annexation
Submission received

ALABAMA **County:** Shelby
Subjurisdiction: Pelham
Submission Number: 2012-5734
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Submission received

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ALASKA

Borough:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5144
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Incorporation
Dissolution of jurisdiction
Method of election (At large)
Staggered terms
Term of office (Mayor)
Number of officials
Implementation schedule
Candidate qualifications to serve in office
Resubmission received

ARIZONA

County: Cochise
Subjurisdiction: Bisbee Unified School District #2
Submission Number: 2012-5523
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Precinct
Polling place
Absentee Voting
Absentee Voting (Hours)
Special election procedures (Tax)
Additional information received
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ARIZONA

County: Coconino, Yavapai
Subjurisdiction: Sedona-Oak Creek Joint Unified School District #9
Submission Number: 2012-5489
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Precinct
Polling place
Election administration (County to conduct election)
Special election procedures (Referendum)
Additional information received
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ARIZONA

County: Maricopa
Subjurisdiction: Sun City West Fire District
Submission Number: 2012-5738
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Submission received

ARIZONA

County: Pinal
Subjurisdiction: Casa Grande
Submission Number: 2012-5765
Action Date: 12/07/2012
Precinct (Consolidation)
Polling place (Consolidation)
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FLORIDA
County: Monroe
Subjurisdiction: Key West
Submission Number: 2012-5753
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Term of office
Implementation schedule
General election (Date change)
Submission received

GEORGIA
County:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-3262
Action Date: 12/06/2012
General election
Additional information received
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GEORGIA
County:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-3262
Action Date: 12/07/2012
General election
Additional information received
Expedited Consideration Requested

GEORGIA
County:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5778
Action Date: 12/07/2012
Candidate qualification procedures
Candidate qualification procedures (Fees)
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
Runoff election (Date set)
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GEORGIA
County: Clayton
Subjurisdiction: Jonesboro
Submission Number: 2012-5770
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Annexation
Submission received

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GEORGIA **County:** Clayton
Subjurisdiction: Lovejoy
Submission Number: 2012-5562
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Annexation
Additional information received

GEORGIA **County:** Cobb
Subjurisdiction: Marietta School District
Submission Number: 2012-5751
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Special election procedures (Tax)
Submission received
Expedited Consideration Requested

GEORGIA **County:** Cobb
Subjurisdiction: Smyrna
Submission Number: 2012-5772
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Designation of annexed area to election district
Submission received

GEORGIA **County:** Hall
Subjurisdiction: Gainesville
Submission Number: 2012-5767
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Annexation
Designation of annexed area to election district
Submission received

GEORGIA **County:** Lowndes
Subjurisdiction: Dasher
Submission Number: 2012-5739
Action Date: 11/29/2012
Election administration (County to conduct election)
Candidate qualifications to serve in office
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
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GEORGIA **County:** Mcduffie
Subjurisdiction: Thomson
Submission Number: 2012-5674
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Redistricting plan
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GEORGIA **County:** Paulding
Subjurisdiction: Dallas
Submission Number: 2012-5744
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Annexation
Submission received

GEORGIA **County:** Putnam
Subjurisdiction: Eatonton
Submission Number: 2012-5752
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received

LOUISIANA **Parish:** Bossier
Subjurisdiction: Benton
Submission Number: 2012-5493
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
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LOUISIANA **Parish:** Calcasieu
Subjurisdiction: Calcasieu Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5759
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
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LOUISIANA

Parish: Jefferson
Subjurisdiction: Westwego
Submission Number: 2012-5568
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
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LOUISIANA

Parish: Lafourche
Subjurisdiction: Lafourche Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5479
Action Date: 11/12/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received

LOUISIANA

Parish: Livingston
Subjurisdiction: Walker
Submission Number: 2012-5736
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Submission received

LOUISIANA

Parish: Morehouse
Subjurisdiction: Morehouse Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5677
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received

LOUISIANA

Parish: Natchitoches
Subjurisdiction: Natchitoches Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5777
Action Date: 12/10/2012
Redistricting plan
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Parish: Ouachita
Subjurisdiction: Monroe
Submission Number: 2012-5749
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Annexation
Submission received

LOUISIANA

Parish: St. John The Baptist
Subjurisdiction: St. John The Baptist Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5726
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
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LOUISIANA

Parish: St. Tammany
Subjurisdiction: St. Tammany Parish School District
Submission Number: 2012-5740
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received
Expedited Consideration Requested

LOUISIANA

Parish: West Feliciana
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5775
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Special election procedures (Charter amendment)
Submission received
Expedited Consideration Requested

LOUISIANA

Parish: West Feliciana
Subjurisdiction: West Feliciana Parish Sales Tax District #1
Submission Number: 2012-5776
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Special election procedures (Tax)
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MISSISSIPPI County: Franklin
Subjurisdiction: Bude
Submission Number: 2012-5546
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
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MISSISSIPPI County: Franklin
Subjurisdiction: Roxie
Submission Number: 2012-5761
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Method of selection (Elective to appointive)
Submission received
Expedited Consideration Requested

MISSISSIPPI County: Hancock
Subjurisdiction: Bay St. Louis
Submission Number: 2012-5533
Action Date: 12/10/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
Expedited Consideration Requested

MISSISSIPPI County: Harrison
Subjurisdiction: Long Beach
Submission Number: 2012-5741
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Polling place (Location changed)
Submission received

MISSISSIPPI County: Hinds, Madison, Rankin
Subjurisdiction: Jackson
Submission Number: 2012-5429
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
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MISSISSIPPI **County:** Hinds, Madison, Rankin
Subjurisdiction: Jackson
Submission Number: 2012-5429
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received
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MISSISSIPPI **County:** Lee
Subjurisdiction: Verona
Submission Number: 2012-5745
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received
Expedited Consideration Requested

MISSISSIPPI **County:** Pontotoc
Subjurisdiction: Pontotoc
Submission Number: 2012-5763
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received

MISSISSIPPI **County:** Scott
Subjurisdiction: Morton
Submission Number: 2012-5758
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received
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MISSISSIPPI **County:** Stone
Subjurisdiction: Wiggins
Submission Number: 2012-5688
Action Date: 12/03/2012
Redistricting plan
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MISSISSIPPI

County: Walthall
Subjurisdiction: Tylertown
Submission Number: 2012-5760
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
Submission received
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MISSISSIPPI

County: Webster
Subjurisdiction: Eupora
Submission Number: 2012-5746
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Redistricting plan
Submission received

NEW HAMPSHIRE

County:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5502
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Method of election (Single-member districts/at large)
Additional information received
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NEW HAMPSHIRE

County:
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5503
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Term of office (Three years)
Additional information received
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NEW YORK

Borough: Bronx, Kings, New York
Subjurisdiction: New York
Submission Number: 2012-5742
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Election administration (Ballots)
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NORTH CAROLINA **County:** Craven
Subjurisdiction: New Bern
Submission Number: 2012-5735
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Submission received

NORTH CAROLINA **County:** Person
Subjurisdiction: Roxboro
Submission Number: 2012-5754
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Term of office (Four years)
Submission received

SOUTH CAROLINA **County:** Horry
Subjurisdiction: Conway
Submission Number: 2012-5413
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Annexation
Related submission received

SOUTH CAROLINA **County:** Horry
Subjurisdiction: Conway
Submission Number: 2012-5732
Action Date: 12/04/2012
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Submission received

SOUTH CAROLINA **County:** Horry
Subjurisdiction: Conway
Submission Number: 2012-5732
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SOUTH CAROLINA

County: Richland
Subjurisdiction: Forest Acres
Submission Number: 2012-5768
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Annexation
Submission received

TEXAS

County: Bexar
Subjurisdiction: Windcrest
Submission Number: 2012-5779
Action Date: 12/10/2012
Term of office
Implementation schedule
General election (Date change)
Submission received

TEXAS

County: Cameron
Subjurisdiction: Brownsville
Submission Number: 2012-5656
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Redistricting plan
Additional information received

TEXAS

County: Cameron
Subjurisdiction: Brownsville
Submission Number: 2012-5656
Action Date: 12/07/2012
Redistricting plan
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TEXAS

County: Clay
Subjurisdiction: Henrietta
Submission Number: 2012-5750
Action Date: 12/05/2012
General election (Date change)
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TEXAS **County:** Comanche
Subjurisdiction: Gustine Independent School District
Submission Number: 2012-5743
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
Submission received
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TEXAS **County:** Dallas, Ellis
Subjurisdiction: Glenn Heights
Submission Number: 2012-5771
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Special election procedures (Vacancy)
Submission received

TEXAS **County:** El Paso
Subjurisdiction: Montecillo Municipal Management District #1
Submission Number: 2012-5339
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Creation of special district
Special election procedures (Confirmation)
Additional information received

TEXAS **County:** Floyd
Subjurisdiction: Floydada
Submission Number: 2012-5626
Action Date: 12/07/2012
Redistricting plan
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TEXAS **County:** Fort Bend
Subjurisdiction: Rosenberg
Submission Number: 2012-5733
Action Date: 12/03/2012
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TEXAS **County:** Fort Bend
 Subjurisdiction: Rosenberg
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 Action Date: 12/04/2012
 Annexation
 Related submission received

TEXAS **County:** Fort Bend
 Subjurisdiction: Rosenberg
 Submission Number: 2012-5773
 Action Date: 12/04/2012
 Annexation
 Submission received

TEXAS **County:** Guadalupe
 Subjurisdiction: Seguin
 Submission Number: 2012-5737
 Action Date: 12/04/2012
 Polling place (Location changed)
 Absentee Voting (Hours)
 Election administration (County to conduct election)
 Runoff election (Date set)
 Submission received

TEXAS **County:** Hays
 Subjurisdiction: Dripping Springs
 Submission Number: 2012-5690
 Action Date: 12/06/2012
 Annexation
 Related submission received

TEXAS **County:** Hays
 Subjurisdiction: Dripping Springs
 Submission Number: 2012-5748
 Action Date: 12/06/2012
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TEXAS **County:** Hunt
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5618
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Absentee Voting (Hours)
Additional information received

TEXAS **County:** Jefferson
Subjurisdiction: Beaumont Independent School District
Submission Number: 2012-4278
Action Date: 12/05/2012
Method of election
Redistricting plan (Board of Trustees)
Additional information received

TEXAS **County:** Jefferson
Subjurisdiction: Beaumont Independent School District
Submission Number: 2012-4278
Action Date: 12/10/2012
Method of election
Redistricting plan (Board of Trustees)
Additional information received

TEXAS **County:** San Patricio
Subjurisdiction: City Of Lakeside
Submission Number: 2012-5360
Action Date: 12/06/2012
Term of office (Four years)
Implementation schedule
General election (Date change)
Additional information received

TEXAS **County:** Terrell
Subjurisdiction:
Submission Number: 2012-5756
Action Date: 12/04/2012
Voting method (Paper ballots)
Special election procedures (Runoff)
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The Attorney General interposed an objection to the following voting changes on the date(s) indicated:

MISSISSIPPI County: Hinds
 Subjurisdiction: Clinton
 Submission Number: 2012-3120
 Action date: 12/03/2012
 Redistricting plan

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