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Bill Summary =

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Overview

This bill directs the secretary of state to compare state court data to statewide voter registration data at least monthly.

The secretary of state must determine if the data newly indicates that: an individual's voter record needs to be updated, or the individual registered to vote or voted during a period in which the individual's civil rights were revoked. The secretary of state must prepare a list of registrants with new information for each county auditor.

The county auditor must then update the individual's record in the statewide voter registration system by adding or removing a challenge status. If a person registered to vote or voted while his or her civil rights were revoked, the county auditor must provide this information to the county attorney for investigation.

Finally, the bill provides timelines for the secretary of state to make information available to county auditors.