PART YY

- 38 Section 1. Section 3-110 of the election law, as renumbered by chapter
 - 39 234 of the laws of 1976, is amended to read as follows:
 - 40 § 3-110. Time allowed employees to vote. 1. [\pm

a] A registered voter

- 41 [does not have sufficient time outside of his working hours, within
- 42 which to vote at any election, he may, without loss of pay for up to
- 43 [two] three hours, take off so much working time as will[, when added to
- 44 his voting time outside his working hours, enable him or her to vote at

45 any election.

- 2. [If an employee has four consecutive hours either between the open-
- 47 ing of the polls and the beginning of his working shift, or between the
- 48 end of his working shift and the closing of the polls, he shall be
- 49 deemed to have sufficient time outside his working hours within which
- 50 vote. If he has less than four consecutive hours he may take off so much
- 51 working time as will when added to his voting time outside his working
- 52 hours enable him to vote, but not more than two hours of which shall be
- 53 without loss of pay, provided that he The employee shall be allowed S. 1505--C 71 A.

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- 1 time off for voting only at the beginning or end of his ${\bf or}$ her working
- 2 shift, as the employer may designate, unless otherwise mutually agreed.
- 3 3. If the employee requires working time off to vote [he] the employee
- 4 shall notify his or her employer not [more than ten nor] less than two
- 5 working days before the day of the election that he $\underline{\text{or she}}$ requires time
 - 6 off to vote in accordance with the provisions of this section.
- 7 4. Not less than ten working days before every election, every employ-
- 8 er shall post conspicuously in the place of work where it can be seen
- $\,$ 9 $\,$ employees come or go to their place of work, a notice setting forth $\,$ the
- 10 provisions of this section. Such notice shall be kept posted until the
 - 11 close of the polls on election day.
 - 12 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.