

Amendment No. 487

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 497	(BDR 24-442)
<b>Proposed by:</b> Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments	
<b>Amendment Box:</b>	
<b>Resolves Conflicts with:</b> N/A	
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Amend section 1, page 2, line 2, by deleting “2” and inserting “3 *working*”.

Amend sec. 3, page 2, by deleting lines 6 through 11 and inserting:

“**Sec. 3.** *The subject of each petition for initiative must be accurately indicated in the title.*”.

Amend sec. 4, page 2, by deleting lines 12 through 17 and inserting:

“**Sec. 4.** *The subject of each petition for referendum must be accurately indicated in the title.*”.

Amend sec. 9, page 4, line 18, by deleting “*fifteen*” and inserting “*forty-five*”.

Amend sec. 12, page 6, lines 2 and 3, by deleting:

“~~In a county whose population is 40,000 or more, for~~ **For**” and inserting:

“In a county whose population is 40,000 or more, for”.

Amend sec. 12, page 7, by deleting lines 11 through 13 and inserting:

“6. If the board of a county whose population is 40,000 or more fails to appoint a committee as required pursuant to this section, the county clerk shall ~~[appoint the committee.]~~, ***in consultation with the district attorney, prepare an argument advocating approval by the voters of the initiative, referendum or other question and an argument opposing approval by the voters of the initiative, referendum or other question. Each argument prepared by the county clerk must satisfy the requirements of paragraph (f) of subsection 7 and any rules or regulations adopted by the county clerk pursuant to subsection 8. The county clerk shall not prepare the rebuttal of the arguments required pursuant to paragraph (e) of subsection 7.***”.

Amend sec. 12, page 7, lines 37 and 38, by deleting the brackets and strike-through.

Amend sec. 12, page 8, lines 27 through 32, by deleting the brackets and strike-through.

Amend sec. 16, page 11, line 12, by deleting “*fifteen*” and inserting “*forty-five*”.

Amend sec. 19, page 12, lines 42 and 43, by deleting:

“~~[In a city whose population is 10,000 or more, for]~~ ***For***” and inserting:

“In a city whose population is 10,000 or more, for”.

Amend sec. 19, page 14, by deleting lines 4 through 6 and inserting:

“6. If the council of a city whose population is 10,000 or more fails to appoint a committee as required pursuant to this section, the city clerk shall ~~[appoint the committee.]~~, ***in consultation with the city attorney, prepare an argument advocating approval by the voters of the initiative, referendum or other question and an argument opposing approval by the voters of the initiative, referendum or other question. Each argument prepared by the city clerk must satisfy the requirements of paragraph (f) of subsection 7 and any rules or regulations adopted by the county***

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*clerk pursuant to subsection 8. The county clerk shall not prepare the rebuttal of the arguments required pursuant to paragraph (e) of subsection 7.”.*

Amend sec. 19, page 14, line 30, by deleting the brackets and strike-through.

Amend sec. 19, page 15, lines 23 through 28, by deleting the brackets and strike-through.

Amend the title of the bill, third and fourth lines, by deleting:

“providing that a petition for initiative or referendum must embrace only one subject;” and inserting:

“providing that the subject of a petition for initiative or referendum must be accurately indicated in the title;”.