

1-1 By: King of Hemphill (Senate Sponsor - Seliger) H.B. No. 294  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 15, 2019;  
 1-3 April 17, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on  
 1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 9, 2019, reported adversely, with  
 1-5 favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 6, Nays  
 1-6 0; May 9, 2019, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	X			
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1-10			X	
1-11	X			
1-12	X			
1-13	X			
1-14	X			
1-15	X			

1-16 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 294 By: Nichols

1-17 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
 1-18 AN ACT

1-19 relating to a petition filed for a place on the ballot for the board  
 1-20 of directors of the Muleshoe Area Hospital District.

1-21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-22 SECTION 1. Section 1068.053, Special District Local Laws  
 1-23 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-24 Sec. 1068.053. BALLOT APPLICATION [~~PETITION~~]. A person who  
 1-25 wants to have the person's name printed on the ballot as a candidate  
 1-26 for director must file with the board secretary an application for a  
 1-27 place on the ballot [~~a petition requesting that action~~]. The  
 1-28 application [~~petition~~] must:

1-29 (1) [~~be signed by at least 25 registered voters of the~~  
 1-30 ~~district as determined by the most recent official list of~~  
 1-31 ~~registered voters;~~

1-32 [~~(2)~~] be filed not later than the 31st day before the  
 1-33 date of the election; and

1-34 (2) [~~(3)~~] specify the place for which the person is to  
 1-35 be a candidate.

1-36 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.

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