

NCA 19-007

CLASSIFICATION: #19. ELECTIONS

A LAW OF THE MUSCOGEE (CREEK) NATION AMENDING MCNCA TITLE 19 § 4-115, ENTITLED "Cancellation of registration"

Be it enacted by the National Council of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation:

SECTION ONE. AMENDMENT. This amendment shall be codified in Title 19, Chapter 4 of the Code of Laws of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation; provided that for purposes of codification said amendment and its inclusion in pocket parts of the Code of Laws for the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, the Attorney General is authorized (1) to approve any changes related to the manner in which sections, articles, chapters and sub-chapters are designated consistent with the format in the Code of Laws published in 2010 by West Publishing Company; (2) to include footnoted references to the legislative history in said pocket parts of the Code of Laws and; (3) to note in said pocket parts any editorial correction of minor clerical or grammatical errors in the following amendment, without further National Council approval:

SECTION TWO. <u>AMENDMENT</u>. MCNCA Title 19, § 4-115 is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 4-115. Cancellation of registration

- A. The registration of any registered voter may be canceled only for one of the following reasons: written notice of cancellation from the voter, death or registration with enrollment as a citizen of another Tribe. Provided, however, enrollment as a member of a Creek Tribal Town shall not be grounds for such cancellation.
- B. A registered voter may have his or her name removed from the registries of a district by appearing before or mailing to the Election Board a written notice for same.
- C. A list of deceased persons shall be maintained and their registration information kept separately on a master list of cancelled voter registrations. forms filed alphabetically in a special file. The master list of cancelled voter registrations may be filed and stored electronically within the Election Board office. These person's names shall be placed on said list included on the master list of cancelled voter registrations upon written notification from family or friends

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of said persons, or written notification from the Muscogee (Creek) Nation Citizenship, Muscogee (Creek) Nation Social Services and/or Muscogee (Creek) Nation Realty offices.

D. The master list of cancelled voter registrations shall include the following information:

- 1. Name of the voter whose registration has been cancelled;
- 2. The voter's last known address;
- 3. The voter's Muscogee (Creek) Nation enrollment number;
- 4. The reason for removal or cancellation of the voter registration;
- 5. The name, address and telephone number of the person or department providing the information which serves as the basis of the cancellation of the voter registration.
- 6. Any and all other information the Election Board may deem necessary and appropriate in order to ascertain and determine the accuracy of the basis for cancellation of a voter's registration.

SECTION THREE. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act shall become effective immediately upon proper approval and execution in accordance with the requirements of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation Constitution.

ENACTED by the Muscogee (Creek) National Council on this $\underline{26^{th}}$ day of $\underline{January}$, $\underline{2019}$.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Speaker of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council has hereto attached his signature.

Lucian Tiger III, Speaker

National Council

Muscogee (Creek) Nation

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing is a true extract from the minutes of the Muscogee (Creek) National Council comprised of Sixteen members with <u>Sixteen</u> members attending this meeting on the <u>26th</u> day of <u>January, 2019</u> and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of <u>15</u> in favor, <u>0</u> against and that said Law has not been rescinded or amended in any way and the above is the signature of the Speaker of the National Council.

Kristie A. Jackson, Recording Secretary Muscogee (Creek) National Council

APPROVAL

I, the Principal Chief of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation, hereby affix my signature on this day of ______, 2019 to the above Law, NCA 19-007 authorizing it to become a Law under Arlicle VI., Section VI., of the Constitution of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.

James R. Floyd, Principal Chief Muscogee (Creek) Nation

