Accessible Voting Act

A bill to be entitled An act to provide citizens with disabilities an accessible method of voting.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Dixie:

Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent. WHEREAS, all citizens of Dixie should be able to vote. WHEREAS, the state of Dixie should provide appropriate support for make sure that individuals with disabilities are able to fulfill their constitutional right to vote.

Section 2. Short title.—This act may be cited as the "Accessible Voting Act"

Section 3. A new subsection is added in <u>Title IX ELECTORS</u>

<u>AND ELECTIONS Chapter 101 VOTING METHODS AND PROCEDURE SECTION</u>

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The subsection shall read "A polling place in every election is required to have appropriate auxiliary aids and services to provide voters with disabilities an equal opportunity to participate in an election.

- (2) Appropriate auxiliary aids shall be defined as listening voting for blind individuals, sign language voting for deaf individuals and any devices that individuals with disabilities request.
- (3) A disabled individual can make a request for a appropriate auxiliary aid up to a week before an election.

 Section 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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