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AN ACT to amend 6.32 (1) of the statutes, relating to basis of appointing election officials on precinct vote.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

**6.32** (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

6.32 (1) Except as otherwise provided, there shall be 3 inspectors, 2 clerks of election and 2 ballot clerks at each poll at every election held under the provisions of this title, each of whom shall be a qualified elector in the election \* \* \* precinct, except for election boards serving more than one precinct pursuant to s. 6.045, and said electors shall be able to read and write the English language understandingly and not a candidate to be voted for at such election. Provided, \* \* \* that at polls where voting machines are used ballot clerks shall not be employed. Not more than 2 of such inspectors, nor one of said clerks of election, nor one of said ballot clerks, shall be members of the same political party, but each one of said officers shall be a member of one of the 2 political parties which cast the largest vote in the \* \* \* precinct at the last preceding general election, the party which cast the largest vote being entitled to 2

inspectors, one clerk and one ballot clerk, and the party receiving the next largest vote being entitled to the remainder of said officers. The basis for such division shall be the vote of each party for its presidential elector receiving the largest vote, or for its candidate for governor, at the last preceding general election.

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