



SF0108

Election purity and hand count-2.

Sponsored By: Senator(s) Laursen, D and Ide and Representative(s) Brady and Smith

AN ACT relating to elections; providing for the hand counting of ballots; establishing statewide standards related to the handling and counting of ballots; providing for the reconciling of ballot numbers; prohibiting the use of voting machines for casting or tabulating ballots; providing duties for county clerks and the secretary of state; revising requirements for the post-election ballot audit; requiring rulemaking; revising offenses related to elections; providing penalties; making conforming amendments; repealing conflicting provisions; making legislative findings; specifying applicability; and providing for an effective date.

2/10/2026 Bill Number Assigned
2/11/2026 S Received for Introduction
2/12/2026 S Failed Introduction 9-22-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Biteman, French, Hutchings, Ide, Laursen, Mckeown, Nethercott, Pearson, Salazar

Nays: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Boner, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, Gierau, Hicks, Jones, Kolb, Landen, Love, Olsen, Pappas, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Ayes 9 **Nays** 22 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0