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Bill Analysis

SB 1991 prohibits the state or any political subdivision from adopting any voting method that allows qualified electors to rank candidates for any office in order of preference or tabulates ballots cast in multiple rounds following the elimination of a candidate until a single candidate attains a majority. This prohibition shall not apply to the internal processes of a political party. The measure provides that any person aggrieved by a violation may bring a civil action for declaratory or injunctive relief. The prevailing party may be awarded court costs and attorney fees. The Attorney General is authorized to enforce the provisions of this measure.

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