FINAL BILL REPORT

SB 6278

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Synopsis as Enacted

Brief Description: Specifying the number of signatures required on a petition to place on the ballot the question of changing the name of a port district.

Sponsors: Senators Horn, McCaslin and T. Sheldon.

Senate Committee on Government Operations House Committee on Government Administration

Background: The signatures of at least 250 registered voters residing within a port district are required on a petition to place on the ballot the question of changing the name of the district.

Summary: The signatures of at least 10 percent of the voters in the last general port election are required on a petition to place on the ballot the question of changing the name of the port district, which must be done at the next general port election.

Votes on Final Passage:

Senate 44 3

House 97 0 (House amended) Senate 40 1 (Senate concurred)

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