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Prescribed by Secretary of State
Section 103.002, Texas Election Code
9/2023

Name of Form:

Application for Emergency Ballot Due to Death in Family.

Section Reference:

Section 103.002, Texas Election Code.

Purpose:

To allow a voter to vote who will be absent from the county of residence on election day because of a death that occurs on or after the day before the last day of the period for early voting by personal appearance. The voter must be related within the second degree of consanguinity or affinity to the deceased person.

Number of Copies Required:

One.

Completed by:

The Voter; Early Voting Clerk administers oath.

Filing Date

On or after the 3rd day before election day and before the close of business the day before the election.

Filed with:

Early Voting Clerk, in person.

Comments:

- 1. This form incorporates an application to vote early with an affidavit qualifying the voter to vote by this procedure.
- 2. The affidavit on the carrier envelope need not be completed when a voter is voting under this procedure. The early voting clerk shall, however, make a notation "Late ballot due to death" on the carrier envelope.
- 3. This special provision for voting a late ballot is conducted with the balloting materials for voting by mail.

Version:

Current form is dated 9/2023*.

*Previous version of the form dated 1/2022 may still be used.