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Bill Number: **SB 68**
Proponent or Opponent: **Proponent**
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I would like to share with you my thoughts on SB 68. With so much activity involving non-citizens coming into the U.S. and not having a way to easily identify a non-citizen through our current voter registration system, I am fully in favor of amending 12-3-1 to strengthen our elections and only allow a U.S. Citizen to vote and implementing a penalty for violation.

I have found over the past two years that I have been the Auditor of Minnehaha County that we do have non-citizens that have been processed through the voter registration system. Many of these are unintentional and have been errors through the Department of Public Safety. Some could be intentional. The problem is that we do not have a way at the state or county level to verify and validate citizenship.

So please “do pass” this bill with a Yes Vote!

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