

## Andrea Gyger

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Andrea,

According to the proposed statement of basis, purpose and specific statutory authority, the proposed rules and revisions to specific rules “are necessary to implement changes made by House Bill 09-1335. . .certification of voting systems.”

I do not understand the reasoning for proposed rule 35.2, as related to accessibility. I see nothing in this particular House Bill to justify the requirements, and the requirements would at the very least disqualify accessible voting units in all counties that use HART equipment. I can’t speak for the counties that use other vendors, I am not very familiar with their equipment.

I, for one, would like to know what is the driving force behind rule 35.2. My opinion is that the requirements of 35.2 are totally unnecessary and should be stricken from this process.

If you could respond, it would be greatly appreciated.

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