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NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AMENDMENT
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AMENDMENT NO. A16
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Amends Title [NO]
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Representative Prather

moves to amend the bill on page 27, lines 32-48, by rewriting those lines to read:

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- "(2) If ballots are received later than the hour stated in subdivision (1) of this subsection, those ballots shall not be accepted unless one of the following applies:
 - a. Federal law so requires.
 - b. The ballots issued under this Article ~~are postmarked and that postmark is dated on or before the day of the statewide primary or general election or county bond election and~~ are received by the county board of elections not later than three days after the election by ~~5:00 p.m.~~5:00 P.M. and a state of emergency under Chapter 166A of the General Statutes was in effect for the county within the 30 days before the election.
 - c. The ballots issued under Article 21A of this Chapter are received by the county board of elections not later than the end of business on the



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- 1 business day before the canvass conducted by the county board of
2 elections held pursuant to G.S. 163-182.5.
3 d. The State Board or a court order extended the closing time of the polls
4 and the ballots are received by the closing time as extended by the
5 State Board or court order in order to be counted."
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SIGNED _____
Amendment Sponsor

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Committee Chair if Senate Committee Amendment

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