

Caltech/MIT Voting Technology Project

VOTING: WHAT IS, WHAT COULD BE

ERRATA SHEET

Part II

Equipment

Page 17, second paragraph

The state of Wyoming should not have been listed in the second sentence. The rate of unmarked, uncounted, and spoiled ballots in the state of Wyoming is 1.5%, which is not higher than the rate of Florida. (See also correction to the Appendix page 89, below.)

Registration

Page 28, first full paragraph

The reference to a Los Angeles County audit reporting one in four duplicate voter registrations is incorrect. Based on census demographics of major metropolitan areas, L.A. County Registrar of Voters Conny McCormack, in a presentation in March 2001, estimated that as many as one in four people move each year in L.A. County but that is not a good measure of the number of duplicate registrations. Routine voter file maintenance includes computer matching of U.S. Postal change of address records with the voter file to update voters' records. L.A. County examined its voting rolls and found that only 9 percent of their registered voters had not voted over a four-year period.

Part III

A New Framework for Voting Technology

Pages 58—64

A credit due to David Jefferson of Compaq Computer Corporation was inadvertently omitted from the report. The "FROG" modular voting architecture was developed by Jehoshua ("Shuki") Bruck of Caltech, David Jefferson of Compaq, and Ron Rivest of MIT.

Appendix

Residual Vote by State, 1996 and 2000

Page 89

The residual vote rate listed for the state of Wyoming for the year 2000 should be 1.5.