

721—21.8(48A) Notice to election day registrant. The commissioner shall send to each person who registers to vote on election day, pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 653, section 2, an acknowledgment of the registration by nonforwardable mail. If the postal service returns the acknowledgment as undeliverable, the commissioner shall send a notice to the voter by forwardable mail. The notice shall be in substantially the following form:

Dear [name of voter],

You have registered and voted under Iowa’s Election Day registration law. On [date], this office mailed an acknowledgment to you at the address you used on the voter registration form. The United States Postal Service has returned that acknowledgment to us as undeliverable.

Please return the enclosed response form no later than [date]. If we do not receive your response by [date], your voter registration record will be made inactive and we will notify the county attorney and the State Registrar of Voters.

Please note that voter registration fraud is a felony under Iowa law. Registration fraud includes submitting a voter registration application that is known by the person to be materially false, fictitious, forged, or fraudulent.

County Auditor and Commissioner of Elections

Date: _____

Response Form

Please confirm your residence at:

[address on registration]
OR

Explain why the Postal Service does not deliver your mail to that address.

There appears to be an error in recording my address. My correct address is: _____

I receive mail at a different address. My mailing address is: _____

My address has changed since election day. My current address is: _____

The Postal Service made a mistake. I do reside at [list registration address]: _____

Other, please explain: _____

Signature of registrant

Date: _____

This rule is intended to implement 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 653.