HB 649 -- Absentee Ballots

Sponsor: Webber

This bill allows absentee ballots to be sent by facsimile or under a program approved by the United States Department of Defense for the electronic transmission of election materials to persons in federal service if the Secretary of State determines that the person is in an inaccessible location on election day. Absentee ballots cast by absent uniformed services voters that are postmarked on or prior to election day and received within seven days of the election are to be counted.