LATEST ENROLLMENT STATISTICS RELEASED BY STATE BOARD

ALBANY, NY--(4/08/98) The number of registered voters in New York increased slightly since November of 1997, according to the New York State Board of Elections. County Boards of Elections reported a total of 10,551,375 registered voters as of April 1, 1998, an increase of only 815 voters.

Since November of 1997, the number of voters choosing not to enroll in any party has decreased by 18,944. Enrollment changes for the seven New York Parties are as follows: Democratic, -6,317; Republican, +9,035; Conservative, +1,619; Independence, +14,862; Liberal, -832; Right To Life, +257 and Freedom, +1,108.

Voters interested in registering to vote may call the New York State Board of Elections hotline at 1-800-FOR-VOTE (1-800-367-8683) or may call their local county board. Residents may also register at Motor Vehicle offices, state public assistance agencies and other state agencies providing services to people with disabilities and other needs.