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SECRETARY LANDRY ISSUES STATEMENT ON PRESIDENT TRUMP'S EXECUTIVE ORDER

BATON ROUGE, La. — Louisiana Secretary of State Nancy Landry issued the following statement regarding President Trump's Executive Order on Preserving and Protecting the Integrity of American Elections:

“I thank President Trump for his recent executive order concerning the security of our elections. By directing agencies under his purview to provide critical data regarding immigration, illegal non-citizen voting, and the Social Security Administration's Death Index, our state will have the crucial tools it needs to further ensure that our voter rolls are accurate.

Further, by reforming how the Election Assistance Commission lists citizenship requirements on its national voter registration form, our state will more quickly be able to implement and enforce Act 500 of the 2024 legislative session.

I believe this executive order respects the states' Constitutional authority to administer elections, per Article I, Section 2, while requiring the federal government to give the states the tools they need to keep our elections safe and secure.”

This executive order comes the same week that The Heritage Foundation announced that Louisiana is ranked second in the nation on its updated [Election Integrity Scorecard](#).

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