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<b>COMPLIANCE WITH THE FOR THE PEOPLE ACT, H. R. 1</b>	<b>SB 304</b>	<b>Status Quo</b>
Redistricting maps must be drawn by independent redistricting commissions, not lawmakers (Sec. 2401(a))	Yes	No
Prohibits the use of partisan data, voting history, party registration, unless necessary to comply with federal law (Sec. 2403(b)2)	Yes	No
Prohibits plans that favor a political party or an incumbent (Sec. 2403(c)1)	Yes	No
Explicitly requires compliance with Voting Rights Act (Sec. 2401(a)2)	Yes	No
Must take into account tribal governances and communities of interest (Sec. 2401(a)4)	Yes	No
<b>ADDITIONAL COMPARISON</b>	<b>SB 304</b>	<b>Status Quo</b>
Endorsed by Tribal Governments, State Ethics Commission, legislators from both caucuses, Common Cause and League of Women Voters	Yes	No
Requires a minimum of 12 public meetings (complying with the Open Meetings Act) to identify communities of interest, concerns for minority vote dilution, and other relevant criteria, as well as to share proposed plans	Yes	No
Requires compiling, indexing, maintaining and providing public access to the record of public meetings	Yes	No
Requires plans to be based in part on testimony, documents and information received during public meetings	Yes	No
Maintains status quo: lawmakers draw their own districts	No	Yes
Dilutes representation of communities of interest	No	Yes
Prevents voter participation and visibility into redistricting	No	Yes