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1 A bill to be entitled

An act relating to the presidential preference primary; amending s. 103.101, F.S.,; revising the date of the presidential preference primary; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 103.101, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

103.101 Presidential preference primary.

(1) Each political party other than a minor political party shall, at the presidential preference primary, elect one person to be the party's candidate for nomination for President of the United States or select delegates to the party's national nominating convention, as provided by party rule. The presidential preference primary shall be held on the third in each year the number of which is a multiple of 4 on the first Tuesday in March in each presidential election year that the rules of the major political parties provide for state delegations to be allocated without penalty. Any party rule directing the vote of delegates at a national nominating convention shall reasonably reflect the results of the presidential preference primary, if one is held.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

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