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SYNOPSIS

Requires school districts to close schools on days of general and primary elections.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 **AN ACT** concerning the school calendar and supplementing chapter
2 36 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. A board of education shall close the schools of the district
8 on the day of a general election or on the day of a primary election
9 for the general election.

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11 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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16 Current law provides each board of education with the discretion
17 to annually determine the dates on which the schools of the district
18 will be in session, in accordance with law. This bill requires a
19 board of education to close the schools of the district on the day of
20 a general election or on the day of a primary election for the general
21 election.