

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 87th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2009

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1646

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5 By: Representative Rainey  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE AT LEAST ONE (1) POLLING PLACE  
10 IN EACH COUNTY FOR SCHOOL ELECTIONS WHEN A SCHOOL  
11 DISTRICT HAS TERRITORY IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES; AND  
12 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

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15 PLACE IN EACH COUNTY FOR SCHOOL  
16 ELECTIONS WHEN A SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS  
17 TERRITORY IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-14-106(b) and (c) concerning voter access  
24 to polling sites is amended to read as follows:

25 (b) If a school district has territory in more than one (1) county,  
26 the county board of election commissioners of the county in which ~~it~~ the  
27 school district is domiciled shall ~~either~~

28 ~~(1) Designate one (1) or more polling sites in each county in~~  
29 ~~which any part of the school district lies; or~~

30 ~~(2) Designate one (1) or more polling sites in the county in~~  
31 ~~which the school district is domiciled for administrative purposes, at which~~  
32 ~~all qualified electors of the school district, regardless of their county of~~  
33 ~~residence, may vote~~ designate one (1) or more polling sites in each county  
34 having registered electors in a school election.

35 (c) ~~When the county board of election commissioners of any county in~~  
36 ~~which a school district is domiciled for administrative purposes determines~~



1 ~~that a polling site shall not be designated in the other county in which a~~  
2 ~~portion of the school district lies, it shall designate and publish in a~~  
3 ~~paper of general circulation in that area the location of the polling site in~~  
4 ~~the county in which the school district is administered for those electors of~~  
5 ~~the school district in the other county to vote.~~ The county board of election  
6 commissioners shall take appropriate action to assure that the necessary  
7 precinct registration files are delivered to ~~that~~ each polling site in order  
8 that the electors in ~~the nonadministering~~ each county may vote in the school  
9 election.

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