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A Bill

SENATE BILL 45

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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL
10 SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

13 TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL
14 SCHOOL ELECTIONS.
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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-14-106(a), concerning polling places for
20 the annual school election, is amended to read as follows:

21 (a)(1) The county board of election commissioners of each county shall
22 designate all the polling sites for each school district in its respective
23 county, including districts having territory in more than one (1) county but
24 which are domiciled in its county for administrative purposes, and shall
25 provide the election supplies and appoint the election officials for holding
26 all school elections.

27 (2) The county board shall consult with each school district
28 regarding:

29 (A) The number of polling sites to designate for each
30 school district; and

31 (B) The location of the polling sites.

32 (3) Each polling site for a school district's annual school
33 election shall be located within the school district.
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35 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-14-118(a), concerning expenses of the
36 annual school election, is amended to read as follows:



1 (a)(1) In school elections, the school districts in the county shall
2 reimburse the county for the ~~entire~~ cost of the election less expenses
3 incurred for election officials at individual polling places, with each
4 school district's share of the total being determined by multiplying the
5 total cost of the election by a fraction, the numerator of which is the
6 number of votes cast in the specific school election and the denominator of
7 which is the total number of votes cast in the entire election.

8 (2) Expenses incurred for election officials at individual
9 polling places shall be paid by the school district in which the polling
10 place is located.