

ENROLLED HOUSE
BILL NO. 2369

By: Jones of the House

and

Laughlin of the Senate

An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 2001, Section 13A-103, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 485, O.S.L. 2003 (26 O.S. Supp. 2003, Section 13A-103), which relates to school district elections; providing an exception to the school district election date in certain years; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 2001, Section 13A-103, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 485, O.S.L. 2003 (26 O.S. Supp. 2003, Section 13A-103), is amended to read as follows:

Section 13A-103. A. The election of members of the board of education of every school district and technology center school district shall be conducted on the second Tuesday in February of each year, except in ~~the any year 2004,~~ when a Presidential Preferential Primary is held in February, then the election shall be held on the ~~fourth Tuesday in February~~ same day as the Presidential Preferential Primary.

If no candidate receives more than fifty percent (50%) of the votes cast in the election provided for in this subsection, an election between the two candidates with the highest number of votes shall be conducted on the first Tuesday in April of that year.

B. Elections on the question of making a levy or levies for schools under Section 9, Section 9B or Section 10 of Article X of the Oklahoma Constitution shall be held on the second Tuesday in February of each year, except in any year when a Presidential Preferential Primary is held in February, then the election shall be held on the same day as the Presidential Preferential Primary.

C. The board of education of every school district or technology center school district may call a special election for the purpose of voting on any matter or question authorized by law.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2004.

Passed the House of Representatives the 8th day of March, 2004.

Presiding Officer of the House of
Representatives

Passed the Senate the 5th day of April, 2004.

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