

HB 0195

2005

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to elections; creating s. 98.485, F.S.;
3 requiring each county supervisor of elections to submit to
4 the district school board a calendar of election dates;
5 requiring teacher planning days to coincide with election
6 dates and schools to be made available as polling places;
7 requiring timely notification; providing an effective
8 date.

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

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12 Section 1. Section 98.485, Florida Statutes, is created to
13 read:

14 98.485 Election dates.--The supervisor of elections in
15 each county shall submit to the respective district school board
16 a calendar of election dates. Based on the submission of such
17 information, each district school board shall set its teacher
18 planning days to coincide with election dates and make its
19 schools available as polling places. The supervisor of elections
20 shall coordinate with the district school board to ensure that
21 the district school board is notified in a timely manner for
22 purposes of planning for the school year.

23 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005.