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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate House

Representative(s) Schwartz offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove lines 22-33, and insert:

Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 103.101, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

103.101 Presidential preference primary.--

- (1) Each political party other than a minor political party shall, on the $\underline{\text{first}}$ last Tuesday in $\underline{\text{February}}$ January in each year the number of which is a multiple of 4, elect one person to be the candidate for nomination of such party for President of the United States or select delegates to the national nominating convention, as provided by party rule.
- Section 2. <u>Pursuant to Section 5 of Article XI of the State Constitution, there shall be a special election on February 5, 2008, to be held concurrently with other statewide 203707</u>

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elections held on that date, if any, at which there shall be submitted to the electors of this state for approval or rejection the amendments to the State Constitution proposed in Senate Joint Resolution 2-D or House Joint Resolution 7001D, 2007D Special Session.

Section 3. <u>Publication of notice shall be in accordance</u> with Section 5 of Article XI of the State Constitution. The special election shall be held as other special elections are held.

Section 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any requirements or prerequisites imposed upon any state, county, municipal, or other governmental entity or political party relating to the January 29, 2008, presidential preference primary shall be deemed met and satisfied for purposes of the presidential preferential primary held on February 5, 2008, pursuant to this act.

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Remove lines 2-17 and insert:

An act relating to elections; amending s. 103.101, F.S.; moving the date of the presidential preference primary; providing for a special election to be held February 5, 2008, pursuant to Section 5 of Article XI of the State Constitution, for the approval or rejection by the electors of this state of amendments to the State Constitution, proposed by joint resolution, relating to a tangible personal property tax exemption, homestead property assessments, assessment of rentrestricted affordable housing and commercial and public-access 203707

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waterfront property, assessment increase limitation for nonhomestead real property, increased homestead exemption and additional homestead exemption for first-time homestead property owners and an exemption for low-income seniors, limitations on local government authority to increase ad valorem taxes, and elected county property appraisers; providing for publication of notice and for procedures; providing for satisfaction of certain requirements and prerequisites relating to the January 29, 2008, presidential preference primary for purposes of a replacement February 5, 2008, presidential preference primary; providing an appropriation; providing