

By Senator Hill

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1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to Veterans' Day; requiring school
3 districts to observe Veterans' Day; prohibiting holding
4 classes on that day; providing an exception; requiring the
5 date of the Veterans' Day observance to correspond with
6 the federal holiday; providing an effective date.

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

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10 Section 1. Each school district must observe November 11 of
11 each year as the Veterans' Day holiday. Classes may not be held
12 on such holiday for any reason except for a declared state
13 emergency. If November 11 falls on a Saturday or Sunday, a school
14 holiday shall be observed on a weekday immediately following or
15 preceding that weekend so as to correspond with the date that
16 Veterans' Day is observed as a federal holiday.

17 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008.