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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Smith moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Before line 17

insert:

Section 1. Subsection (4) of section 103.091, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

103.091 Political parties.—

(4) A ~~Any~~ political party other than a minor political party may by rule provide for the membership of its state or county executive committee to be elected at an election conducted by and for the political party, which election is independent of the county. The election shall be held for 4-year terms at the primary election in August of each year that a



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14 presidential election is held. The members of an executive  
15 committee shall be elected to 4-year terms commencing shall  
16 ~~commence~~ on the first day of the month following the each  
17 ~~presidential general election; but the names of candidates for~~  
18 ~~political party offices shall not be placed on the ballot at any~~  
19 ~~other~~ election. The results of such election shall be determined  
20 by a plurality of the votes cast. ~~In such event,~~ Electors  
21 seeking to qualify for such office shall do so with the  
22 qualifying officer for the party ~~Department of State or~~  
23 ~~supervisor of elections~~ not earlier than noon of the 71st day,  
24 or later than noon of the 67th day, preceding the ~~primary~~  
25 election. The outgoing chair of each county executive committee  
26 shall, within 30 days after the committee members take office,  
27 hold an organizational meeting of all newly elected members for  
28 the purpose of electing officers. The chair of each state  
29 executive committee shall, within 60 days after the committee  
30 members take office, hold an organizational meeting of all newly  
31 elected members for the purpose of electing officers.

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33 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

34 And the title is amended as follows:

35 Between lines 2 and 3

36 insert:

37 103.091, F.S.; revising the process by which the state  
38 or county executive committee of a political party is  
39 elected; amending s.