

2021 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 149

BY SENATOR HARRIS

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

ELECTION DAYS. Provides for a special election for submission of proposed constitutional amendments to the electors. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To provide for a special statewide election on the second Saturday in October of 2021, for
3 the purpose of submitting constitutional amendments to the electors of the state; to
4 provide for the conduct of such election; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. A special statewide election shall be held on the second Saturday in
7 October of 2021, for the sole purpose of submitting to the electors of the state any proposed
8 constitutional amendment as proposed by Joint Resolutions of the legislature enacted during
9 any special or regular session of the legislature in 2021.

10 Section 2. The election for which provision is made in this Act shall be held in
11 compliance with and subject to the applicable provisions of the election laws of the state.
12 Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, for each precinct for such statewide
13 special election in which no other election is being conducted, there shall be two
14 commissioners and two alternate commissioners, selected by the parish board of election
15 supervisors in accordance with the laws of this state governing the selection of
16 commissioners and a commissioner-in-charge.

17 Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not

1 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
 2 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
 3 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
 4 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Michael Bell.

DIGEST

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Proposed law provides for a special election to be held on the second Saturday in October of 2021 for the sole purpose of submitting to the electors of the state any proposed constitutional amendment as enacted during any regular or special session of the legislature in 2021.

Proposed law provides for two election commissioners and two alternate commissioners at each precinct for such elections.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.