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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 9, 2023

Introduced by Sens. JACKSON, FERNANDEZ -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Elections -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the election law, in relation to prohibiting a court from bifurcating certain primary elections

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 8-100 of the election law is amended by adding a new subdivision 5 to read as follows:

5. (a) No court shall issue an order changing the date of a primary election which bifurcates the offices and positions to be elected and nominations to be made as part of the same primary election pursuant to paragraph (a) of subdivision one of this section.

(b) The provisions of this subdivision shall not apply to any presidential primary.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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