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A bill to be entitled  
An act relating to Hillsborough County;  
amending chapter 67-945, Laws of Florida, as  
amended; providing for the election of school  
board members at the time of the first primary  
and general elections as provided by law;  
providing for any runoff to be held at the same  
time as the general election; providing an  
effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 3 of chapter 67-945, Laws of  
Florida, as amended by chapter 75-393, Laws of Florida, is  
amended to read:

Section 3. The seven (7) members of the board shall  
~~henceforth~~ be elected in nonpartisan elections. There shall be  
no political party affiliation shown on the ballot and no  
political party affiliation or association shall be used by  
any candidate during the campaign. Election of school board  
members shall be held at the same time as the first primary  
election and the general ~~second primary~~ election as provided  
by law. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast  
in a nonpartisan primary held at the same time as the first  
primary election, a runoff election will be held at the same  
time as the general ~~second primary~~ election.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a  
law.