
DIGEST

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Abstract: Requires public schools to excuse students for up to two hours for the purpose of voting during certain elections.

Present law generally requires parents of children between the ages of six and 18 to send their children to school. Relative to a child being temporarily excused from school, permits temporary absences for certain circumstances.

Proposed law excuses students registered to vote from class for up to two hours for the purpose of voting in congressional primary and general elections. Requires public school governing authorities to adopt rules for implementation of proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 17:226(C))