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S.B. No. 1034

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the date of the general election of certain
3 municipalities.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 41.0053, Election Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

7 (c) A city described by Subsection (a)(1) shall change the
8 date used for the general or special election of its officers to the
9 uniform election date in November if at an election held in the city
10 a majority of the votes cast approve a measure that requires the
11 use of the November date for that purpose. A city changing an
12 election date under this subsection shall adjust the terms of
13 office to conform to the new election date.

14 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2011.