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S.B. No. 1885

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT
2 relating to the location of certain temporary branch early voting
3 polling places.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 85.062, Election Code, is amended by
6 adding Subsection (c-1) to read as follows:

7 (c-1) In a county with a population of 100,000 or more, the
8 location of a movable polling place established under this section
9 may be changed only:

- 10 (1) once during the early voting period; and
11 (2) after at least half of the early voting period has
12 concluded.

13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
14 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
15 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
16 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
17 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.