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S.F. No. 3616

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1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to elections; allowing postsecondary institutions to request a temporary

1.3polling place on the institution's campus; amending Minnesota Statutes 2023

1.4Supplement, section 203B.081, subdivision 4.

1.5BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 203B.081, subdivision 4, is

1.7amended to read:

1.8Subd. 4. **Temporary locations.** (a) A county auditor or municipal clerk authorized under

1.9section 203B.05 to administer voting before election day may designate additional polling

1.10places with days and hours that differ from those required by section 203B.085. A designation

1.11authorized by this subdivision must be made at least 47 days before the election. The county

1.12auditor or municipal clerk must provide notice to the secretary of state at the time that the

1.13designations are made.

1.14(b) At the request of a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a reservation in the county,

1.15the county auditor must establish an additional polling place for at least one day on the

1.16Indian reservation on a site agreed upon by the Tribe and the county auditor that is accessible

1.17to the county auditor by a public road.

1.18(c) At the request of a postsecondary institution in the county, the county auditor must

1.19establish an additional polling place for at least one day on the institution's campus at a

1.20location that is agreed upon by the institution and the county auditor and that is accessible

1.21to the public.