

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2023 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

House Bill 3488

By Delegate Cannon

[Introduced February 14, 2023; Referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §3-5-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to
 2 changing the time of holding primary elections in this state to the second Tuesday in
 3 August 2024, and in each second year thereafter.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 5. PRIMARY ELECTIONS AND NOMINATING PROCEDURES.

§3-5-1. Time and place of holding primary elections in the year one thousand nine hundred eighty and thereafter; hours polls open.

1 Primary elections shall be held at the voting place in each of the voting precincts in the
 2 state, for the purposes set forth in this article, on the second Tuesday in ~~May 1986~~ July 2024 and in
 3 each second year thereafter.

4 At such election the polls shall be opened and closed at the hours provided for opening and
 5 closing the polls in a general election.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to change the time of holding primary elections to the second Tuesday in July 2024, and in each second year thereafter.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.