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This has promise, especially if the examples of “flooding” and “splitting” are true. However, many conscientious voters have been conditioned to expect the candidates from traditional parties to adhere to the principles for which those parties have historically stood. Accordingly, such voters take the easy way and vote along party lines without doing much research. A combined primary may create confusion for them. Notwithstanding, the idea is so innovative that it is worth trying. I just hope we would have the enlightenment to return to the status quo if it doesn't work.