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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to appointment of superintendents

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Section 1711 of the education law is amended by adding 2 three new subdivisions 3-a, 5 and 6 to read as follows:

3 3-A. (A) A BOARD OF EDUCATION OF A UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT, A 4 COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT, A CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT AND A CENTRAL HIGH 5 SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENT AS COMPENSATION FOR THE 6 REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT SHOULD EMPLOYMENT BE 7 TERMINATED FOR JUST CAUSE.

8 (B) IN ALL OTHER INSTANCES, A BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL HAVE THE 9 AUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT A COMPENSATION AGREEMENT AS PAYMENT FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT, 10 PROVIDED HOWEVER, NO BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL MAKE ANY PAYMENT IN EXCESS 11 12 TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN OF THE CURRENT CONTRACT. IN THE EVENT THERE IS LESS 13 THAN ONE FULLYEAR 14 REMAINING ON THE CONTRACT, THE COMPENSATION AGREEMENT SHALL NOT EXCEED TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR 15 IΝ THE CONTRACT PROPORTIONALLY REDUCED TO REFLECT THE NUMBER OF MONTHS 16 17 REMAINING IN THE CONTRACT.

18 (C) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SUBDIVISION, COMPENSATION SHALL MEAN SALA-19 RY AND BENEFITS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO: ACCRUED AND UNUSED VACA-20 TION OR SICK LEAVE CREDITS, HEALTH INSURANCE, DISABILITY INSURANCE, LIFE 21 INSURANCE, AND TRAVEL EXPENSES.

(D) AT THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
THE PUBLIC SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF THE INITIATION OF NEGOTIATIONS PURSUANT
TO PARAGRAPH (B) OF THIS SUBDIVISION. NO NEGOTIATIONS SHALL BE FINALIZED
PRIOR TO SUCH PUBLIC NOTICE.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[] is old law to be omitted.

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(A) CHARGES AGAINST A SUPERINTENDENT MAY ONLY BE BROUGHT BY THE 1 5. 2 BOARD OF EDUCATION AND ALL SUCH CHARGES SHALL BE IN WRITING. THE SUPER-3 INTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO A FAIR HEARING ON SAID CHARGES, UPON AT 4 LEAST THIRTY DAYS NOTICE, BEFORE AN INDEPENDENT HEARING OFFICER WHO 5 SHALL BE AN ATTORNEY AT LAW IN GOOD STANDING IN THIS STATE. THE HEARING 6 SHALL BE IN EXECUTIVE OR PUBLIC SESSION, AT THE OPTION OF THE SUPER-7 THE HEARING OFFICER MAY BE SELECTED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT INTENDENT. BETWEEN THE SUPERINTENDENT AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR, IN THE EVENT 8 NO SUCH AGREEMENT IS REACHED WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS AFTER THE SUPERINTEN-9 10 DENT'S RECEIPT OF THE WRITTEN CHARGES, A REQUEST SHALL BE MADE TO THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, BY THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR A LIST OF 11 THREE OUALIFIED HEARING OFFICERS. THEREAFTER, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION 12 SHALL HAVE THREE BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE RECEIPT OF THE LIST OF QUALIFIED 13 14 HEARING OFFICERS TO SELECT THE HEARING OFFICER.

15 (B) A SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO DUE PROCESS PROTECTION AT 16 SUCH HEARING, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE RIGHT TO ELECT A PUBLIC OR PRIVATE HEARING; TO BE REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL, TO PRESENT, CROSS-EXA-17 MINE AND SUBPOENA WITNESSES, TO SUBPOENA DOCUMENTS, PAPERS, LETTERS, OR 18 19 OTHER TANGIBLE EVIDENCE, TO HAVE ALL TESTIMONY GIVEN UNDER OATH, TO RECEIVE WITHOUT COST AN ACCURATE WRITTEN TRANSCRIPT OF THE PROCEEDINGS; 20 21 AND TO RECEIVE FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW. THE HEARING 22 OFFICER'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL UPON THE PARTIES, SUBJECT TO THEIR RESPECTIVE RIGHTS TO APPEAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. THE DISTRICT, AT ITS 23 24 EXPENSE, SHALL PROVIDE A CERTIFIED SHORTHAND OR COURT REPORTER WHO SHALL 25 TRANSCRIBE ALL PROCEEDINGS.

26 (C) ANY CRITICISMS OR COMPLAINTS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN PREVIOUSLY 27 FORWARDED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBDIVISION OR 28 CHARGES BASED UPON AN ALLEGATION WHICH WAS MADE KNOWN IN WRITING TO THE 29 SUPERINTENDENT BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MORE THAN EIGHTEEN MONTHS BEFORE THE CHARGE IS FILED, SHALL NOT BE ADMISSIBLE AT SUCH A HEARING 30 AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT. THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL STRIKE FROM THE 31 32 WRITTEN CHARGE OR CHARGES ANY SUCH CHARGE MADE AGAINST THE SUPERINTEN-DENT. SUCH LIMITATION SHALL NOT APPLY WHERE SUCH COMPLAINTS OR CHARGES 33 34 WOULD, IF PROVED IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, CONSTITUTE A 35 CRIME.

(D) THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL, UPON THE CONCLUSION OF THE HEARING, PREPARE AND SUBMIT A WRITTEN DECISION, WHICH DECISION SHALL INCLUDE FINDINGS OF FACT AND A DISPOSITION OF EACH CHARGE. BOTH THE BOARD OF DUCATION AND SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE BOUND BY THE DECISION OF THE HEAR-ING OFFICER. BOTH PARTIES SHALL, HOWEVER, RETAIN THEIR RIGHT TO APPEAL THE DECISION OF THE HEARING OFFICER TO A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDIC-TION.

(E) IF THE CHARGES AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT ARE DEEMED ARBITRARY AND
CAPRICIOUS AT SUCH HEARING OR AFTER ANY APPEAL THEREFROM, THE BOARD OF
EDUCATION SHALL REIMBURSE THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR HIS OR HER COSTS AND
ATTORNEYS FEES INCURRED IN DEFENSE OF THE CHARGES OR APPEAL.

6. ALL CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. ANY CONTRACTS
INCONSISTENT WITH PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE
AND EFFECT, PROVIDED THAT ANY RENEWAL BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SUCH
CONTRACT SHALL CONTAIN THE PROVISIONS SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.

52 S 2. Section 2507 of the education law is amended by adding three new 53 subdivisions 3, 4 and 5 to read as follows:

54 3. (A) A BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENT AS COMPENSATION 55 FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT SHOULD 56 EMPLOYMENT BE TERMINATED FOR JUST CAUSE.

(B) IN ALL OTHER INSTANCES, A BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL HAVE THE 1 2 AUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT A COMPENSATION AGREEMENT 3 AS PAYMENT FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT, 4 PROVIDED HOWEVER, NO BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL MAKE ANY PAYMENT IN EXCESS 5 TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN OF THE CURRENT CONTRACT. IN THE EVENT THERE IS LESS THAN ONE FULL 6 YEAR 7 REMAINING ON THE CONTRACT, THE COMPENSATION AGREEMENT SHALL NOT EXCEED 8 TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN THE CONTRACT PROPORTIONALLY REDUCED TO REFLECT THE NUMBER OF MONTHS 9 10 REMAINING IN THE CONTRACT.

11 (C) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SUBDIVISION, COMPENSATION SHALL MEAN SALA-12 RY AND BENEFITS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO: ACCRUED AND UNUSED VACA-13 TION OR SICK LEAVE CREDITS, HEALTH INSURANCE, DISABILITY INSURANCE, LIFE 14 INSURANCE, AND TRAVEL EXPENSES.

(D) AT THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
THE PUBLIC SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF THE INITIATION OF NEGOTIATIONS PURSUANT
TO PARAGRAPH (B) OF THIS SUBDIVISION. NO NEGOTIATIONS SHALL BE FINALIZED
PRIOR TO SUCH PUBLIC NOTICE.

(A) CHARGES AGAINST A SUPERINTENDENT MAY ONLY BE BROUGHT 19 BY 4. THE 20 BOARD OF EDUCATION AND ALL SUCH CHARGES SHALL BE IN WRITING. THE SUPER-21 INTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO A FAIR HEARING ON SAID CHARGES, UPON AT 22 LEAST THIRTY DAYS NOTICE, BEFORE AN INDEPENDENT HEARING OFFICER WHO SHALL BE AN ATTORNEY AT LAW IN GOOD STANDING IN THIS STATE. THE HEARING 23 SHALL BE IN EXECUTIVE OR PUBLIC SESSION, AT THE OPTION OF THE SUPER-24 25 INTENDENT. THE HEARING OFFICER MAY BE SELECTED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT 26 BETWEEN THE SUPERINTENDENT AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR, IN THE EVENT 27 NO SUCH AGREEMENT IS REACHED WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS AFTER THE SUPERINTEN-28 DENT'S RECEIPT OF THE WRITTEN CHARGES, A REQUEST SHALL BE MADE TO THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, BY THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR A LIST OF 29 THREE QUALIFIED HEARING OFFICERS. THEREAFTER, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION 30 SHALL HAVE THREE BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE RECEIPT OF THE LIST OF QUALIFIED 31 32 HEARING OFFICERS TO SELECT THE HEARING OFFICER.

33 (B) A SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO DUE PROCESS PROTECTION AT SUCH HEARING, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE RIGHT TO ELECT A PUBLIC 34 OR PRIVATE HEARING; TO BE REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL, TO PRESENT, CROSS-EXA-35 MINE AND SUBPOENA WITNESSES, TO SUBPOENA DOCUMENTS, PAPERS, LETTERS, OR 36 37 OTHER TANGIBLE EVIDENCE, TO HAVE ALL TESTIMONY GIVEN UNDER OATH, TO 38 RECEIVE WITHOUT COST AN ACCURATE WRITTEN TRANSCRIPT OF THE PROCEEDINGS; TO RECEIVE FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW. THE HEARING 39 AND 40 OFFICER'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL UPON THE PARTIES, SUBJECT TO THEIR RESPECTIVE RIGHTS TO APPEAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. THE DISTRICT, AT ITS 41 EXPENSE, SHALL PROVIDE A CERTIFIED SHORTHAND OR COURT REPORTER WHO SHALL 42 43 TRANSCRIBE ALL PROCEEDINGS.

44 (C) ANY CRITICISMS OR COMPLAINTS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN PREVIOUSLY 45 FORWARDED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBDIVISION OR 46 CHARGES BASED UPON AN ALLEGATION WHICH WAS MADE KNOWN IN WRITING TO THE 47 SUPERINTENDENT BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MORE THAN EIGHTEEN MONTHS 48 BEFORE THE CHARGE IS FILED, SHALL NOT BE ADMISSIBLE AT SUCH A HEARING 49 AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT. THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL STRIKE FROM THE50 WRITTEN CHARGE OR CHARGES ANY SUCH CHARGE MADE AGAINST THE SUPERINTEN-51 DENT. SUCH LIMITATION SHALL NOT APPLY WHERE SUCH COMPLAINTS OR CHARGES WOULD, IF PROVED IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, CONSTITUTE A 52 53 CRIME.

54 (D) THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL, UPON THE CONCLUSION OF THE HEARING, 55 PREPARE AND SUBMIT A WRITTEN DECISION, WHICH DECISION SHALL INCLUDE 56 FINDINGS OF FACT AND A DISPOSITION OF EACH CHARGE. BOTH THE BOARD OF 1 EDUCATION AND SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE BOUND BY THE DECISION OF THE HEAR-2 ING OFFICER. BOTH PARTIES SHALL, HOWEVER, RETAIN THEIR RIGHT TO APPEAL 3 THE DECISION OF THE HEARING OFFICER TO A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDIC-4 TION.

5 (E) IF THE CHARGES AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT ARE DEEMED ARBITRARY AND 6 CAPRICIOUS AT SUCH HEARING OR AFTER ANY APPEAL THEREFROM, THE BOARD OF 7 EDUCATION SHALL REIMBURSE THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR HIS OR HER COSTS AND 8 ATTORNEYS FEES INCURRED IN DEFENSE OF THE CHARGES OR APPEAL.

5. ALL CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. ANY CONTRACTS
INCONSISTENT WITH PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE
AND EFFECT, PROVIDED THAT ANY RENEWAL BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SUCH
CONTRACT SHALL CONTAIN THE PROVISIONS SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION.

14 S 3. Section 2565 of the education law is amended by adding three new 15 subdivisions 4, 5 and 6 to read as follows:

16 4. (A) A BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENT AS COMPENSATION 17 FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT SHOULD 18 EMPLOYMENT BE TERMINATED FOR JUST CAUSE.

19 (B) IN ALL OTHER INSTANCES, A BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL HAVE THE 20 AUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE SUPERINTENDENT A COMPENSATION AGREEMENT 21 AS PAYMENT FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S UNSERVED CONTRACT, PROVIDED HOWEVER, NO BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL MAKE ANY PAYMENT IN EXCESS 22 23 TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN OF 24 THE CURRENT CONTRACT. IN THE EVENT THERE IS LESS THAN ONE FULL YEAR 25 THE CONTRACT, THE COMPENSATION AGREEMENT SHALL NOT EXCEED REMAINING ON 26 TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE AVERAGE ANNUAL COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR IN 27 THE CONTRACT PROPORTIONALLY REDUCED TO REFLECT THE NUMBER OF MONTHS REMAINING IN THE CONTRACT. 28

(C) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SUBDIVISION, COMPENSATION SHALL MEAN SALARY AND BENEFITS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO: ACCRUED AND UNUSED VACATION OR SICK LEAVE CREDITS, HEALTH INSURANCE, DISABILITY INSURANCE, LIFE
INSURANCE, AND TRAVEL EXPENSES.

(D) AT THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
THE PUBLIC SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF THE INITIATION OF NEGOTIATIONS PURSUANT
TO PARAGRAPH (B) OF THIS SUBDIVISION. NO NEGOTIATIONS SHALL BE FINALIZED
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37 (E) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL NOT APPLY TO A CITY38 SCHOOL DISTRICT IN A CITY WITH A POPULATION OF ONE MILLION OR MORE.

39 5. (A) CHARGES AGAINST A SUPERINTENDENT MAY ONLY BE BROUGHT BY THE 40 BOARD OF EDUCATION AND ALL SUCH CHARGES SHALL BE IN WRITING. THE SUPER-INTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO A FAIR HEARING ON SAID CHARGES, UPON AT 41 LEAST THIRTY DAYS NOTICE, BEFORE AN INDEPENDENT HEARING OFFICER 42 WHO SHALL BE AN ATTORNEY AT LAW IN GOOD STANDING IN THIS STATE. THE HEARING 43 44 SHALL BE IN EXECUTIVE OR PUBLIC SESSION, AT THE OPTION OF THE SUPER-45 INTENDENT. THE HEARING OFFICER MAY BE SELECTED BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SUPERINTENDENT AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR, IN THE EVENT 46 47 SUCH AGREEMENT IS REACHED WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS AFTER THE SUPERINTEN-NO 48 DENT'S RECEIPT OF THE WRITTEN CHARGES, A REQUEST SHALL BE MADE TO THE 49 AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, BY THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR A LIST OF 50 THREE QUALIFIED HEARING OFFICERS. THEREAFTER, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION 51 SHALL HAVE THREE BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE RECEIPT OF THE LIST OF OUALIFIED HEARING OFFICERS TO SELECT THE HEARING OFFICER. 52

53 (B) A SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO DUE PROCESS PROTECTION AT 54 SUCH HEARING, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE RIGHT TO ELECT A PUBLIC 55 OR PRIVATE HEARING; TO BE REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL, TO PRESENT, CROSS-EXA-56 MINE AND SUBPOENA WITNESSES, TO SUBPOENA DOCUMENTS, PAPERS, LETTERS, OR

OTHER TANGIBLE EVIDENCE, TO HAVE ALL TESTIMONY GIVEN UNDER OATH, 1 ΤO RECEIVE WITHOUT COST AN ACCURATE WRITTEN TRANSCRIPT OF THE PROCEEDINGS; 2 3 AND TO RECEIVE FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW. THE HEARING 4 OFFICER'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL UPON THE PARTIES, SUBJECT TO THEIR 5 RESPECTIVE RIGHTS TO APPEAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. THE DISTRICT, AT ITS 6 EXPENSE, SHALL PROVIDE A CERTIFIED SHORTHAND OR COURT REPORTER WHO SHALL 7 TRANSCRIBE ALL PROCEEDINGS.

8 (C) ANY CRITICISMS OR COMPLAINTS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN PREVIOUSLY 9 FORWARDED TO THE SUPERINTENDENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBDIVISION OR 10 CHARGES BASED UPON AN ALLEGATION WHICH WAS MADE KNOWN IN WRITING TO THE SUPERINTENDENT BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MORE THAN EIGHTEEN MONTHS 11 12 BEFORE THE CHARGE IS FILED, SHALL NOT BE ADMISSIBLE AT SUCH A HEARING AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT. THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL STRIKE FROM THE 13 WRITTEN CHARGE OR CHARGES ANY SUCH CHARGE MADE AGAINST THE SUPERINTEN-14 15 DENT. SUCH LIMITATION SHALL NOT APPLY WHERE SUCH COMPLAINTS OR CHARGES 16 WOULD, IF PROVED IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, CONSTITUTE A 17 CRIME.

18 (D) THE HEARING OFFICER SHALL, UPON THE CONCLUSION OF THE HEARING, 19 PREPARE AND SUBMIT A WRITTEN DECISION, WHICH DECISION SHALL INCLUDE 20 FINDINGS OF FACT AND A DISPOSITION OF EACH CHARGE. BOTH THE BOARD OF 21 EDUCATION AND SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE BOUND BY THE DECISION OF THE HEAR-22 ING OFFICER. BOTH PARTIES SHALL, HOWEVER, RETAIN THEIR RIGHT TO APPEAL 23 THE DECISION OF THE HEARING OFFICER TO A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDIC-24 TION.

(E) IF THE CHARGES AGAINST THE SUPERINTENDENT ARE DEEMED ARBITRARY AND
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29 (F) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL NOT APPLY TO A CITY 30 SCHOOL DISTRICT IN A CITY WITH A POPULATION OF ONE MILLION OR MORE.

6. ALL CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. ANY CONTRACTS
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S 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2012.