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Introduced by M. of A. BRENNAN, CLARK, GREENE, MAISEL, JAFFEE -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. ABBATE, AUBRY, COLTON, COOK, GLICK, HEASTIE, JACOBS, NOLAN, ORTIZ, PHEFFER, SWEENEY -- read once and referred to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to members of the New York city water board and the manner of their appointment

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 1045-f of the public authorities law, as added by chapter 513 of the laws of 1984, is amended to read as follows:

2. The water board shall consist of seven members appointed by the mayor *WITH THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL*. Terms of office of the members shall be two years except that the terms of four of the board members first appointed shall be one year. At least one member shall have experience in the science of water resource development. No member shall be a director of the authority *OR AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK*. The mayor shall appoint a chairman from among the members of the board. All members shall continue to hold office until their successors are appointed and qualified. Vacancies shall be filled in the manner provided for original appointments. Vacancies, occurring otherwise than by expiration of term of office, shall be filled in the same manner as original appointments for the unexpired terms.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately provided, however, that it shall not be deemed to affect the tenure or qualifications as such of any member of the New York city water board on the date upon which it shall have become a law during the remainder of his or her then current term.

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

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