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Introduced by M. of A. CORWIN -- read once and referred to the Committee  
on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the election districts  
in the city of Lockport school district

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

1     Section 1. Section 2604 of the education law, as amended by chapter  
2     741 of the laws of 1954, is amended to read as follows:  
3     S 2604. Division of city school district into school election  
4     districts; elections held in schoolhouses. The board of education of  
5     each city school district shall adopt a resolution on or before the  
6     first day of April, preceding the first annual school election held  
7     hereunder, dividing the city school district into school election  
8     districts. The city school district shall be so divided that if circum-  
9     stances will permit, school election districts will be coterminous with  
10    one or more general election districts, and that, if practicable, there  
11    shall be a schoolhouse in each election district. The election  
12    districts thus formed shall continue in existence until modified by  
13    resolution of the board of education. Such resolution shall accurately  
14    describe the boundaries of such election districts by streets, alleys  
15    and highways, when practicable. School elections shall be held in such  
16    school election districts so far as may be possible in the public  
17    schoolhouses therein. If there is no public schoolhouse in a school  
18    election district, the board of education shall by resolution designate  
19    the place where the election in such district shall be held. Notwith-  
20    standing the foregoing provisions of this section, the board of educa-  
21    tion of THE LOCKPORT CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OR any city school district of  
22    a city of less than ten thousand inhabitants may, by resolution, desig-  
23    nate the entire city school district as a single school district.  
24    S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

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