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Introduced by M. of A. HOYT -- read once and referred to the Committee on Housing -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- again reported from said committee with amendments, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the public housing law, in relation to modifying the composition of the membership of the Buffalo municipal housing authority

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

Section 1. Section 404 of the public housing law, as amended by chapter 576 of the laws of 1993, is amended to read as follows:

S 404. Buffalo Municipal Housing Authority. 1. The Buffalo Municipal Housing Authority is hereby constituted and declared to be a body corporate and politic with all the powers, rights and duties set forth in article five of the former state housing law.

2. THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE AUTHORITY SHALL BE COMPRISED OF SEVEN MEMBERS, WITH TWO MEMBERS ELECTED BY TENANTS, ONE MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL AND FOUR MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR OF BUFFALO, ONE OF WHOM SHALL BE DESIGNATED BY THE MAYOR AS CHAIRMAN REMOVABLE AT HIS OR HER PLEASURE. Notwithstanding any inconsistent provision of law, any member of such authority appointed or reappointed by THE COMMON COUNCIL OR the mayor of Buffalo shall be subject to confirmation by a majority vote of the common council of such city.

3. THE CHAIRMAN AND THE MEMBERS OF THE AUTHORITY OTHER THAN THE TENANT MEMBERS SHALL RECEIVE A SALARY, THE AMOUNT OF WHICH SHALL BE FIXED BY LOCAL LAW. THE TWO TENANT MEMBERS SHALL RECEIVE A MONTHLY STIPEND IN THE AMOUNT OF TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS.

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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