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Introduced by Sen. SANDERS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to the membership of the board of directors of the New York city water board

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

1     Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 1045-f of the public authorities  
2 law, as added by chapter 513 of the laws of 1984, is amended to read as  
3 follows:  
4     2. The water board shall consist of seven members [appointed by the  
5 mayor] AS FOLLOWS: THE BOROUGH PRESIDENT OF EACH BOROUGH OF THE CITY OF  
6 NEW YORK, THE MAYOR OR A PUBLIC MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR AND A  
7 PUBLIC MEMBER APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR WHO HAS EXPERIENCE IN THE  
8 SCIENCE OF WATER RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT. Terms of office of the members  
9 shall be two years except that the terms of four of the board members  
10 first appointed shall be one year. [At least one member shall have expe-  
11 rience in the science of water resource development.] No member shall be  
12 a director of the authority. The mayor shall appoint a chairman from  
13 among the members of the board. All members shall continue to hold  
14 office until their successors are appointed and qualified. Vacancies  
15 shall be filled in the manner provided for original appointments. Vacan-  
16 cies, occurring otherwise than by expiration of term of office, shall be  
17 filled in the same manner as original appointments for the unexpired  
18 terms.  
19     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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