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I N S E N A T E

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AN ACT to amend the public authorities law, in relation to the appointment of members of the battery park city authority

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 1973 of the public authorities
2 law, as amended by chapter 766 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read
3 as follows:
4 (1) There is hereby created the battery park city authority which
5 shall be a body corporate and politic, constituting a public benefit
6 corporation. Its membership shall consist of seven members to be
7 appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate. IF
8 LESS THAN A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE AUTHORITY ARE RESIDENTS OF
9 THE COMMUNITY DISTRICT IN WHICH BATTERY PARK CITY IS LOCATED, THE GOVER-
10 NOR SHALL APPOINT A RESIDENT OF THE COMMUNITY DISTRICT IN WHICH BATTERY
11 PARK CITY IS LOCATED. One of the members first appointed shall serve for
12 a term ending four years from January first next succeeding his appoint-
13 ment; one of such members shall serve for a term ending five years from
14 such date; and one of such members shall serve for a term ending six
15 years from such date. Provided, however, that two board members first
16 appointed on or after the effective date of [the] chapter SEVEN HUNDRED
17 SIXTY-SIX of the laws of two thousand five [which amended this subdivi-
18 sion] shall serve an initial term of two years; provided further that
19 two other board members first appointed on or after the effective date
20 of [the] chapter SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX of the laws of two thousand
21 five [which amended this subdivision] shall serve an initial term of
22 four years. Their successors shall serve for terms of six years each.
23 Members shall continue in office until their successors have been
24 appointed and qualified and the provisions of section thirty-nine of the
25 public officers law shall apply. In the event of a vacancy occurring in
26 the office of a member by death, resignation or otherwise, the governor
27 shall appoint a successor with the advice and consent of the senate to
28 serve for the balance of the unexpired term.
29 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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