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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. ABBATE, McDONOUGH, JAFFEE, PELLEGRINO -- Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. DenDEKKER -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education -- recommitted to the Committee on Education in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to tenure in certain school districts

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subparagraph ii of paragraph (b) of subdivision 1 of section 3012 of the education law, as amended by section 4 of subpart D of part EE of chapter 56 of the laws of 2015, is amended to read as follows:

ii. Principals, administrators, supervisors and all other members of the supervising staff of school districts, including common school districts and/or school districts employing fewer than eight teachers, other than city school districts, who are appointed on or after July first, two thousand fifteen, shall be appointed by the board of education, or the trustees of a common school district, upon the recommendation of the superintendent of schools for a probationary period of four years**; provided however that in the case of a principal, administrator, supervisor, or other member of the supervising staff who has been appointed on tenure in another school district within the state, the school district where currently employed, or a board of cooperative educational services, and who was not dismissed from such district or board as a result of charges brought pursuant to subdivision one of section three thousand twenty-a or section three thousand twenty-b of this article, the principal, administrator, supervisor or other member of the supervising staff shall be appointed for a probationary period of three years**. The service of a person appointed to any of such positions

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

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may be discontinued at any time during the probationary period on the recommendation of the superintendent of schools, by a majority vote of the board of education or the trustees of a common school district.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.