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IN SENATE

January 18, 2019

Introduced by Sens. GOUNARDES, KAMINSKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Cities

AN ACT to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the medical board of the New York city employees' retirement system

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision a of section 13-123 of the administrative code
2 of the city of New York, as amended by local law number 59 of the city
3 of New York for the year 1996, is amended to read as follows:

4 a. (1) There shall be a medical board of three physicians. One of such
5 physicians shall be appointed by the board and shall hold office at the
6 pleasure of such board, one shall be appointed by the commissioner of
7 health and shall hold office at the pleasure of such commissioner, and
8 the third shall be appointed by the commissioner of citywide administra-
9 tive services and shall hold office at the pleasure of such commission-
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11 (2) The board, the commissioner of health and the commissioner of
12 citywide administrative services shall each have power to appoint one or
13 more but not exceeding [~~four~~ **seven**] alternate physicians, who shall hold
14 office at the pleasure of such appointing board or official. Whenever
15 the board of trustees of the retirement system shall so direct, the
16 functions, powers and duties of the medical board, in addition to being
17 performed and exercised by the three physicians appointed pursuant to
18 paragraph one of this subdivision, shall be performed and exercised by
19 one or more groups of three physicians as hereinafter prescribed. Each
20 such group of three physicians shall function separately as the medical
21 board and each such group may consist partly of a physician or physi-
22 cians appointed pursuant to paragraph one of this subdivision and partly
23 of one or more alternate physicians or may consist entirely of alternate
24 physicians; provided, however, that one of the physicians or alternate

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

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1 physicians in each such group shall be appointed by the board, one by
2 the commissioner of health and one by the commissioner of citywide
3 administrative services.
4 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.