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Introduced by M. of A. MIKULIN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to prohibiting individuals serving on a school or library board of trustees from resigning from their current term in order to run for a vacant trustee position

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

Section 1. Section 2105 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 15 to read as follows:

15. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, any individual currently serving as a trustee of a common school district, central school district or union-free school district shall be prohibited from resigning his or her current position as trustee in order to run for a vacant trustee position and shall only be eligible to run for a vacant trustee position once his or her current term has expired. Any vacant trustee position shall be filled in accordance with section two thousand one hundred thirteen of this part.

§ 2. Section 260 of the education law is amended by adding a new subdivision 7-a to read as follows:

7-a. Any individual serving on the board of trustees of a public library shall be prohibited from resigning his or her current position as trustee in order to run for a vacant trustee position and shall only be eligible to run for a vacant trustee position once his or her current term has expired.

§ 3. 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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