

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

May 13, 2024

Introduced by Sen. LIU -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on New York City Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to allowing the president of the citywide council on high schools to participate in the selection of the members of the board of education elected by the community district education council presidents

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

Section 1. Clause (C) of subparagraph 1 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of section 2590-b of the education law, as amended by chapter 71 of the laws of 2023, is amended to read as follows:

(C) Commencing on January fifteenth, two thousand twenty-three, the board of education shall consist of twenty-three voting members: one member to be appointed by each borough president of the city of New York; five members, one from each borough of the city of New York, to be elected by community district education council presidents and the president of the citywide council on high schools; and thirteen members to be appointed by the mayor of the city of New York. The term of the first member elected by community district education council presidents pursuant to clause (B) of this subparagraph shall be extended and end on January fourteenth, two thousand twenty-three. On or before December first, two thousand twenty-two, the chancellor shall promulgate regulations establishing a process for community district education council presidents to elect members of the board, and processes for removal of such members and for the filling of such positions in the event of a vacancy. All appointed members and members elected by the community education council presidents pursuant to such regulations shall take office on January fifteenth, two thousand twenty-three and shall serve a term that ends on June thirtieth, two thousand twenty-three. Thereafter, appointed members and the members elected by community district education council presidents shall serve for a one year term commencing on July first.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately; provided, however, that the amendments to clause (C) of subparagraph 1 of paragraph (a) of subdivision 1 of section 2590-b of the education law made by section one of this act shall not affect the expiration or repeal of such section and subdivision and shall be deemed repealed therewith.

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

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