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REGULAR SESSION, 1989



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SENATE BILL NO. 127

(By Senator Solmes, et al)



PASSED April 8, 1989

In Effect 90 days from Passage

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**Senate Bill No. 127**

(BY SENATORS HOLMES, CRAIGO, BLATNIK, DITTMAR, WARNER,  
FELTON AND CHERNENKO)

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[Passed April 8, 1989; in effect ninety days from passage.]

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section one-b, article five, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to term of office for county board members; and reducing the terms from six years to four years.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That section one-b, article five, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 5. COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

**§18-5-1b. Election; terms of office.**

1 As the terms of county school board members who  
2 presently hold office expire, members shall be elected  
3 for four-year terms at the time of each regular  
4 primary election commencing with the year one  
5 thousand nine hundred ninety. The terms of such  
6 members shall begin on the first day of July next  
7 following the primary election at which they were  
8 elected.

9 The term of office of any member of any county  
10 board of education shall immediately cease, and a  
11 vacancy shall exist, upon occurrence of ineligibility as  
12 prescribed in section one-a of this article.

13 This section shall in no manner be construed so as  
14 to affect the unexpired terms of county school board  
15 members who hold office or were elected under prior  
16 existing law.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

*Frederick L. Person*  
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Chairman Senate Committee

*F. L. Settle*  
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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

*Jedd C. Halls*  
.....  
Clerk of the Senate

*Donald L. Kopp*  
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Clerk of the House of Delegates

*Sam S. Tucker*  
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President of the Senate

*Bob Child*  
.....  
Speaker House of Delegates

The within *is approved* ..... this the *27th* .....  
day of *April* ..... 1989.

*Yaston Caperton*  
.....  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/19/89

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