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FOR House Bill No. 4669

(By Delegate Michael)

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H. B. 4669

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section three, article twelve, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the appointment and removal of members of a county development authority.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 12. COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITIES.

§7-12-3. Management and control of county authority vested in board; appointment and terms of members; vacancies; removal of members.

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The management and control of a county authority, its 2. property, operations, business and affairs shall be lodged in a 3 board of not fewer than twelve nor more than twenty-one 4 persons who shall be appointed by the county commission and 5 be known as members of the authority. The county commission shall appoint one member to represent the county commission 7 on the board and, for each municipality located within the 8 county, the county commission shall appoint one member to 9 represent the municipality. The city and town council of each 10 municipality located within the county shall submit to the 11 county commission the names of three persons, one of whom 12 the county commission shall appoint to be the municipality's representative on the board. Other members of the board shall 13 14 be appointed by the county commission and shall include 15 representatives of business, industry and labor. The members of the authority first appointed shall serve respectively for terms 16 of one year, two years and three years, divided equally or as 17 18 nearly equal as possible between these terms. Thereafter, 19 members shall be appointed for terms of three years each. A member may be reappointed for such additional term or terms 20 21 as the county commission may deem proper. If a member 22 resigns, is removed or for any other reason his membership 23 terminates during his term of office, a successor shall be 24 appointed by the county commission to fill out the remainder of 25 his term. Members in office at the expiration of their respective terms shall continue to serve until their successors have been 26 27 appointed and have qualified. The county commission may at 28 any time remove any member of the board by an order duly 29 entered of record and may appoint a successor member for any 30 member so removed.

Other persons, firms, unincorporated associations, and corporations, who reside, maintain offices, or have economic interests, as the case may be, in the county, shall be eligible to participate in and request the county commission to appoint members to the development authority as the said authority shall by its bylaws provide.

That Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.
Chairman Senate Committee Chairman House Committee
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