2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 211

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKNIGHT

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 17:1945.1(A)(8)(c) and (C), relative to the board of directors of
3	the Special School District; to revise the entities submitting nominees for
4	appointment to the board; to provide relative to the terms of service of board
5	members; and to provide for related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 17:1945.1(A)(8)(c) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to
8	read as follows:
9	§1945.1. Board of directors of the Special School District; creation; membership;
10	terms; powers, duties, and functions
11	A. The board of directors of the Special School District is hereby created.
12	The board shall be composed of twelve members who shall be subject to
13	confirmation by the Senate, one of whom shall be a member of the State Board of
14	Elementary and Secondary Education appointed by the president of the state board
15	and the remainder of whom shall be appointed by the governor, as follows:
16	* * *
17	(8) One member representing persons who are deaf or hard of hearing,
18	selected from a list of six persons, two of whom shall be nominated by each of the
19	following:
20	* * *
21	(c) Deaf Focus. Betty and Leonard Phillips Deaf Action Center.
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1	C. The terms of the members of the board shall be concurrent with the term
2	of the person making the appointment, appointing authority, and they shall serve at
3	the pleasure of the appointing authority. Members shall serve until their successors
4	have been appointed and qualified <u>unless removed by the appointing authority</u> . A
5	vacancy on the board shall be filled in the manner of the original appointment. No
6	member of the board shall be an employee of the Special School District.
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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____