

18A:54-16.1 et al

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJDA: 18A:54-16.1 et al (Sussex County Vocational - Technical School-Appointed board - establish budget approval procedures)

LAWS OF: 1983

CHAPTER: 396

Bill No: A3436

Sponsor(s): Littell and Haytaian

Date Introduced: May 5, 1983

Committee: **Assembly:** Education

Senate: County and Municipal Government

Amended during passage: YES Amendments during passage denoted by asterisks

Date of Passage: **Assembly:** July 11, 1983

Senate: December 12, 1983

Date of Approval: December 21, 1983

Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement: YES (Below) Also attached: assembly amendments, adopted 7-7-83 (with Statement)

Committee statement: **Assembly** YES

Senate YES

Fiscal Note: NO

Veto Message: NO

Message on Signing: NO

Following were printed:

Reports: NO

Hearings: NO

Sponsors' Statement

This bill establishes an appointed school board for the Sussex County Vocational-Technical School and requires the budget to be approved by the county board of school estimate.

ASSEMBLY, No. 3436

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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 3436

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 23, 1983

PROVISIONS:

This bill establishes a five-member, appointed school board for county vocational schools in third class counties with populations between 110,000 and 125,000. In addition, it requires the vocational school budget to be approved by the county board of school estimate in such counties.

BACKGROUND:

Currently, Warren and Sussex counties have vocational school boards that are elected and budgets that are approved by the voters. This bill would create a five-member, appointed board for the Sussex county vocational school, and would require its budget to be approved by the county board of school estimates rather than being approved by the voters.

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Assembly Bill No. 3436

Proposed by Assemblyman Littell

ADOPTED

Amend: JUL 7 1983

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omit "November" insert "December"

STATEMENT

This amendment changes the date by which new board members shall take office from November 1, 1983 to December 1, 1983.

SENATE COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT
COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO
ASSEMBLY, No. 3436
with Senate committee amendments

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DATED: DECEMBER 8, 1983

Assembly Bill No. 3436 provides that the board of education members of county vocational schools in Sussex county shall be appointed rather than elected. Also, the bill would provide that Sussex county vocational school budgets would be approved by the county board of school estimate rather than being approved by the voters. Currently, vocational school board members in Sussex and Warren counties are elected, and the budgets are approved, by the voters at elections held in April. In every other county in which there is a county vocational school, the board members are appointed.

The amendment, at the request of the sponsor, changes the date by which the first board members shall be appointed from December 1 to December 31, 1983.

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