

18A:12-19.1 + 19.2

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA: 18A:12-19.1-18A:12-19.2

(School boards---
reduction of
terms---
allow referendum)

LAWS OF: 1987

CHAPTER: 161

Bill No: S1247

Sponsor(s): Codey

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Senate: Education

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SENATE, No. 1247
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1986 SESSION

By Senator CODEY

AN Act concerning boards of education and supplementing
Chapter 12 of Title 18A of the New Jersey Statutes.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
2 *of New Jersey:*

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2 pursuant to subarticle C of Article 4 of chapter 12 of Title 18A of
3 the New Jersey Statutes shall determine by resolution that it is in
4 the best interest of the public schools of the district that the terms
5 of the members of the board shall be decreased from five years to
6 three years, the question shall be submitted to the voters of the
7 district at the next annual school election and the question shall
8 be stated in the notice of the election prepared pursuant to N. J. S.
9 18A:14-19.

1 2. If at the election the question shall be adopted, the members
2 of the board of education then in office shall continue in office until
3 the expiration of their respective terms and thereafter until the
4 first Monday following the next annual school election and their
5 respective successors shall be elected by the legal voters of the
6 district at this and each following annual school election to be
7 held in the district, for terms of three years.

1 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EDUCATION — GENERAL

Allows a type II school district to present to the voters the question
of reducing board of education members terms from five to three
years.

SENATE, No. 1247

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel
PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1986 SESSION

By Senator CODEY

SENATE, No. 3118

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED JUNE 20, 1985

By Senator CODEY

Referred to Committee on Education

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STATEMENT

This bill provides that certain school districts which maintained five year terms for board of education members when they elected to change from a Type I to a Type II district, may by resolution present the question of reducing the terms to three years to the voters.

This will make the terms of office consistent with those of other Type II school districts.

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ASSEMBLY EDUCATION COMMITTEE
STATEMENT TO
SENATE, No. 1247

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JUNE 23, 1986

The Assembly Education Committee favorably reports Senate Bill No. 1247.

This bill provides that certain type II school districts which were required to maintain a five year term for board of education members when they changed from an appointed to an elected board (N. J. S. 18A:12-19) may present the question of reducing the term to three years to the voters.

This will make the terms consistent with those of all other type II school districts. The only type II school district which has a five year term for board of education members is West Orange.

SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE
STATEMENT TO
SENATE, No. 1247

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MARCH 24, 1986

The Senate Education Committee favorably reports Senate Bill No. 1247.

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This bill was pre-filed for introduction in the 1986 session pending technical review. As reported, the bill includes the changes required by technical review which has been performed.