

**ARKANSAS SENATE**  
94th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2023  
**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 206**

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING  
MEMBERS OF LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS OF DIRECTORS.

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**Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 206**

Amend Senate Bill No. 206 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 29, and substitute the following:

"~~five (5)~~ four (4) years in length and with the expiration of such terms so arranged that, as nearly as possible, an equal number of positions are filled ~~each year~~ every two (2) years."

AND

Page 1, delete line 33, and substitute the following:

"serve more than ~~one (1) full term as a holdover~~ sixteen (16) consecutive years"

AND

Page 2, delete line 10, and substitute the following:

"be elected for a ~~three-year~~ four (4) year term. Provided, any member of the"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 19, and substitute the following:

"term would exceed sixteen (16) consecutive years in office.

(e)(1) Following the election, the new school district board of directors at their initial meeting shall, by lot, establish their initial terms so that an equal number of positions are filled ~~each year and not more than three (3) members' terms expire each year~~ every two (2) years.

(2) The regular term of office for the school district board of"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:

"(e) At the first meeting of a new board of directors, the members shall establish initial terms by lot so that, to the extent possible, an"



AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 3, and substitute the following:

"equal number of positions are filled each year ~~and not more than two (2)~~  
~~members' terms expire each year.~~

(f)(1) At least ninety (90) days before the filing deadline for the"  
AND

Page 4, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:

"~~(2)(A)(i)(4)(A)(i)~~ In a special school election, or an annual  
school election not held with the preferential primary or general election,"

AND

Delete SECTION 13 of the bill in its entirety

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and \_\_\_\_\_

By: Senator C. Penzo

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Secretary