



State of Tennessee

PRIVATE CHAPTER NO. 31

HOUSE BILL NO. 2155

By Representative Halford

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2115

By Senator Finney

AN ACT to amend Chapter 278 of the Private Acts of 1955; as amended by Chapter 301 of the Private Acts of 1972; and any other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the South Carroll County Special School District.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Chapter 278 of the Private Acts of 1955, as amended by Chapter 301 of the Private Acts of 1972, and any other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by deleting Section 2 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted, that a Board of Education composed of five (5) members, all of whom shall be more than twenty-one (21) years of age and bona fide residents of and qualified voters in the South Carroll County Special School District, be and the same is hereby created and established for the Special School District. Each board member of the Special School District Board of Education shall be elected by the qualified voters of the Special School District. The members of the Board of Education having been previously elected by civil district shall serve the remainder of their existing terms with all future elections to be held on a School District wide basis. The terms of the members of the Board of Education shall be four (4) years or until a successor is elected and qualified.

In the event of a vacancy among the members of the Board of Education, the remaining members of the Board of Education shall have the power to fill and shall fill such vacancies by appointment. The person so appointed to fill a vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term of his or her predecessor or until the next regular biennial election, whichever is sooner, and until a successor is elected and qualified.

The terms of the members of the Board of Education shall be staggered so that no more than three (3) terms expire biennially.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: MAY 20, 2011



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 7 day of July 2011



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR